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Subject: Webinar on theme: Investing in People-reg.

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As you are aware, in order to facilitate the efficient and timely implementation of Budget announcements-2025 a series of webinars across various key sectors are being organized as part of Post-Budget Consultation. The following are the objectives of the Webinars:

- Effective communication of the announced measures to relevant stakeholders
- Obtaining inputs from the sector experts for better formulation of the policies/measures/schemes
- Deliberate collaboratively on the implementation strategy, and
- Develop ownership of all concerned stakeholders in effective implementation

It is informed that seven distinct themes across various sectors have been identified for the upcoming webinars. The Department of Higher Education, in collaboration with the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, will take the lead on "**Theme 4: Investing in People.**" This theme encompasses 12 budget announcements from various Ministries and Departments. **The webinar is scheduled for March 5, 2025**, and will commence with a panel discussion on the theme "Invest in People," featuring key experts, stakeholders, and concerned Secretaries. Following this, there will be parallel breakout sessions focused on all 12 budget announcements, concluding with a final session. Notably, **the webinar will also feature a special address by the Hon'ble Prime Minister during the plenary session at 1:30 PM.** For your reference, the timeline for the webinar is attached.

All Higher Education Institutions are requested to make necessary arrangements for the participation of faculty and students in the webinar on "Theme 4: Investing in People" on 5th March 2025.

The link for the webinar will be shared separately.

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Tentative Timeline of Theme 4 : Invest in People

Time	Details
10:30AM - 11:00 AM	Joining of Webinar by the participants
11:00 AM - 12:20 AM Panel Discussion Theme 4 : Invest in People By Key Sector Experts / Secretaries of Ministries/ Departments, Government of India	
11:00 AM - 11:10 AM	Prof M. Jagadesh Kumar, Chairman, UGC
11:10 AM - 11:20 AM	Department of School Education & Literacy
11:20 AM - 11:30 AM	Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship
11:30 AM - 11:40 AM	Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
11:40 AM - 11:50 AM	Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs
11:50 AM - 12:00 PM	Ministry of Women and Child Development
12:00 PM - 12:10 PM	Department of Telecommunications
12:10 PM - 12:20 PM	Ministry of Labour & Employment
12:20 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Participants to join for the Special Address by Hon'ble PM
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Special Address by the Hon'ble Prime Minister
2:30 PM - 2:40 PM Break to enable participants to join the breakout sessions	
2:40 PM - 4:00 PM	Parallel breakout sessions of Theme 4 : Invest in People Suggestive outline 40 Minutes : 4-5 Lead Panellist including Moderator 30 Minutes : Intervention by other experts participants 10 Minutes : Q&A and summing up
Session 1	Saksham Anganwadi and Poshan 2.0 (Para 40)- M/o Women & Child Development
Session 2	Expansion of Capacity in IITs (Para 45) - D/o Higher Education
Session 3	Centre of Excellence in AI for Education (Para 46) - D/o Higher Education
Session 4	Bhartiya Bhasha Pustak Scheme (Para 43) - D/o Higher Education
Session 5	Atal Tinkering Labs (Para 41) - D/o School Education & Literacy (Lead), NITI Aayog

Time	Details
Session 6	Broadband Connectivity to Government Secondary Schools and PHCs (Para 42) - D/o Telecommunications (Lead) ; D/o School Education & Literacy; D/o Health and Family Welfare
Session 7	National Centres of Excellence for Skilling (Para 44) - M/o Skill Development & Entrepreneurship (lead); DPIIT
Session 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthening Urban Livelihoods (Para 49) - M/o Housing and Urban Affairs (lead) • PM SVANidhi (Para 50) - M/o Housing and Urban Affairs (lead) and D/o Financial Services
Session 9	Expansion of Medical Education (Para 47) - M/o Health & Family Welfare
Session 10	Day Care Cancer Centres in all District Hospitals (Para 48) - M/o Health and Family Welfare
Session 11	Social Security Scheme for Welfare of Online Platform Workers (Para 51) - M/o Labour & Employment (lead); M/o Health & Family Welfare
4:00 PM - 4:30 PM Break for Report preparation	
4:30 PM - 6: 30 PM Closing Session	
4:30 PM - 5:10 PM 5 Minutes Each	Presentation on the discussion by Secretaries of Deptt. of Higher Education, M/o Skill Development & Entrepreneurship, M/o Women & Child Development, Deptt. of School Education & Literacy, Deptt. of Telecommunications, M/o Housing & Urban Affairs, M/o Health & Family Welfare and Ministry of Labour & Employment
5:10 PM - 5:20 PM	Address by Hon'ble Minister M/o Labour and Employment
5:20 PM -5:30 PM	Address by Hon'ble Minister M/o Women and Child Development
5:30 PM - 5:40 PM	Address by Hon'ble Minister of Communications
5:40 PM - 5:50 PM	Address by Hon'ble Minister M/o Housing and Urban Affairs
5:50 PM - 6:00 PM	Address by Hon'ble Minister, M/o Health & Family Welfare
Closing Remarks by	Hon'ble Minister of Lead Ministries of Theme 4 : Invest in People
6:00 PM - 6:15 PM	Hon'ble Minister of State for Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (Independent Charge)
6:15 PM -6:30 PM	Hon'ble Minister for Education