

CALL FOR PAPERS

Centre for WTO Studies

Indian Institute of Foreign Trade

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B-21, Qutab Institutional Area, New Delhi - 110016

6th International Conference on

WTO, Trade and Agriculture: Issues and Challenges for Developing Countries

11th -12th October 2018, New Delhi

About Centre for WTO Studies

The Centre for WTO Studies was set up in the year 1999 to be a permanent repository of WTO negotiations-related knowledge and documentation. The Centre was later situated in the Indian Institute of Foreign Trade in November 2002. Over the years the Centre has evolved into an institution conducting research in all trade related issues including the WTO and FTAs. As one of its primary objectives, the Centre provides research and analytical support, and allied inputs to the Government for WTO and other trade negotiations including India FTA negotiations. The Centre also has its own body of publications, and conducts outreach and capacity building programmes by organizing seminars, workshops, subject specific meetings etc. to disseminate its work, create awareness on recent trade topics and build consensus between stakeholders and policy makers.

About the Conference

This conference offers a podium for scholarly conversation among academia and policymakers on the impact of trade policy issues on Indian agriculture. Papers - theoretical, empirical or case study - are invited on broad themes including (1) Food security and trade (2) Issues related to agriculture market access (3) Trade and Sustainable Development Goals (4) Free Trade Agreements and agriculture (5) Responsible Investment in agriculture (6) International trade and doubling farmers' income (7) Domestic Support to agriculture sector by different countries (8) impact of developed countries' farm subsidies on developing countries.

Important Dates

Extended abstract submission	20th June 2018
Intimation of abstracts acceptance	30th June 2018
Full paper submission	25th August 2018

The extended abstract should not be less than 1000 words. There is no registration fee for this conference. Accommodation will be provided to the participants. In case of joint authorship papers, accommodation will be provided to one of the authors of selected paper. Train/Air tickets up to Rs 10,000 will be reimbursed subject to submission of tickets. Please make all your submissions to sksharma@iift.edu

The Participation in this Conference is only by Invitation.

Guidelines for manuscript submission

- 1. Abstract:** Extended abstract of minimum 1000 words, should have objective, methodology, expected result, future scope/limitations. It should include four to five key words. Mention subtheme in the Abstract.
- 2. Format:** The extended Abstract should have a cover page giving title, author's name, complete address, telephone number, fax number, and email ID of the author. In case of co-authors, these details should also be provided for each co-author. The second page should contain the title and extended abstract.

Margins: 2.5 cm.

Font: Times New Roman, 12 point

Spacing: 1.5 between lines.

References Format: References in the paper should be cited in following Style

Book

Carroll, R.L., 2009. *The rise of amphibians: 365 million years of evolution*, Baltimore: The John Hopkins University Press.

Journal

Nakajima, Y. & Schoch, R.R., 2011. The first temnospondyl amphibian from Japan. *Journal of Vertebrate Paleontology*, 31(5), pp.1154-1157.

Edited Book

Shishkin, M.A., Novikov, I.V. & Gubin, Y.M., 2000. Permian and Triassic temnospondyls from Russia. In M. J. Benton et al., eds. *The Age of Dinosaurs in Russia and Mongolia*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, pp. 35-59.

- 3. Review Process:** All manuscripts submitted for the conference will be subject to double blind peer review. Reviewers' comments will be shared with the authors.

- 4. Venue and Date:** Centre for WTO Studies, Indian Institute of Foreign Trade, **11th-12th October 2018, New Delhi.**

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