

CSSSC (RBI Endowment) and STAREBS Colloquium, 2026
14-15 May, 2026

**Advances in Computational Economics, International Trade and
Development Macroeconomics**

Venue: Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta
(Room: Seminar 2)

Day1: 14th May, 2026, Thursday		
		Time
Registration and Tea	Location: Reception and Seminar 2 CSSSC	10:00-10:30
Inaugural Speech/Introduction	Professor Sugata Marjit Director, STAREBS Prof. Saibal Kar, RBI Chair Professor and Project Director CTRPFP	10:30-11:00
Chair: Prof. Rajat Acharyya Jadavpur University and MMTTC	Plenary Talk I Prof. Sugata Marjit Director, STAREBS Former First Distinguished Professor, Indian Institute Foreign Trade Former Director, CSSSC Title: <i>Ai Driven Technological Progress and Labor Market</i>	11-00-12:00
Chair: Prof. Kausik Gupta, Calcutta University and Honorary Academic Advisor (Conferences and Collaborations), STAREBS Discussant: Dr. Sushobhan Mahata, STAREBS	PhD Scholars: Soumyarup Saha, Research Scholar, Jadavpur University Title: <i>A Theory of Appeasement: Naïve Organization</i>	12:00-1:00
Lunch Break		1:00 – 2:30
Chair: Dr. Mausumi Kar, Women's Christian College Kolkata and Guest Faculty, Calcutta University Discussant: Dr. Maitreyee Das, CSSSC Discussant: Dr. Swapan Chakraborty, St. Xavier's University	PhD Scholars: Ranjabati Chakraborti, Research Scholar, Jadavpur University Title: <i>Gains from Technology Transfer in a Model with Vertical and Horizontal Specialisation</i> Amlan Dutta, Research Scholar, Jadavpur University Title: <i>Complying with sanction on crude oil purchase and wage inequality</i>	2:30-4:30

Day 2: 15th May, 2026, Friday		
		Time
Tea		10:45-11:00
Chair: Prof. Tarun Kabiraj, ISI, Kolkata	Plenary Talk II Prof. Subhasankar Chattopadhyay <i>Indian Institute of Management, Indore</i> <i>Title: Long-run Pulls on Inflation in Structural Transformation</i>	11:00-12:00
Chair: Prof. Sarbajit Sengupta, Visva Bharati (Retd.) Discussant: Dr. Devleena Majumdar, Victoria Institution College	PhD Scholars Shouryo Basu, Research Scholar, St. Xavier's College, Kolkata Title: <i>Tariffs Abroad, Turmoil at Home: Can Unemployment Benefits or Agricultural Support Cushion the Blow?</i>	12:00-1:00
Lunch	----	1:00-2:30
Chair: Dr. Saswati Chaudhuri, St. Xavier's College, Kolkata and St. Xavier's University, Kolkata Discussant: Kinnori Sinha, IIFT	PhD Scholars Bitan Biswas, Research Scholar, University of Calcutta Title: <i>Intra-Household Resource allocation and Social Structure: A non-cooperative analysis</i>	2:30-3:30
Prof. Biswajit Mandal Visva Bharati, Santiniketan Discussant: Rishabh Lodh, IIFT	Subham Kumar Jha, Research Scholar, North Bengal University Title: <i>Looking for Some Company Tonight? How Regulations of Commercial Sex Shapes International Sex Tourism</i>	3:30-4:30
Vote of Thanks	Dr. Koushik Kumar Hati <i>Deshabandhu Mahavidyalaya, Chittaranjan</i>	4:30-4:45 pm

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