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Subject: Course on Research Methods on Gender, Poverty and Informal Economy during 26 – 30 Oct, 2026 at V.V. Giri National Labour Institute, Campus, Noida.

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are glad to inform you that the V.V. Giri National Labour Institute would be organising an **Course on Research Methods on Gender, Poverty and Informal Economy** during **26 – 30 Oct, 2026** at V.V. Giri National Labour Institute, Campus, Noida.

The course aims to provide a structural analysis of the complex relationships between informality, gendered relations of power and poverty. It also provides researchers with an enhanced understanding of qualitative and quantitative methods on gender, poverty and the informal economy. This course will be an opportunity to discuss and debate the ongoing issues in conceptualising and measuring poverty, women's empowerment and gender.

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 regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Dr. Nagesh Nitla)
Programme Officer

To:

- Director/H.O.D.
- Research Institute/University

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विषय: वी. वी. गिरि राष्ट्रीय श्रम संस्थान, नौएडा द्वारा 26 - 30 अक्टूबर, 2026 के दौरान श्रम अध्ययनों में अनुसंधान विधियाँ पर पाठ्यक्रम कार्यक्रम

महोदय /महोदया,

सहर्ष सूचित किया जाता है कि वी. वी. गिरि राष्ट्रीय श्रम संस्थान के दौरान 26 - 30 अक्टूबर, 2026 श्रम अध्ययनों में अनुसंधान विधियाँ पर पाठ्यक्रम का आयोजन करने जा रहा है।

इस कार्यक्रम का उद्देश्य अनौपचारिक, सत्ता के लैंगिक संबंधों और गरीबी के बीच के जटिल संबंधों का संरचनात्मक विश्लेषण प्रदान करने का लक्ष्य रखता है। यह शोधकर्ताओं को लिंग, गरीबी और अनौपचारिक अर्थव्यवस्था पर गुणात्मक और मात्रात्मक तरीकों की बेहतर समझ भी प्रदान करता है। यह पाठ्यक्रम गरीबी, महिलाओं के सशक्तिकरण और लिंग की अवधारणा और माप में चल रहे मुद्दों पर चर्चा और बहस करने का एक अवसर होगा।

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

आपसे अनुरोध है कि आप अपने संगठन से 4-5 प्रतिभागियों को नामांकित करें, और महिला प्रतिभागियों के नामांकन को विशेष महत्व दिया जाएगा। आपसे अनुरोध है कि नामांकित व्यक्तियों द्वारा विधिवत भरे गए नामांकन फॉर्म और अनुशंसा पत्र संलग्न करें। अनुशंसा पत्र के बिना नामांकन पर विचार नहीं किया जाएगा।

सादर,

भवदीय,

(डॉ. नागेश नितला)

कार्यक्रम अधिकारी

सेवा में,

- निदेशक/विभागाध्यक्ष
- अनुसंधान संस्थान/विश्वविद्यालय



V.V. GIRI NATIONAL LABOUR INSTITUTE

Sector – 24, Gautam Buddha Nagar, Noida, Uttar Pradesh-201301

Course on Research Methods on Gender, Poverty and Informal Economy

Venue

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

Programme Dates and Timelines

- **Dates/ Timings:** 26 – 30 Oct, 2026 / 10:00 am to 05:00 pm
- **Stay Arrangement Dates:** From the afternoon of 25 Oct, 2026 till the forenoon of 31 Oct, 2026

COURSE DIRECTOR

Dr. Dhanya M.B.
Fellow

CORRESPONDENCE

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OBJECTIVES

- Develop a sufficient understanding of research methods, particularly by comparing and contrasting analytical and methodological frameworks used in various studies related to gender, poverty and the informal economy.
- Understand various concepts and theories related to gender, poverty and informal economy research.
- To learn an overview of qualitative and quantitative research methods.
- Identify research gaps and propose directions for future research work

COURSE PROFILE

Theoretical perspectives, methods of qualitative and quantitative research techniques, analysis and interpretation of Data

METHODOLOGY

Through lectures, discussions and interactive sessions.

PARTICIPATION LEVEL

Young teachers and researchers from universities, colleges/ research institutions and professionals from various institutions.

FACULTY

Besides the VVGNI Faculty, experts in the field will be invited to deliver sessions.

ELIGIBILITY

1. Participants should be above 18 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 VVGNLI (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

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**V. V. Giri National Labour Institute
NOIDA**

**Course on Research Methods on Gender, Poverty and Informal Economy
26 – 30 Oct, 2026**

Course Director: Dr. Dhanya M.B. , Fellow

APPLICATION FORM

1. Name _____
2. Date of Birth _____
3. Sex _____
4. Whether SC/ST/OBC/General _____
5. Address for Communication _____

Phone.....

E.mail.....

6. Educational Qualifications
(Graduation onwards)

Degree	University	% of marks	Subject of Specialisation

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7. Present Status _____ Employee/Student
 8. Details thereof _____
 9. Topic of your M. Phil./Ph.D.Thesis/Work _____

10. A Resume of Current Research _____
Interest and state how the
Course Will be helpful* _____
12. Research Publications _____
(last three years)
13. Details of participation in VVGnLI _____
training programmes, if any
11. Recommendation of the _____
Principal/Head of the Dept./
Director/Registrar _____

Office Seal

Signature.....

Name.....

Designation.....

*Attach separate sheets if necessary

Mail this form to:

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