

International Training Programme on Financial Inclusion & Digital transformation

Course Contents

Module I: Financial Inclusion: Concept, Issues, and Policies

- Concept & Issues
- Relevance of financial inclusion
- Role of Financial Inclusion in SDGs
- Financial inclusion at the Global Level
- Financial inclusion at the National Level (India)
- Financial inclusion at the sectoral level
 - Education: financial literacy
 - Health: Financial Policies of health insurance
 - Industry: Financial policies for MSMEs
 - Finance: Financial policies for the unbanked population
 - Financial policies for women
 - Financial policies for youths
 - Financial policies for senior citizens
 - Financial inclusion in agriculture
 - Financial inclusion for minorities and backward communities
- Financial inclusion at the regional/local level

Module II: Financial Inclusion: Information, Implementation, and Analysis

- Introduction to various financial indicators
- Data and information at the global level
- Macro and micro information at the national level
- The institutional mechanism in implementation- Role of Central Bank, Scheduled Commercial Banks, and Cooperatives in promoting financial inclusion
- Role of monitoring and evaluation to achieve greater financial inclusion
- Survey designing and collecting financial information
- Financial Data analysis using statistical tools

Module III: Digitalization: Concept, Issues, and Applications in Financial Inclusion

- What is digitalization?
- Digitalization and public services (Introduction to Digital India Programme)
- India's transformation in digitalization
- National e-Governance Plan
- e-Panchayats
- e-District
- e-Governance Infrastructure
- e-Procurement
- e-BIZ
- DIRECT BENEFIT TRANSFER (DBT)
- Applications of the digital revolution in social sectors- digital learning, digital health care, etc.
- Digital transformation of the Indian economy
 - Digital agriculture

- Digital services, banking, insurance, finance, transport, communication, and consumer utilities
- Digital technology and the environment
- Central Government monitoring Dashboard

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- Contribute to establishing effective governance and national coordination structure that will successfully galvanize multi-stakeholder collaboration for the formulation and implementation of National Financial Inclusion Strategies.
 - Enhance analytical skills to contribute to the development of Financial Inclusion Data Frameworks and Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) Frameworks to collect, analyze and use data in preparation for the implementation of NFIS.
 - Understand the role of Digital Financial Services (DFS) in advancing financial inclusion and how to leverage them.
 - Learn approaches to ensuring NFIS meets the needs of the whole population, including women, as well as marginalized groups in society.
 - Contribute towards enhancing efficiency and quality of governance and public service delivery through the use of digital technology.
 - Contribute towards finding innovative solutions to development challenges involving digital technology
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