



Day 1, Thursday, March 02, 2023 (<https://youtube.com/live/Uo5NVYS-cHg?feature=share>)

Inaugural Session *

Venue: Auditorium

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| 09:45 am to 10:00 am | Opening Address – CKG Nair, Director, NISM |
| 10:00 am to 10:10 am | Theme Address- Ananth Narayan Gopalakrishnan, Whole Time Member, SEBI |
| 10:10 am to 10:50 am | Address by Guest of Honour – Madhabi Puri Buch, Chairperson, SEBI |
| 10:50 am to 11:00 am | Vote of thanks – Rachana Baid, Professor & Dean Academics, NISM |

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| 11:00 am to 11:15 am | Tea/Coffee Break |
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Panel Discussion I - REITs and InvITs: Opportunities and Challenges || Venue: Auditorium

Anchor – Dhiraj Jain, Professor, NISM

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11:15 am to 12:15 pm including a 15 minutes Q & A Session

Moderator –

Kranti Mohan, Partner (Head – REITs and InvITs) - Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas

Panellists –

Suresh Goyal, MD & CEO, National Highways Infra Investment Managers

Tushar Kawedia, Group CFO, IRB

Gautam Mehra, Partner, PwC India

Ritwik Bhattacharjee, Chief Investment Officer, Embassy REIT

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| 12:15 pm to 12:45 pm | Lunch Break |
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****Technical Sessions 1A: Market Risk and Supervision - The New Tech Landscape**

Chair- Richa Agarwal, GM, SEBI | Discussant- Jitendra Kumar, DGM, SEBI

Venue: Banquet Hall , Time: 12:45 pm to 02:15 pm

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| | Paper Title | Author/s |
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| 1. | Thinking of trading? Analysis intent in insider trading under Indian law | Animesh Bisht, Drishti Das (Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas) |
| 2. | Prospect Theory: An explanation for the puzzling effect of hedging on firm value | Priyanka Mohanty (NIT Rourkela) |
| 3. | Predicting financial manipulation of listed companies using machine learning techniques | Abdul Aziz Barbhuiya, Sudip Dey, Ashim Kumar (NIT Silchar) |

****Technical Sessions 1B: Market Risk and Supervision - The New Tech Landscape****Chair- Tirthankar Patnaik, NSE | Discussant- Ritesh Nandwani, NISM****Venue: B-1.2, Time: 12:45 pm to 02:15 pm****Link: <https://youtube.com/live/1U4DvyOQiqo?feature=share>**

| | Paper Title | Author/s |
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| 1. | Does the personal cost of bankruptcy affect related party transactions? An evidence from a quasi-natural experiment in India | Ranjeet Singh (IIM Raipur) |
| 2. | Is Trading in the Weeklies Mitigate the Expiry Day Effects in the Indian Equity Options Market? Evidence on the Performance of Volatility Trading Strategies | Babu Jose, James Varghese, Ansu Royit (St. Thomas College) |
| 3. | The Impact of Interaction between Industry Competition and Rollover Risk on Corporate Financial Default Risk | Anurag Chaturvedi, Archana Singh (Delhi Technological University) |

Panel Discussion II - Growing with Sustainability – Inspiring Practices relevant for Emerging Markets**Anchor - Kirti Arekar, Professor, NISM****|| Venue: Banquet Hall****Link: <https://youtube.com/live/Uo5NVYS-cHg?feature=share>****02:15 pm to 03:15 pm including a 15 minutes Q & A Session*****Moderator –******Amarjeet Singh, Executive Director, SEBI*****Panellists –*****Sue Lloyd, Vice chair, ISSB******Sacha Sadan, Director, ESG, UK, FCA******MVR Reddy, Executive Director, SSEA, NTPC Ltd.******Navneet Munot, CEO, HDFC Mutual Fund*****03:15 pm to 03:30 pm****Tea/Coffee Break******Technical Session – 2: Financing for Growth – Innovation and Investor Protection****Chair- Surabhi Gupta, GM, SEBI | Discussant- Sivananth Ramachandran, CFA****Venue: Banquet Hall & B-1.2, Time: 03:30 pm to 05:00 pm****Link: <https://youtube.com/live/1U4DvyOQiqo?feature=share>**

| | Paper Title | Author/s |
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| 1. | A Nonparametric Framework for Evaluating Indian Mutual Fund AMCs | Kaushik Bhattacharjee, Diganta Mukherjee, Ruparnab Sengupta, Sankarshan Basu (IBS Hyderabad, ISI Kolkata & IIM Bangalore) |
| 2. | Environment, Social and Governance (ESG) Influence on Financial Performance during COVID-19: Evidence from BRICS Nations | Sarvani Kocherlakota, Kavitha Shanmugam (SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Kattankulathur) |
| 3. | An analysis of factors determining the migration of listed SME firms from the BSE & NSE SME exchanges to the main board | Sneha Thayyil & Tara Shankar Shaw (NMIMS Mumbai & IIT Bombay) |

****Technical Session – 3: Asset Management – Emerging Trends and Policy Lessons**

Chair- Rachana Baid, NISM | Discussant- Laltu Pore, AGM, SEBI

Venue: Banquet Hall & B-1.2, Time: 10:00 am to 11:30 am

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| | Paper Title | Author/s |
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| 1. | Multiple Dimensions of Cyclicalities in Investing | Thillaikkoothan P, Parthajit Kayal (Madras School of Economics) |
| 2. | Asymmetric effects of uncertainty on investment: empirical evidence from India | Masudul Hasan Adil, Amrita Roy (IIT Bombay & IIT Palakad) |
| 3. | Financial literacy is credible on investment decision prominence in Indian investors | Ranganathan Venkatesan (Shanmugan Industries Arts and Science College) |

11:30 am to 11:45 am

Tea/Coffee Break

Panel Discussion III - Mutual Funds – The Path to USD 1 trillion Industry in India

Anchor – Pradiptarathi Panda, Assistant Professor, NISM

|| Venue: Banquet Hall

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11:45 am to 12:45 pm including a 15 minutes Q & A Session

Moderator –**A Balasubramanian**, Chairman, Aditya Birla Sun Life Asset Management Co. Ltd.**Panellists –****Sandeep Tandon**, MD & CEO - Quant Capital**Stephen Dover**, Chief Market Strategist & Head of Franklin Templeton Institute**Harsh Jain**, Co-founder & COO, Groww.in

12:45 pm to 01:30 pm

Lunch Break

****Technical Session – 4A: Young Researcher Category (YRC)**

Chair- Nirupama Kulkarni, CAFRAL | Discussant- Pradiptarathi Panda, NISM

Venue: Banquet Hall, Time: 01:30 pm to 02:45 pm

Link: https://youtube.com/live/qSSpL-6A5SU?feature=share

| | Paper Title | Author/s |
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| 1. | The role of the contract specification in market quality of the derivatives instruments: Evidence from India | Rahul Kumar (IIM Ranchi) |
| 2. | Order imbalances and market efficiency: Evidence from a pure order-driven market | Lagan Jindal, Manisha Yadav (IIT Roorkee) |
| 3. | Information content of an open limit-order book: Indian evidence | Mayank Gupta & Abhinava Tripathi (IIT Roorkee & IIT Kanpur) |

****Technical Session – 4B: Young Researcher Category (YRC)****Chair- Deepali Dixit, DGM, SEBI | Discussant- Dhiraj Jain, NISM****Venue: B-1.2, Time: 01:30 pm to 02:45 pm****Link: <https://youtube.com/live/qSSpL-6A5SU?feature=share>**

| | Paper Title | Author/s |
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| 1. | Does Board Demographic Diversity Constrain Related Party Transactions? Evidence from India | Satya Prakash Mani & Shashank Bansal (Indian Institute of Technology (ISM) Dhanbad) |
| 2. | Volatility spillover and dynamics of the sectoral indices: An empirical investigation in emerging market | Mohit Saini, Barkha Dhingra, Mohamed Fakhfekh, Mahender Yadav (Maharshi Dayanand University, Higher Institute of Business and Administration of Sfax (Tunisia)) |
| 3. | Financial Performance of Indian Companies in pursuit of Environmental goals: An fsQCA approach | Kirubakaran Jayaprakasam & Vivek Sunny Joseph (NIT Tiruchirappalli) |

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| 02:45 pm to 03:00 pm | Tea/Coffee Break |
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Panel Discussion IV - RegTech, SupTech & Regulatory Compliances – Global Trends and Regulatory Roadmap**Anchor – Jatin Trivedi, Associate Professor, NISM****|| Venue: Banquet Hall****Link: <https://youtube.com/live/Ad9-p6WI5fl?feature=share>****03:00 pm to 04:00 pm including a 15 minutes Q & A Session****Moderator –*****Pramod Rao, Executive Director, SEBI*****Panellists –*****Sharad Sharma, Co-founder, iSPIRIT Foundation******S. Swaminathan, Chief Executive and Founder of IRIS Business Services Limited******Shinjini Kumar, Co-Founder at SALT******Dipen Desai, General Manager, Regulatory Compliance, BSE*****Talk on ‘ Key Directions for Securities Law Research in India’****Venue: Banquet Hall****Anchor – Mohd Meraj Inamdar, NISM****Link: <https://youtube.com/live/Ad9-p6WI5fl?feature=share>**

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| 04:00 pm to 04:30 pm | Nigam Nuggehalli, Registrar & Professor of Law, NLSIU, Bengaluru |
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NISM: One Stop Solution for Research in Securities Markets**Venue: Banquet Hall****Anchor – Mohd Meraj Inamdar, NISM****Link: <https://youtube.com/live/Ad9-p6WI5fl?feature=share>**

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| 04:30 pm to 04:45 pm | Sanjeev Bajaj, GM, NISM |
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Closing Session**Venue: Banquet Hall****Anchor- Kapil Shrimal, NISM****Link: <https://youtube.com/live/Ad9-p6WI5fl?feature=share>**

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| 04:45 pm to 05:00 pm | Valedictory Address – Prabhas Rath, CGM, SEBI |
| 05:00 pm to 05:15 pm | Guest of Honour- Malabika Deo, Professor & Dean, Pondicherry University |
| 05:15 pm to 05:30 pm | Prize Distribution |
| 05:30 pm to 05:45 pm | Vote of Thanks – Latha Chari, Professor & HOD, NISM |

Note:*(*NISM reserves the right to change & modify the program schedule based on exigencies.)**(**Sessions with Three Papers Each - 15 minutes Presentation & 15 minutes Q & A Session for Each Paper)**(***Sessions with Three Papers Each – 10 minutes Presentation & 10 minutes Feedback for Each Paper)*