

Conference of INDIAN HEALTH ECONOMICS AND POLICY ASSOCIATION (IHEPA) HEALTH FOR ALL TO UNIVERSAL HEALTH COVERAGE: JOURNEY SO FAR AND CHALLENGES AHEAD

INDIAN HEALTH ECONOMICS AND POLICY ASSOCIATION
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GOKHALE INSTITUTE OF POLITICS AND ECONOMICS
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organises its Third Conference on
**HEALTH FOR ALL TO UNIVERSAL HEALTH COVERAGE
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Venue & Date
GOKHALE INSTITUTE OF POLITICS AND ECONOMICS
BMCC Road, Deccan Gymkhana, Pune – 411004

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Indian Health Economics and Policy Association (IHEPA) invites research and policy papers for its Third Conference on the following issues:

- Health Financing : Issues and Challenges
- Health for All, MDGs, NRHM: Lessons Learned
- Health Transition: Issues and Implications
- Maharashtra Healthcare System : Achievements and Challenges
- Other related issues relevant to the current context

IHEPA proposes to have dedicated session/s on **Healthcare Issues of Maharashtra**.

The papers submitted will be screened by a Panel of Reviewers of IHEPA for acceptance to the Conference. IHEPA encourages young research students to contribute and participate in the Conference.

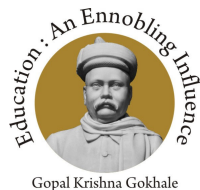
Guidelines and format of the paper

Length of the paper should be less than 8,000 words, accompanied by an abstract of one page. The abstract should reflect the whole paper including context, objectives, methodology and main conclusions. The papers, formatted with 1.5 line spacing, Times Roman Font Size 12 saved under MS-Word format may be submitted electronically to secretary.ihepa@gmail.com with Cc to office.ihepa@gmail.com.

Important dates

Submission of paper	30. 9. 2013
Communication on acceptance from IHEPA	1. 11. 2013
Submission of revised paper, if required	9. 12. 2013

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CONFERENCE DETAILS

IHEPA strongly recommends the paper contributors to seek travel funds from other sources or from organisations to which they are affiliated to. However, for those who do not have access to such funding, 3-AC train fares within India would be considered for reimbursement on actual basis, subject to availability of funds. Efforts will be made to provide accommodation to the paper presenters at the Guest House of GIPE or nearby academic institutions. Please visit www.ihepa.in or write to secretary.ihepa@gmail.com for more details about the Conference.

About Conference Venue

Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics (GIPE), founded in 1930, is one of the oldest institutions for economics teaching and research in India. Recognised as a Deemed University, GIPE offers M.A. and Ph.D. programmes in various branches of economics and allied disciplines. To know more about GIPE, please visit www.gipe.ac.in.

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ABOUT IHEPA

IHEPA is a professional body registered under the Societies Registration Act in October 2010. The need to have a formal body which would serve as a platform for discussing and sharing intellectual ideas pertaining to the Indian health sector was strongly felt by a group of like-minded health economists and policy experts. Over a period of four years, this group discussed, met and exchanged ideas regarding the formation of an Association. The IHEPA is the culmination of this process, and has been created to enable economists and other social scientists, policy-makers and practitioners to exchange, deliberate and discuss key issues and strategies in the health sector in India as well as globally.

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Membership

Membership of the Association is open to all individuals and institutions engaged and interested in contributing towards evidence-based discourse and discussion relating to the health sector. IHEPA welcomes all to join and strengthen the Association to make it a vibrant and productive body of excellence in health research and policy. For membership form and other details, please visit www.ihepa.in or contact Secretary at secretary.ihepa@gmail.com.