

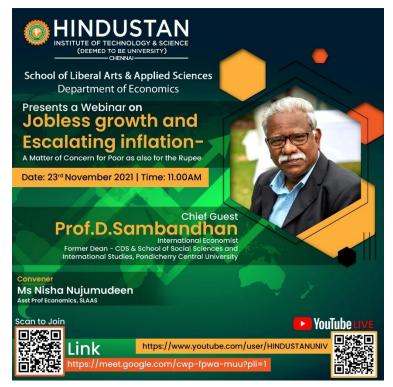
SCHOOL OF LIBERAL ARTS AND APPLIED SCIENCE (SLAAS) DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

WEBINAR ON

JOBLESS GROWTH AND ESCALATING INFLATION

23 November 2021

Discussions on unemployment and prolonging inflation in the Indian economy is burning a issue, especially in the context of the ongoing pandemic and economic recession. In this context, Department had invited renowned International Economist Professor D Sambandhan from Pondicherry Central University to deliver his thoughts on the scenario. The talk opened up various socially, politically economically and relevant economic dimensions of Indian growth, parallel to the growing of unemployment concern underemployment. The talk engaged the audience in a serious discussion on the social realities, in and around



the anticipated stagflation. Later, with the presentation of the Union Budget of India (2022-23), many post-budget discussions have been discussed in line with Professor D Sambandhan, as discussed in the Webinar. Professor also interacted with the students and faculty about how to critically engage economics and political science in relation to social realities and socioeconomic constructions. Students also actively engaged in the discussions by ways inquiring about the future of the Indian economy, Indian democracy, and sustainable development aspirations of India and so on.