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### Review Criteria

The full paper/ extended abstract must give a clear indication of the objective, methodology, major results, implications, and key references. All abstracts will be blind reviewed and only those abstracts approved by the reviewers will be selected. At least one of the authors will be required to register and attend the conference to present the paper.

### Selected papers will be published.

### Registration

Registration is compulsory for all the participants. Participants can make the payment by cash or through Demand Draft/Cheque for the amount drawn in favour of the Assam Royal Global University at the Registration desk on the day of the seminar or earlier. Registration fees can also be paid by Debit cards.

### Registration Fees\*

Industry delegates: Rs 1000/

Academicians: Rs 500/

Research scholars: Rs 300/

Post Graduate Students and undergraduate Students: Free

\*Registration fees include conference kit, lunch and tea . Registration fees do not include accommodation. No travel allowance will be provided. Accommodation can be arranged on request at the cost of the participants.

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### About Royal Global University

Located near the Tirupati Balaji Temple on National Highway 37, the Royal Global University stands high with its virtues of excellence and humble contribution to the society at large. The campus has more than 25 acres of land and about 10 lakh square feet built-up centrally air-conditioned area for running various courses. With experienced faculty and world class infrastructure & facilities, Royal Global University is one of the finest Universities of the country. RGU offers a unique educational experience that prepares the next generation of global citizens to lead and make a difference in the world. With its talented and motivated student-body and accomplished faculty, RGU is a leading educational hub in the North Eastern region that maintains a particular commitment for undergraduate and postgraduate degrees with a variety of options available for the students. The faculty members work closely with students to solve major scientific, technological and societal challenges. RGU ensures that its students are transformed into well-rounded, industry-ready individuals, who are equipped to take on leadership responsibilities. Moreover, RGU ensures cultural events and activities and campus recruitment programmes are held for its students.



## ROYAL SCHOOL OF BEHAVIORAL & ALLIED SCIENCES (RSBAS)

National Seminar on -  
"India as an emerging economy -  
Prospects and challenges"

**4th May  
2018**



*Organized by*  
**Department of Economics**  
**Royal Global University**  
Betkuchi, Opp. Balaji Temple  
Guwahati - 781035

## Invitation

Dear Sir /Madam

*The undersigned cordially invites you with a sense of pleasure and pride to the National Seminar on “India as an emerging economy—Prospects and challenges”, which is scheduled to be held on 4th May, 2018 at Assam Royal Global University.*

*We solicit your presence, participation and scholarly presentation to make the seminar a grand success.*

*With regards-*

*Dr. Swabera Islam*

*Adviser*

*Ms. Durba Dutta*

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### **“ India as an emerging economy Prospects and challenges.”**

The implementation of economic reforms since 1991 was a policy break in the Indian economy with an overall objective of macroeconomic stabilization. Reforms brought about a shift in the Indian economic structure from a state led mixed economy to market led open economy. The objective was to emphasize the self transformation of the existing economic system to create, secure and facilitate a competitive market economy, so that the economy can self regulate itself and to align it to the integrated global competitive market economy. Such reform policies were implemented in the country as part of transforming the system through radical changes in the Indian economic and social scenario, thus resulting in growth acceleration, trade and market expansion and industrial competitiveness, among others. However, it has been observed that there has been an increasing inequality in income, low elasticity of employment, urbanization and creation of problems due to migration of population to the cities, social tensions, and sluggishness in agriculture. The emphasis on the benefits of India's proximity to the ASEAN countries as well as to other East Asian countries and the Act East Policy will no doubt add newer dimensions to the growth of the Indian Economy. In this context, the Department of Economics under the “Royal School of Applied and Behavioural Sciences”, of the Assam Royal Global University proposes to conduct a conference on the 4 th of May 2018.

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#### **Theme of the Seminar**

The seminar will be focusing on India's development experiences through twenty-seven years of economic reforms with a focus on the question “has India really transformed?” Has India emerged as a market economy with equitable growth ? This is expected to be a forum for deliberations and discussions on India's transformation under economic reforms by policy makers, academicians, researchers and leading social scientists.

#### **The seminar will include the following topics--**

- Economic reforms and inclusive growth
- Poverty alleviation and equitable growth
- Sustainable development and environmental issues
- Agriculture development and food security
- Industrial policies and performance
- Openness, international trade and investment
- The North Eastern Region of India in a liberalized world

*Any other papers related or connected to the main theme of the seminar are also welcome*

#### **Paper Submission**

**Academicians, scholars, industrial consultants and policy makers are invited to present their research work. Papers from cross-disciplinary fields that are related to economic policy and/or social welfare are also invited for presentation.**

#### **Selected papers will be published**

#### **Important Dates:**

**Submission of abstract (at least 500 words):-- 17 April, 2018**

**Decision of acceptance:-- 20 April, 2018**

**Submission of full paper (not to exceed 7000 words):-- 28 April, 2018**

**Registration begins from : 20 th of April, 2018**

**Seminar Time : -- 4th May, 2018**

**Registration Time : -- 9 AM**

**Seminar Begins at : -- 10 AM**