



**INDIAN ASSOCIATION FOR
THE STUDY OF POPULATION**



CALL FOR PAPERS

40th Annual Conference of IASP on POPULATION, NUTRITION AND DEVELOPMENT

**Venue: Department of Demography, University of Kerala,
Thiruvananthapuram**

Dates: December 12-14, 2019

About IASP

The Indian Association for Study of Population (IASP) is a non-profit organization that seeks to promote research, share knowledge, and develop the capacity of population scientists in the country. All social scientists and public health professionals having interest to carry out scientific research in any area of population are welcome to participate in the activities of the Association without any geographical barriers, gender, race, ethnic, religious or cultural identity.

The existence of IASP was result of long felt need to have a professional association for Indian demographers which got materialized during 1970 with necessary guidance, encouragement and active support of Prof Ashok Mitra and Shri A. Chandra Sekhar, successive Registrar Generals and Census Commissioners of India. The association was registered in February, 1971 under the name of Indian Association for the Study of Population (IASP). The first adhoc Executive Committee (EC) was formed with Prof. Ashok Mitra as President and Prof. Ashish Bose as General Secretary. Demography India, the professional journal of the IASP was registered in 1972. The first seminar of the association was conducted at IEG, Delhi to discuss the results of 1971 census. The duly elected Executive Committee took over in 1973 and the first full fledged conference of IASP was held at International Institute of Population Science (IIPS), Mumbai. Since then IASP has been regularly conducting the annual conferences across India.

To its credit, the IASP hosted the XXI General Conference of IUSSP at Delhi in Sept 1989 and again would be hosting the same in 2021 at Hyderabad, India.

The 40th Annual Conference of IASP will be on the theme 'Population, Nutrition and Development. Papers are invited on the Sub Themes given below.

I	Population, and Nutrition
1.1	Population, Poverty and Hunger
1.2	Housing, Homelessness and Well-Being
1.3	Education and Nutrition
1.4	Nutrition and Gender
1.5	Family Planning and Nutrition
II.	Population and Environment
2.1	Population, Environment and Climate Change
2.2	Environmental Factors Associated with Health and Nutrition
2.3	Disasters, Climate Change and Nutrition
2.4	Climate Change, Food Security and Nutrition
III.	Nuptiality, Fertility and Family Planning
3.1	Marriage and Family
3.2	Life Course Analysis
3.3	Contemporary and Historical Fertility Transitions
3.4	Projecting Fertility in a Time of Demographic Change
3.5	Recent Trends in Fertility and Contraception in India
3.6	Trends and Patterns in use of Family Planning
3.7	Trends, Determinants, Consequences, and Measurement of Unmet Need
3.8	Low Fertility and Childlessness
3.9	Families, Law, and Public Policy
3.10	Innovations in Measurement for Fertility and Family Planning
IV.	Reproductive and Sexual Health
4.1	Quality of Care in Reproductive and Sexual Health
4.2	Adolescent Sexual and Reproductive Health
4.3	Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS
4.4	Abortion- Trends and Determinants
4.5	Disparities and Equity in Reproductive Health
4.6	Reproductive Health: Policy and Government Interventions
V.	Morbidity, Mortality and Longevity
5.1	Age Patterns of Mortality
5.2	Maternal Health and Mortality
5.3	Morbidity, Disease Burden and Gender
5.4	Social and Economic Determinants of Health and Mortality
5.5	Models and Methods for the Analysis of Mortality
5.6	Small-Area Mortality Estimation
5.7	Gains and Gaps in Life Expectancy
5.8	Methodological Innovations in Modelling Health and Mortality

5.9	Policies, Programs and Impact on Health and Mortality
VI.	Population Ageing and Intergenerational Relations
6.1	Bio-demography of Aging
6.2	Health, Nutrition and Wellbeing of Elderly
6.3	Living Arrangements, Social, Economic and Physical Security and Abuse of Elderly
6.4	Pensions, Social Security and Retirement
6.5	Needs of Elderly and Policy and Programme Initiatives
6.6	Population Aging, Consequences, and Public Policies
VII	Kerala 's Demography
7.1	Low fertility issues in Kerala
7.2	Health Transition in Kerala
7.3	Population ageing in Kerala
7.4	Kerala Model of Development
VIII.	Nutrition Status of Children and Adolescents
8.1	Health, Nutrition Status, Issues and Concerns of Children and Adolescents
8.2	Child Survival and Mortality including IMR and U5MR
8.3	Determinants of Child Health and Mortality
8.4	Transition to Adulthood among Vulnerable Youth
8.5	Measurement Challenges and Innovations in Infant and Child Health and Mortality
8.6	Nutrition initiatives for children and adolescents : Achievements and Success stories – eg ICDS, Poshan Abhiyan
IX.	Population and Health: Policies and Programmes
9.1	Non-communicable Diseases including Mental Health
9.2	Urban, Tribal and Rural health
9.3	National Health Mission
9.4	National Health Policy 2017
9.5	Universal Health Coverage: Models and Approaches
9.6	Health Financing and Public Health Policies
9.7	Health Management Information System
X.	Migration and Urbanisation
10.1	Migration, Urbanization and Gender Issues
10.2	Urban Development including SMART Cities
10.3	Urban Poverty and Nutrition
10.4	Urban Housing, Transport and Sanitation
10.5	Migration, Inequality, and Social Mobility
10.6	Forced Migration and Nutrition Implication for women and children
10.7	Innovative Approaches, Data, and Analytical Strategies in the Study of Migration
XI	Statistical Approaches and Models
11.1	Mathematical Models for Study of Population
11.2	Methods for Evaluating Population Programs
11.3	Computational Demography

11.4	Techniques of Demographic Analysis
11.5	Large Scale Surveys: Issues, Challenges and Innovative Approaches in Data Collection and Analysis
11.6	Innovation in Demographic Methods
11.7	Spatial Methods
11.8	Data Quality and Accessibility
11.9	Data Visualization, Open Source and Other Tools of Applied Demography
XII	Big Data Analytics
12.1	Use of Big Data to Model Health Outcomes and Mortality
12.2	Application of Big Data in Population and Health Research
12.3	IT innovations including Artificial Intelligence in Population and Health
XIII	CSR, Health and Nutrition
13.1	CSR Initiatives for health
13.2	CSR Initiatives for nutrition
13.3	CSR and family Welfare
13.4	CSR and Swacch Bharat

Short abstract with a maximum of 300 words and extended abstract of 2 pages (1000 words) are to be submitted online. The text of the abstract should be copied and pasted in the box provided for the purpose. The extended abstract should be attached as a PDF document, where you are asked to 'Upload your paper'. Please click on the link below to register as an author and submit your abstract

<https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=iaspconference2019>

Dates to Remember

- Online Abstract Submission : July 31, 2019
- Intimation of acceptance : August 10, 2019
- Request for travel support from IASP : August 30, 2019
- Communication about travel grant : September 10, 2019
- Registration form and fee : October 10, 2019
- Full paper submission : November 5, 2019

For more information, please send email to iaspcon2019@gmail.com or iasp.india@gmail.com. Please keep visiting our website: www.iasp.ac.in for further updates

PROF CHANDRASEKHARAN AWARD

Single author papers on the conference theme /sub themes are invited from young scholars (below 30 years of age) for Dr. Chandrasekharan award. Authors of the papers selected by the Committee would be invited

for presentation during the Annual Conference. The eligible members are requested to send the abstract by September 20, 2019 (through email as word document along with age proof) and full paper by October 10, 2019 to the IASP Secretariat (iasp.india@gmail.com). The author of the selected paper would be intimated by October 15 ,2019. The best paper will be presented Dr. Chandrasekharan Award during the annual conference. The young scholars whose papers are selected for this presentation will be reimbursed up to maximum AC-3 Tier train fare for their travel if requested in advance. Please note that the paper should not be of joint authorship. The abstract as well as full paper should be sent through e-mail but not on-line submission for this category please.

PROF PATHAK AWARD

The annual award in memory of Prof K B Pathak would be presented in the annual conference of IASP to the author of the best paper in the field of Population and Health with significant contribution in terms of methodological innovation. The papers must have been papers published in any refereed journal on Population/Demography and Health in the past two years. The author applying for the award must be below 40 years of age. The papers along with age proof must be sent to the IASP Secretariat (Sigma Research and Consulting, C23, South Extension I, New Delhi – 110 049) before August 15, 2019.

PROF S N SINGH AWARD

This award in memory of Prof S N Singh would be presented to the authors of the best poster presented in the annual conference of IASP. Selection would be made by a committee.

PROF K SRINIVASAN AWARD

Best technical and substantive papers published in Demography India would be selected by the committee and the award would be presented at the annual conference.

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