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Pune-411004, Maharashtra, India

ECONOMICS CONCLAVE 2015

**Indian Economy :
The Road to Renaissance**

March 13-14, 2015

Kale Hall, Gokhale Institute of Politics & Economics, Pune

The faculty, staff and students of

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cordially invite you to

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13th and 14th March 2015

Venue : Kale Hall, GIPE

Dr. Rajiv Kumar

Senior Fellow, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi
and

Chancellor, Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune

will inaugurate the Economics Conclave 2015
on Friday, 13th March at 10 a.m.

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

DAY 1 : March 13

09.30-10.00

Registration

10.00 – 11.30

Inaugural Session

Keynote Address

Dr. Rajiv Kumar, Senior Fellow, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi, and Chancellor, Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune

Plenary Session I

12.00 – 13.00

Make in India: The Challenges before Indian Manufacturing

Mr. Anant Sardeshmukh, Director General, Maharashtra Chamber of Commerce, Industries and Agriculture, Pune

Plenary Session II

14.00 – 15.00

Foreign Direct Investment: Have we done enough?

Prof. Nagesh Kumar, Head, United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP), New Delhi

Plenary Session III

15.00 – 16.00

WTO and Food Security : Recent Issues & Challenges

Dr. Sachin Kumar Sharma, Assistant Professor, Centre for WTO Studies, Indian Institute of Foreign Trade, New Delhi

10.00-11.00

Plenary Session IV

New Horizons for Financial Services Growth

Dr. Gangadhar Darbha, Executive Director, Nomura Securities, Mumbai

11.30 – 12.30

Plenary Session V

R&D and Innovation: The Imperatives of Growth

Prof. Anil Gupta, Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad
Executive Vice Chair, National Innovation Foundation,
Coordinator SRISTI and Founder Honey Bee Network

12.30 – 13.30

Infrastructure Development as a Vehicle of Growth

Mr. Hari Sankaran, Vice Chairman and Managing Director Infrastructure Leasing & Financial Services Ltd. (IL&FS), Mumbai

14.30-16.30

Plenary Session VI

**Panel Discussion on Union Budget 2015:
The Harbinger of Renaissance**

Panelists:

Prof. Abhay Pethe, University of Mumbai.

Dr. Ajit Ranade, Chief Economist, Aditya Birla Group, Mumbai.

Prof. Rajas Parchure, Offg Director, Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics.