

23rd Annual Conference of Indian Political Economy Association (IPEA)

**"Political Economy of Nexus between
State, Big Corporations and
Development in India"**

8-9 November, 2019

Organized by:

**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS,
PUNJABI UNIVERSITY
PATIALA-147002(PUNJAB)**

INVITATION

It gives us immense pleasure to inform you that Department of Economics, Punjabi University, Patiala in collaboration with Indian Political Economy Association is going to organize 23rd Annual Conference of IPEA on the theme " **Political Economy of Nexus between State, Big Corporations and Development in India**", November, 8-9 2019. The aim of the conference is to provide a platform to academicians, researchers, scholars and policy makers to share their rich experiences about the theme. You are invited to participate and contribute in this conference.

Punjabi University, Patiala

Punjabi University, Patiala, Punjab, India, one of the premier institutions of higher education in the north of India, was established on the 30th April, 1962 under the Punjabi University Act 1961. This is the second University in the world to be named after a language, the first being Hebrew University of Israel. Initially, the University started with the objective of developing and promoting the language, literature and culture of the Punjabi people. Over the time, it has evolved into a multi-faceted multi-faculty educational institution. Presently, it has fifty-five teaching and research departments covering disciplines in Humanities, Arts and Sciences as diverse as Fine Arts, Biotechnology, Forensic Science and Space Sciences. The university provides international standard facilities for students and researchers in various disciplines. The University has a modern well planned campus situated on Patiala-Chandigarh road at a short distance from the main Patiala city. Sprawling across 316 acres, the campus is away from the din and noise of the city. It presents a splendid sight of magnificent buildings which include the famous Guru Gobind Singh Bhawan.

Indian Political Economy Association

The Indian Political Economy Association, a society registered under the Societies Registration Act, came into formal existence in October, 1989. A fully democratic, participative and non-hierarchical academic culture is a basic pre-requisite for development of meaningful social science committed to the processes of social transformation. The Indian Political Economy Association seeks to work in these directions and with an approach which is in keeping with the perspective outlined above. The objective of the society is to provide a forum of mutual interaction and support to those engaged in theoretical and empirical studies with a view to evolve scientific and socially-responsive political economy with reference to both India and the world. The society will in particular endeavor to encourage inter-disciplinary studies and will not restrict itself to the conventional boundaries of individual disciplines. It is

also an objective of the society to popularize a scientific understanding of social problems among the people and to contribute to the process of social transformation”.

How To Reach Punjabi University, Patiala

Punjabi University, Patiala is located on the Chandigarh-Patiala-Bathinda National Highway No. 22, about 7 kms. from Patiala city (15 minutes journey), 50 kms. from Ambala cantonment (1 hour journey), 70 kms. from Chandigarh (1:30 hours journey) and 251 kms. from New Delhi (about 5:30 hours journey). The nearest Airport is Chandigarh International Airport (1:30 hours journey). The nearest Railway Stations are Patiala City jn: (7 kms. & 10 minutes journey), Rajpura jn: (25 kms. & 30 minutes journey) and Ambala cant. jn: (50 kms. & 1 hour journey). Taxi charges from New Delhi Airport to Patiala vary between Rs. 3000-5000 (rates negotiable). Delegates please note that conveyance will be provided by the organisers from Chandigarh Airport, Ambala Cant. jn:, Rajpura jn: and Patiala jn: to Punjabi University, Patiala. Delegates are requested to convey in advance their arrival schedule so as to avail this facility. Following routes may be taken to reach Punjabi University, Patiala :

Direct Connectivity

New Delhi - Patiala (251 Kms)

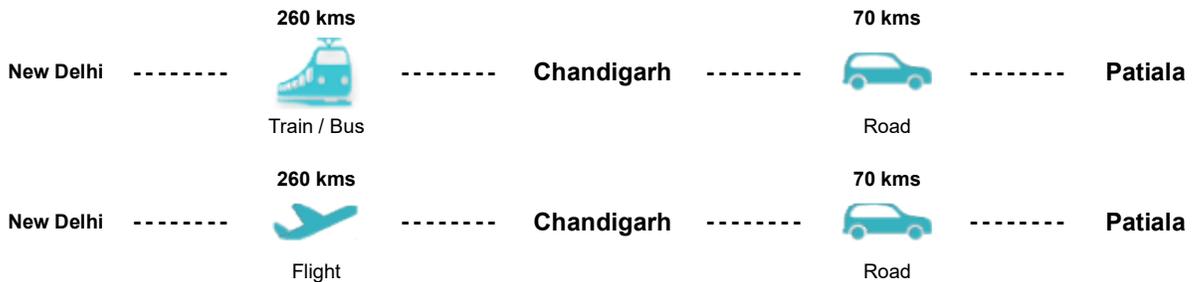


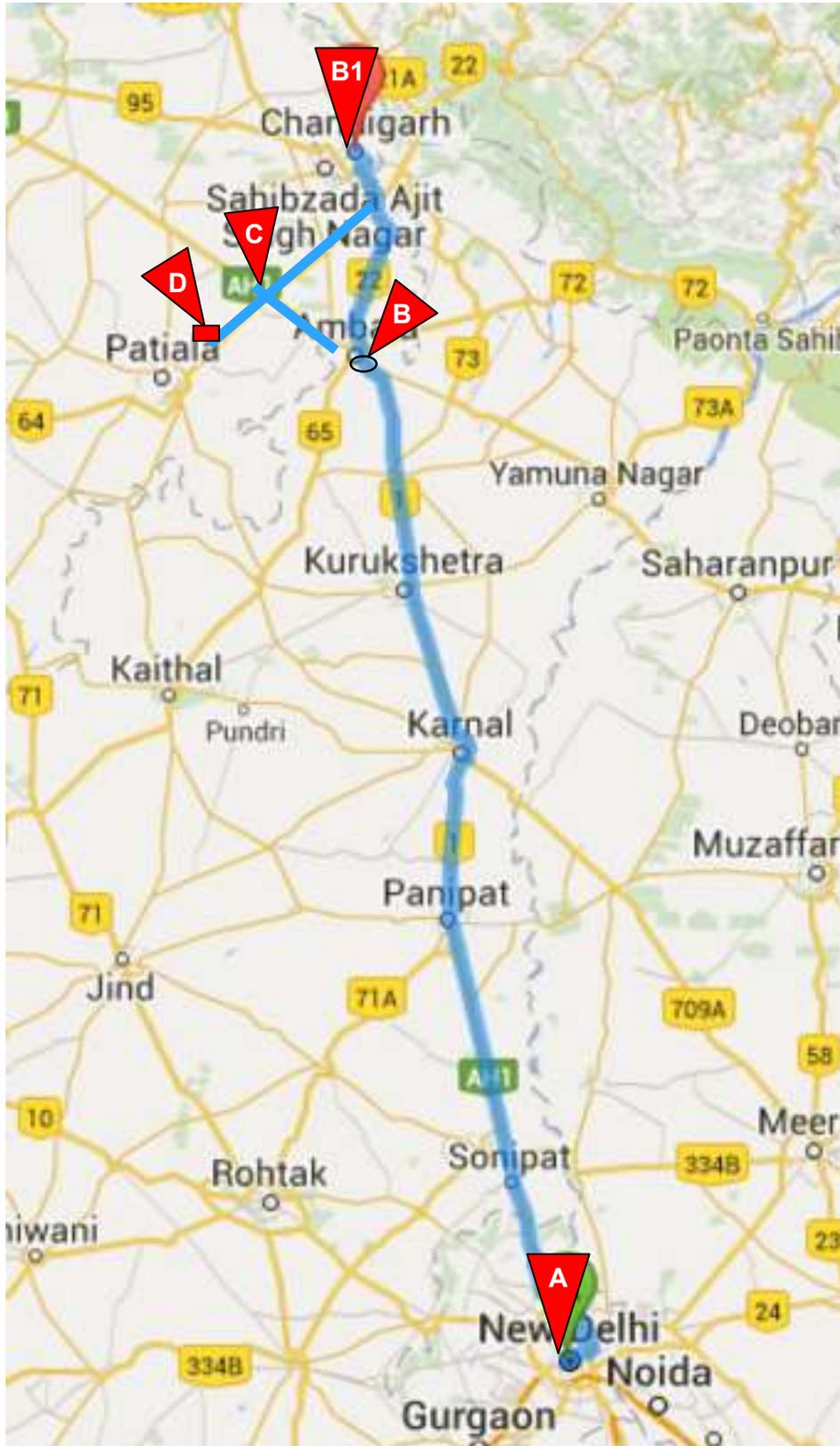
Indirect Connectivity

New Delhi - Ambala - Patiala (259 Kms)



New Delhi - Chandigarh - Patiala (330 Kms)





A – New Delhi
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B – Ambala Cantt.
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B1 – Chandigarh

Call for Papers

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Sub-Themes:

1. Political Economy of Agrarian Crisis
2. Political Economy of Social and Economic Exclusion
3. Commodification of Education and Health
4. Poverty, Inequality and Unemployment under Neo- liberalism
5. Economic and Environmental Crises and Popular Movements

Important Dates:

Deadline for Abstract: Extended upto September 15, 2019

Notice of Acceptance: Extended upto September 30, 2019

Deadline for Full Paper: October 15, 2019

Please email your Abstract (250 words) and Paper (4000 to 6000 words, Font - New Times Roman, Font Size- 12 Point, Line Space- 1.5) on the following email at balwindertiwana@yahoo.com

Registration Fee Per Person: Rs. 2500/- (with accommodation) and Rs. 1500/- (without accommodation). The Bank Account detail for electronic transfer of registration fee is given below:

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