## Report of the One Week Workshop on

## 'Statistical Techniques and their Application in Social Science Research'

The one week workshop on 'Statistical Techniques and their Application in Social Science Research' was held from 2<sup>nd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> December 2015. The workshop was organized by the Centre for Development Studies, Department of Economics, Rajiv Gandhi University. The aim of the workshop was to impart knowledge on Statistical techniques and their application in the context of empirical research in the field of social science. The participants of the workshop were drawn from different disciplines and from different Universities and Colleges of the country. In total 56 application forms were received, of which 40 applicants were selected on the basis of merit for participation. Out of 40 selected applicants, 34 applicants actually registered and participated in the workshop. Resources persons were also invited from different reputed Universities of the country. Five resource persons from different Universities like University of Hyderabad, Visva Bharati University, Santiniketan, North Bengal University, Assam University Silchar, visited and deliberated during the workshop.

The inaugural session was held at Mini auditorium of the Rajiv Gandhi University, Rono Hills, Doimukh at 9.30 AM to 10.30 AM on 2<sup>nd</sup> December, 2015. The programme was chaired by Prof. N.C. Roy, Head Department of Economics, Rajiv Gandhi University. The Chief Guest of the Programme was Prof. A.K Das, Head, Department of Botany, Rajiv Gandhi University. The programme was attended by participants, students, resource persons, faculty members of different departments and officers of the University.

After the inaugural programme, technical sessions were held in the Department of Economics. During the workshop 20 lectures on different topics were delivered by the resource persons.

The workshop ended with valedictory programme which was held on 6<sup>th</sup> December 2015 at 12.30 PM. It was held in the department of Economics. The valedictory programme was chaired by Prof. Tamo Mibang, Vice-Chancellor of the Rajiv Gandhi University. The Vice-Chancellor distributed certificates to the participants and delivered speech.

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