

**One Week Training Programme for ICAS Probationers on “Emerging Issues and Challenges in Public Finance and Policy”,  
 March 6-10, 2017, Round Table , R &T Building, NIPFP  
 Course Director: Lekha Chakraborty  
 Course Co-ordinator: Manish Gupta**

Time	10:00 – 11:15	11:15– 11:45	11:45 – 13:00	13.00 – 14:00	14:00 – 15:15	15:15 – 15:30	15:30-16.45
<b>March 6<sup>th</sup> 2017</b> <b>Registration 9.30am</b> Director's Meeting with the Probationers: 10.00am (Group Photo at 11.15 am)	Inaugural Lecture Themes in Public Finance  <b>Rathin Roy</b>	<b>T E A B R E A K</b>	Federal Finance and Fourteenth Finance Commission  <b>Pinaki Chakraborty</b>	<b>L U N C H B R E A K</b>	Theories and Empirics of Public Expenditure  <b>Lekha Chakraborty</b>	<b>T E A B R E A K</b>	Universal Basic Income  <b>Sudipto Mundle</b>
<b>March 7<sup>th</sup> 2017</b>	<b>Special Lecture</b>  Demonetisation <b>Ashok Lahiri</b>		Targeting Debt and Deficits  <b>N.R. Bhanumurthy</b>		Public Expenditure Effectiveness and Accountability <b>Yamini Iyer</b>		Financial Sector Reforms  <b>Ajay Shah</b>
<b>March 8<sup>th</sup> 2017</b>	Evolution of Indirect Taxes & GST in India <b>Sacchidananda Mukherjee</b>		International Taxation  <b>D.P. Sengupta</b>		Fiscal Monetary Linkages  <b>Shruti Tripathi</b>		Stabilising Inflation  <b>Rudrani Bhattacharya</b>
<b>March 9<sup>th</sup> 2017</b>	Public Expenditure Management <b>Pratap Ranjan Jena</b>		Capital Flows  <b>Ila Patnaik</b>		Government Pay and Pensions <b>Mukesh Anand</b>		Classification of Budgetary Transactions <b>H.K. Amarnath</b>
<b>March 10<sup>th</sup> 2017</b> [16.45-17.00: <b>Valedictory Session]</b>	Capital Controls  <b>Radhika Pandey</b>		Local Government Finances  <b>Manish Gupta</b>		Health Care Financing  <b>Mita Choudhury</b>		Financing Elementary Education  <b>Sukanya Bose</b>