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Viksit Bharat@2047 : Strategies for an Inclusive and Sustainable Development in the Global Context

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About Department of Commerce, Delhi School of Economics

The Department of Commerce at Delhi School of Economics, established in 1967, has revolutionized commerce education in India, consistently leading in curriculum development, teaching, and research. Offering traditional M.Phil. and Ph.D. programs alongside its flagship M.Com., the department expanded its offerings in 1995 with professional master's degrees in Business and Human Resource and Organizational Development, now known as MBA (IB) and MBA (HRD). These programs have gained recognition as top-tier business administration courses in India, highly regarded by the industry. In 2023-24, responding to evolving market demands, the department launched an MBA in Business Analytics. With its rich history and continuous innovation, the Department of Commerce at DSE remains at the forefront of commerce education, preparing students for successful careers in various business domains through its diverse and industry-aligned programs.

About Shivaji College

Shivaji College is a constituent college of the University of Delhi accredited with grade 'A' by NACC. Established in 1961 by the Honourable Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh, this premier institute has witnessed remarkable growth over the years, guided by the motto of Shivaji College, 'Amritam Tu Vidya' (Knowledge is Eternal). Standing tall in west Delhi, with a 10-acre sprawling campus featuring lush greenery, and state of the art infrastructure, the college is easily accessible via nearby metro stations and bus services. Making big strides in academics, the college has been consistently ranked among the top higher education institutions in the country. Shivaji College was ranked 8th all over India Rank in B.A. Hindi by India Today MDRA Rankings 2025. The Department of Commerce of Shivaji College obtained 23rd rank at national level and 14th at the state level. Sciences and Humanities have respectively obtained 15th and 16th rank at state level.

Pioneering in academic innovation, the college has launched its own research journal, *Shivraj 350: Multidisciplinary Journal*, which serves as a vibrant platform for cutting-edge research across diverse fields of study.

To bridge the gap between knowledge and employability, the institution has also established a Skill Development Centre, empowering students with practical expertise and industry-oriented competencies – a significant step towards transforming learning into meaningful professional growth.

The college continues to progress across all spheres, aligning itself with the national mission of *Viksit Bharat@2047*, and is making sustained efforts to nurture graduates who will meaningfully contribute to building an *Atmanirbhar Bharat*.

About Department of Commerce, Shivaji College

The Department of Commerce at Shivaji College upholds the University of Delhi's tradition of excellence in education, providing a stimulating environment for students' all-round development. With dedicated faculty possessing strong backgrounds in commerce and economics, students are encouraged to grasp theoretical, cognitive, and practical applications of the subject. Students are empowered to organize academic and extracurricular events, enhancing their administrative and leadership skills. The student society 'KAIZEN' coordinates various activities throughout the year under faculty guidance. The department regularly organizes international conferences, faculty development programmes, seminars, panel discussions, and workshops to expose students to the latest developments in the financial and

corporate sectors, which serve as dynamic platforms for fostering thought leadership and promoting meaningful intellectual dialogue. A highlight is the annual festival 'Optimum,' which attracts nationwide participation and features innovative events such as Business Plan competitions, paper presentations, Mock Stock, and quizzes. The department also produces an annual magazine showcasing students' knowledge and expressions on business and commerce topics. With its commitment to teaching excellence, practical exposure, and contribution to the college's corporate life, the Commerce Department at Shivaji College has established itself as one of the most sought-after programs in the institution.

Concept Note

As India approaches its centenary of independence in 2047, the nation has an unmatched determination to shape its future by embracing a vision of Viksit Bharat (Developed India). This vision seeks to position India as a global leader by emphasizing inclusive and sustainable development. Notwithstanding, the significant advancements made in areas such as economic growth, education, and infrastructure, the challenges associated with social inequality, environmental degradation, and access to basic services still persist. It is crucial to bridge the divide between growth and equity, between technological advancements and accessibility, and between development and sustainability. Viksit Bharat@2047 intends to accomplish a holistic strategy for national development by integrating strategies for economic growth, social development, and environmental sustainability. This initiative recognizes that India's path to becoming a developed nation must address the needs of its diverse population, uplift marginalized communities, and ensure the responsible management of natural resources. It emphasizes on empowering citizens and promoting sustainable development, while striving for equitable growth, innovative solutions, and inclusive policies. By focusing on enhancing education, healthcare, infrastructure, and environmental conservation, it seeks to build a prosperous and resilient nation where every individual can thrive. It aspires to create a vibrant and inclusive society that harnesses the potential of all its members for collective progress by stressing the importance of digital transformation, rural development, and social justice. Furthermore, the issues related to climate change, environment degradation and resource depletion must be addressed with focus on sustainability. There is a need for sustainable and inclusive approach which is emphasized by environmental challenges faced during current times, rising socio-economic disparities and uneven distribution of technological advancements across urban and rural areas. The conference intends to explore inclusive and sustainable development strategies, offering insights into how businesses may thrive in a volatile climate while upholding sustainability and inclusiveness.

Sub-Themes

1. Inclusive Economic Growth, Self-Reliance and Viksit Bharat

- Promoting 'Aatmanirbhar Bharat' and local manufacturing-incubators, start-up ecosystem, innovation
- Supporting MSMEs and expanding the digital economy.
 - Fostering financial inclusion and rural economic development-access to credit, digital finance, and microfinance
- Public-Private Partnerships for Development
- Sustainable Finance and Green Investments in Industry 4.0

2. Sustainable Infrastructure and Urbanization

- Developing smart cities and modernizing urban planning.
- Green Business Models- Building renewable energy infrastructure and green transport.
- Enhancing rural connectivity and infrastructure.

3. Technological Advancement and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat

- Accelerating innovation in AI, automation, and emerging technologies- e-commerce platforms, AI-driven customer management and digital marketing
- Bridging the digital divide and promoting digital literacy.
- Leading in space exploration and cybersecurity advancements
- Fintech and digital payments
- Digital Transformation in Finance: Opportunities and Challenges
- AI and Machine Learning in Financial Decision-Making

4. Education, Skills, and Workforce Development

- Enhancing STEM education and vocational training for future jobs.
- Expanding access to digital learning and education in remote areas.
- Fostering research, innovation, and skill-building for employability.
- Green HRM
- Upskilling and Reskilling: Adapting to a Changing Economy
- Global Competitiveness: Indian Talent for the World

5. Health, Well-being, and Social Inclusion

- Ensuring affordable, universal healthcare and mental health support.
- Promoting digital health solutions and telemedicine.
- Empowering marginalized communities and promoting gender equality.
- Corporate Social Responsibility

6. Environmental Sustainability and Climate Action

- Implementing climate change adaptation and green initiatives.
- Protecting natural resources and promoting biodiversity.
- Fostering a circular economy through sustainable practices like recycling and waste management.
- Sustainable business practices
- Green Supply Chain Management
- Corporate Governance and Environmental Policy
- Green Marketing and sustainability
- Governance, Accountability and Institutional Reforms
- Global Leadership and India's Role in Sustainable Development

7. Role of Swadeshi and Indian Knowledge System for Viksit Bharat

- Integrating Traditional Indian Business Practices with Modern Commerce

- Spirituality and Business: Balancing Profit and Purpose
- Corporate Social Responsibility and Indian Values
- Leadership and Management in Ancient texts
- Traditional knowledge in Green Businesses, Circular Economy

8. India's Role in the Global Economy

- Geopolitics and Diplomacy – India's role as a key player in the world stage
- India's strategic partnerships with emerging economies
- Position in global governance.
- India's integration with global trade, supply chains, and digital advancement

Call for Papers

Research papers and articles are invited under the broad theme and subthemes (but not restricted to these only). Submission should be in soft copy in MS Word (Font: English- Times New Roman) (Size : 12 and line spacing 1.5). Abstract for presentation in the conference should be submitted to the registration link as provided below. Last Date of Full paper Submission along with Abstract:

IMPORTANT DATES

Last date for submission of abstract:

February 15, 2026

Last date for submission of full paper:: Scan to register:

February 28, 2026



Registration Link:

<https://forms.gle/VcYQRN69yBf3QToaA>

Registration fees

Particulars	Fees
Indian National Faculty	Rs. 1200
Research students	Rs. 800
UG/PG students	Rs. 500
Foreign participants	\$ 50

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Publication Opportunity

Selected quality research paper presented during the conference will be considered for publication in the following Journals:

- Journal of Commerce & Business Studies (UGC Care List) by Department of Commerce, University of Delhi.
- Ramanujan International Journal of Business & Research (RIJBR)(UGC Care List) by Ramanujan College (Re-Accredited Grade "A++" by NAAC).
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