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We cordially invite you to the

# CONCLAVE ON "INDIAN ECONOMY - A SELF - RELIANT PERSPECTIVE" AND

**INAUGURATION OF CDER** 

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**VOTE OF THANKS** 

Dr. R. RAVIKUMAR

Associate Professor and Head,
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DATE: 30-11-2024 Saturday TIME: 8:45am - 1:00pm VENUE: Pothigai Hall PSGCAS

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## **Programme**

8:45am - 9:45am : Registration

9:45am - 10:15am : Refreshment

10:15am - 1:00pm : Programme

Welcome address &

**Presidential Address** 

brief note on Conclave : Dr. R. K. Govindarajan
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**Key note Address** : Thiru. Osai Kalidasan

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## **Discussion with Academicians and participants**

Brief note on Conclave Dr. G. Jayanthi

proceedings

Assistant Professor,

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Dr. R. Ravikumar

Vote of Thanks : Associate Professor & Head,

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1:00pm : Lunch

## **ABOUT CDER**

CDER is an Applied Economics and Interdisciplinary Research Institute founded by Green India Trust, which was registered under the Indian Trust Act in Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India. It is also registered under NGO-Darpan-NITI-Aayog, Government of India and eligible for funding from state and central government departments and CSR funding. The Trustees and governing body members established CDER to undertake field oriented empirical research, short-term courses and training programs etc. To achieve this objective and to carryout the programs in a more scientific and reliable manner, a team of advisory board and visiting professors have been invited and now they are part of CDER. Those scholars are from GIDR, NIEPA, IIFT, ISEC, Jamia Millia Islamia University, Bharathiar University, Lovely Professional University and Annamalai University.

Competent scholars who have served as consultants in International and National Organizations such as World Bank, WHO, USAID, TFID, PwC, KPMG and NIPFP, Nielsen Group etc. are also part of CDER. They are from interdisciplinary areas having quality publications and also contributed policy documents for Government of India and other Organizations. Recently CDER has signed MOU with the national level premier institutions to associate in the academic and research activities. It is a milestone and proud step forward for CDER. We are happy to invite the like minded Professors, Scholars, NGOs, Students etc. to join with CDER. It is also aimed to work collectively with commitment for the social cause by assisting the state and central government programmes.

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