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Subject: Capacity Building Programme on Understanding the Social Security Issues for Gig and Platform Workers, 24 – 28 August, 2026, at VVGNI Campus, Noida.

Dear Madam/Sir,

We are happy to inform you that the Institute would be organising training on **Capacity Building Programme on Understanding the Social Security Issues for Gig and Platform Workers** during **24-28 August, 2026** at VVGNI Campus, Noida.

The main aim of the training programme is to deepen participants' understanding of the changing nature and dynamics of work brought about by digital innovation. It focuses on the emerging challenges and issues surrounding social security coverage, schemes, and protections for new forms of employment such as gig and platform work.

There is no programme fee. The Institute will provide free of charge boarding & lodging facility to the participants during the training period. Details w.r.t Travel Reimbursement is given in the attached brochure.

You are requested to nominate 4-5 participants from your organisation and the nomination of women participants will be highly appreciated. It is requested to send nomination forms duly filled in by the nominee's along with recommendation letter. Nominations without recommendation letter will not be considered.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Nagesh Nitla)
Programme Officer

To:

- Officials from Central and State Labour Departments,
- Representatives from Gig Workers Union and Central Trade Unions,
- Research Scholars and Faculty
- Employers Organization

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विषय: वीवीजीएनएलआई परिसर, नोएडा में 24 – 28 अगस्त, 2026 को गिग और प्लेटफॉर्म वर्कर्स के लिए सामाजिक सुरक्षा से जुड़े मुद्दों को समझने पर क्षमता निर्माण कार्यक्रम।

प्रिय महोदया/महोदय,

हमें आपको यह बताते हुए खुशी हो रही है कि संस्थान 24-28 अगस्त, 2026 के दौरान वीवीजीएनएलआई परिसर, नोएडा में गिग और प्लेटफॉर्म वर्कर्स के लिए सामाजिक सुरक्षा से जुड़े मुद्दों को समझने पर एक क्षमता निर्माण प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम आयोजित करेगा।

इस प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम का मुख्य उद्देश्य डिजिटल इनोवेशन के कारण काम के बदलते स्वरूप और तौर-तरीकों के बारे में प्रतिभागियों की समझ को गहरा करना है। यह गिग और प्लेटफॉर्म वर्क जैसे रोजगार के नए रूपों के लिए सामाजिक सुरक्षा कवरेज, योजनाओं और सुरक्षा से जुड़ी उभरती चुनौतियों और मुद्दों पर केंद्रित है।

इस कार्यक्रम के लिए कोई शुल्क नहीं है। संस्थान प्रशिक्षण अवधि के दौरान प्रतिभागियों को निःशुल्क आवास और भोजन की सुविधा प्रदान करेगा। यात्रा प्रतिपूर्ति संबंधी विवरण संलग्न विवरणिका में दिया गया है।

आपसे अनुरोध है कि आप अपने संगठन से 5-4 प्रतिभागियों को नामांकित करें और महिला प्रतिभागियों के नामांकन का स्वागत है। कृपया नामांकन पत्र, नामांकनकर्ता द्वारा विधिवत भरे हुए, अनुशंसा पत्र के साथ भेजें। अनुशंसा पत्र के बिना नामांकन पर विचार नहीं किया जाएगा।

सादर,

भवदीय,

(नागेश नितला)
कार्यक्रम अधिकारी

सेवा में:

- केंद्रीय और राज्य श्रम विभागों के अधिकारी
- गिग वर्कर्स यूनियन और केंद्रीय ट्रेड यूनियनों के प्रतिनिधि
- शोधार्थी और फैकल्टी
- नियोक्ता संगठन



V.V. GIRI NATIONAL LABOUR INSTITUTE
Sector – 24, Gautam Buddha Nagar, Noida, Uttar Pradesh-201301

Capacity Building Programme on Understanding the Social Security Issues for Gig and Platform Workers

Venue

Seminar Building, V.V. Giri National Labour Institute, Sector – 24,
Gautam Budh Nagar, Noida, Uttar Pradesh-201301

Programme Dates and Timelines

- **Dates/ Timings:** 24 – 28 Aug, 2026 / 10:00 am to 05:00 pm
- **Stay Arrangement Dates:** From the afternoon of 23 Aug, 2026 till the forenoon of 29 Aug, 2026

<p>COURSE DIRECTOR</p> <p>Dr. Puja Pal Associate Fellow puja.pal@vvgnli.gov.in</p>	<p>CORRESPONDENCE</p> <p>Mr. Nagesh Nitla Programme Officer Phone: 0120- 2411533-35 Phone 0120- 2411471 vgnlitraining1@gmail.com Website: www.vvgnli.gov.in</p>
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AIM

This training programme is designed to deepen participants' understanding of the changing nature and dynamics of work brought about by digital innovation. It focuses on the emerging challenges and issues surrounding social security coverage, schemes, and protections for new forms of employment such as gig and platform work.

OBJECTIVES

- To explore the transformation of work in the context of technological and digital advancements.
- To examine the rise of new forms of work, including digital labour platforms and gig economy.
- To discuss key social security challenges and policy issues affecting gig and platform workers.
- To highlight relevant provisions of the Social Security Code, 2020, with special emphasis on gig and platform workers.
- To provide an overview of international experiences and good practices in extending social protection for gig and platform workers.

COURSE PROFILE

- Changing Nature and Dynamics of Work
- The Digital Economy and Emerging Forms of Work
- Social Security Challenges for Gig and Platform Workers
- Key Provisions of the Social Security Code, 2020
- Overview of State-led legislations for Gig and Platform Workers
- Global Perspectives and Good Practices in Social Protection for Platform Workers.

METHODOLOGY

Expert Lectures, individual and group presentations, sharing case studies and interactive sessions

PARTICIPATION

Officials from Central and State Labour Departments, Representatives from Gig Workers Union and Central Trade Unions, Research Scholars, Faculty, and Employers Organization.

ELIGIBILITY

1. Participants should be above **21 years and below 60 years of age**;
2. Should have working knowledge of either Hindi or English.

NOTE:

1. Please note that those who have already attended institute's earlier programme may not apply again. If so, they shall be immediately sent back and no travel allowance will be reimbursed.
2. Children, spouse and family members are not allowed to stay in the Institute's hostel.
3. Participants are requested to book their return journey ticket in advance from their own place.

FEES & TRAVELLING REIMBURSEMENT

There is no programme fee.

1. The institute will reimburse travel expenses by bank transfer; for participants who have an Aadhaar number and a bank account. It's important for nominees to bring their bank details (bank name, branch, IFSC code, and account number) to fill up the TA form. **Participants must attach the original ticket for the inward and outward journey. Without proper tickets, no claims will be re-imbursed.**
2. The institute will reimburse 2nd class sleeper (Non-AC) train or bus fare (Non-AC) from their place to VVG NLI (NOIDA) and back. Local conveyance at the maximum of ₹350 for (Delhi & NCR) and ₹500 (for other states except North East States).
3. For participants from the North Eastern States, the Institute will reimburse 3-tier AC train fare and local conveyance, subject to a maximum limit of ₹750. **In case a participant does not possess a 3-tier (AC) return ticket, reimbursement will be made for II sleeper class fare only, however the difference of 3-tier (AC) train fare shall be paid only upon submission 3-tier (AC) return ticket.**
4. Officials entitled for higher class may claim their Travelling Allowance from their own organisation.
5. For extended stay or early arrival, lodging & boarding charges would be borne by the participants.

COMMUNICATIONS

All Correspondence should be addressed to:

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V.V. GIRI NATIONAL LABOUR INSTITUTE, NOIDA

Capacity Building Programme on Understanding the Social Security Issues for Gig and Platform Workers

24 – 28 Aug, 2026

Course Director: Dr. Puja Pal, Associate Fellow

NOMINATION FORM

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Nominee's Full Name Mr./Ms. : _____
(In Block Letters)
2. Age and date of birth : _____
3. Educational Qualification : _____
4. Whether : _____
SC/ ST/OBC/General
5. Current Position: : _____
 - a) Researchers : _____
 - b) Academic : _____
 - c) Government Employee : _____
 - d) Others : _____
6. Address for Correspondence: : _____
(In block Letters) : _____
Mobile No. : _____ - _____
E-mail : _____
7. Have you attended any : _____
Programme at VVG NLI Yes () No ()
If yes, give details. : _____

BANK DETAILS OF PARTICIPANT

- (a) Aadhaar Number : _____ (Attach Copy)
- (b) Name of Bank : _____ (Attach Copy)
- (c) Bank Branch name : _____
- (d) Account No : _____
- (e) IFSC Code : _____

Date:

Email / Post to:

)Signature & Name of the Participant)

Programme Section

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