



SCHEDULE

Day 1: 6 January 2017

9.30 am	Registration
10 - 11 am	Welcome & Introduction to CCS
11am - 12.30 pm	Why is India Poor? This session aims to debunk popular myths about the causes of wealth and poverty in India, and to suggest the importance of institutions in creating prosperity, making the argument that lack of economic freedom is the reason India is poor.
12.30 - 1.30 pm	Lunch
1.30 - 3.30 pm	The Rules of the Game This session will aim to define 'institutions', examine the institutions that exist in our society, and debate which institution is best suited to fulfill what role in solving social problems.
3.30 - 4 pm	Break
4 - 6 pm	Socratic Dialogue: Seen v Unseen This reading will bring to fore the seen and unseen effects of public policy, and how it is important to look at both short-term effects and long-term consequences of political action.

Day 2: 7 January 2017

9.30 am	Recap
10 am - 12.30 noon	Tragedy of the Common Pole Game Environmental Challenges: Tragedy of the Collective Sadaf Hussain This session aims to demonstrate how most environmental problems are the result of the tragedy of the collective (Garret Hardin), which is in turn caused by poorly defined property rights. It will provide potential market solutions to common environmental problems.
12.30 noon - 1.30 pm	Lunch
1.30 - 3.30 pm	Public Choice: Benefits and Costs of Collective Action Prashant Narang This session introduces the field of Public Choice Economics which uses the insights of economics to explain political processes such as elections and bureaucracy. It explains that the probability of "market failure" must be compared with the probability of "government failure" in order to make rational choices about what should be done by governments and markets.
3.30 - 4.00 pm	Break
4.00 - 5.30 pm	Free Trade: A Shift in Culture Amir Ullah Khan This session aims to introduce the institutions that make up "economic freedom" and its correlation with development indicators.

Day 3: 8 January 2017

9.30 am	Recap
10 - 10.30 am	Koosh Game
10.30 am - 12.00 noon	Socratic Dialogue: Use of Knowledge in the Society
12.00 noon - 1.00 pm	Lunch
1.00 - 2.30 pm	New Public Management Amit Chandra This session explores how principles of business management can be applied to the field of public administration, thereby increasing accountability, transparency and efficiency in government functioning.
2.30 - 3.30 pm	Break
3.00 -4.30 pm	The Mind of the Indian Liberal Hindol Sengupta Tracing the evolution of liberalism in India, with a focus the era before 1947, this would provide an overview of the form liberal thought took in the country. Liberal thought beginning the second half of the 20th century is relatively better known, with the emergence of the Swatantra Party and prominent liberals like Shenoy and Masani. The chapter, thus, would focus on liberal thought before 1947 and around the time of indendence. The author can look at the Constituent Assembly debates and liberal publications like 'The Indian Libertarian' and can analyze the circumstances that led to the adoption of socialism in the country (The 1955 Avadhi Session of Congress, for instance, in which the Congress adopted Socialism to be its goal)
4.30 - 4.45 pm	Break
4.45 - 5.30 pm	Graduation

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