

Central University of Odisha

Department of Sociology

Student Participation in National Webinar: Exposure and Assignment

Participation Overview

As part of the core paper '**Sociology of Development**', the students of the 3rd semester, Department of Sociology have shown great interest to participate in the National Webinar on '**System Strengthening in Government-Driven Implementation of Ultra-Poor Graduation Approach**' slated to be organized by Bihar Rural Livelihoods Promotion Society (BRLPS), **JEEViKA**, Rural Development Department, Government of Bihar from 8-10 September 2020.

Participation Objectives

- To expose the students to the objectives, contents and methods of webinars/seminars
- To enable them to learn listening and writing skills
- To drive home the importance of peer-learning and team work
- To expose them to different nuances of analysis, presentations and discussions

Participation and Thematic Assignments

Session - 1	Session - 2	Session - 3	Session - 4	Session - 5
Aiswariya	Ranjana	Prangyalipsa	Mourya Teja	Loknath
Dharitri	Abhilash	Bishnupriya	Okila	Swagatika
Kamalabati	Bharati	Janmejaya	Saudamini	Sumitra
Preeti	Nirmal	Punyotoya	Suchismita	Rashmita
Bhupendra	Tuni Nayak	-	-	-

- Students are required to listen and make notes of their respective sessions. However, all the students need to listen to the Open Session, which will be addressed by **Professor Abhijit Banerjee Nobel Laureate and co-Founder J-PAL** as keynote speaker.

Thematic Sessions

Day-1 Opening Session [12:05pm to 1:25pm]	: Objectives and Keynote Address
Day-1 Session 1 [3:30pm to 5:00pm]	: Community Institutions to Scale-up Support for the Ultra-Poor
Day-2 Session 2 [11:00am to 12: 20pm]	: Diversification and Intensification of Livelihoods Assistance Packages for the Ultra-Poor
Day-2 Session 3 [3:30pm to 4:30pm]	: Empowering the Workforce for a scale up: Data Management and Use of Data for Decision- Making
Day-3 Session 4 [9:00am to 10:05am]	: Data Analytics and Knowledge as a Driver For Systems Improvement
Day-3 Session 5 [10:05am 11:20am]	: Digital Infrastructure for Frontline Workers To Access Quality Support and Training

Participation Outcome and Assignment

- This assignment will also help the students in understanding and analyzing different strategies and programmes of development with a focus on sociological perspectives. Livelihood projects in Odisha and elsewhere in the country can be compared and contrasted.
- Each group is required to prepare a report, present their learning experiences and engage in classroom discussions.
- The assignments and presentations will be treated as part of internal graded assessment.

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