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<u>Centre to develop labour index of skilled manpower :</u>
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Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.54, No.42, October 19, 2019

 <u>NITI Aayog's Health Index : Missing the Rigour, By –</u> Subir K.Kole

ABSTRACT

Based on a critical review of the NITI Aayog's recently published "Healthy States, Progressive India," it is argued that the report provides only a superficial insight into the overall health attainment. Much deeper and careful analysis is required if one aims to unfold the complexity and varied contexts provided by Indian states, let alone ranking them on health attainment. The method of calculating the index in the report compromises scientific rigour, and the inferences drawn are highly misleading.

Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.54, No.41, October 12, 2019

 <u>The Power and Gender of Policy Credibility</u>, Written by – <u>Avinash Persaud</u>

Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.54, No.41, October 12, 2019

 <u>Livelihood Crisis and Distress : Seasonal Migration in</u> <u>Beed District of Maharashtra, Written by – Abdul Jaleel</u> <u>CP & Aparajita Chattopadyay</u>

<u>ABSTRACT</u>

After sowing the rabi crops, villages in Maharashtra are faced with severe seasonal unemployment. To tide over the lean season, thousands of small and marginal peasant households migrate to other districts of the state, and even outside, in search of livelihood opportunities in sugar factories and brick kilns. Seasonal migration compensates for the lack of employment opportunities during the dry season and reduces seasonal income variability of the poor households in Beed district.

Indian Journal of Industrial Relations - Vol.55, No.1, 2019

 Women Workers and Industrial Relations in Tea Estates of Assam, Written by – Mridusmita Duara & Sambit Mallick

ABSTRACT

Women account for more than fifty percent of the total workforce of the tea plantation industry in Assam. Yet they remain marginalized in many aspects of the tea industry.This study attempts to analyze the current state of tea industry in Assam against the backdrop of sexual division of labor, role of patriarchy, trade unions, sexual abuses and subordination of women in tea estates. It examines the intersectionality of gender and class and workplace inequalities and the industrial relations scenario in the tea estates. Negligible role of the State and low social welfare activities can be identified as one of the major causes of pathetic work conditions, especially of the health hazards of women workers.

South Asia Economic Journal, September 25, 2019

 <u>Dimensions of Informality in Bangladesh Labour Market</u> and the Consequent Wage Penalty, By – Mustafizur Rahman, Debapriya Bhattacharya & Md Al-Hasan

ABSTRACT

The article examines the various dimensions and underlying causes of informal employment in the Bangladesh labour market and the associated wage penalty. Based on labour force survey data for successive points, we trace the dynamics of employment in Bangladesh along the informal–formal divide over time. Given that wage differential remains a key feature concerning the two market segments, we have carried out mean and quantile decomposition exercises to estimate the wage penalty originating from informality.

South Asia Economic Journal - September 25, 2019

 <u>Revisiting the Role of Private Schooling on Children</u> <u>Learning Outcomes : Evidence from Rural India, By –</u> <u>Karan Singhal & Upasak Das</u>

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