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Times of India - December 3, 2019

India's demographic might under threat, By – Sanjay
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 <u>92.9% cases of crime against women pending in city</u> <u>courts, By – Saurabh Trivedi</u>

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Times of India - November 26, 2019

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 Explained : The laws on rape and sexual crimes, By – Soibam Rocky Singh

Tribune India - December 8, 2019

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• Has India failed its women?, By – K.V. Dhananjay

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• Building better workplaces, By – Vandita Morarka

The Hindu - November 27, 2019

• Negotiating the faultlines, By - Vaishna Roy

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Indian Express - December 2, 2019

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• <u>Why are there objections to the Transgender Persons</u> <u>Bill?, By – Ramya Kannan</u> Indian Express - December 1, 2019

 Transgenders' Bill 2019 denies the community to decide their own identity – a right granted by the SC, By – A.Revathi

The Statesman - December 1, 2019

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Business Insider - November 27, 2019

• <u>Transgenders want to identify their own gender but law</u> now says they need a certificate, By – Prerna Sindwani

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Live Mint - December 4, 2019

 What is gender pay gap and why is it so wide in India?, By – Nilanjana Chakraborty

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Telegraph India - November 27, 2019

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Business Insider India - November 26, 2019

• <u>More women are drawing salaries in India but the gender</u> <u>pay gap persists</u>, <u>By – Prerna Sindwani</u>

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How Can We make Urban Spaces Safer for Women?, By
<u>– Manjima Misra</u>

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Survey finds top career return challenges for Indian
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Women's Agency

Indian Express - November 28, 2019

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The Hindu Business Line - December 6, 2019

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Live Mint - Dcember 3, 2019

New Delhi warms up to labour market reforms

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 <u>A full-blown unemployment crisis is looming</u>, <u>By –</u> <u>Faheem Usmani Qasmi</u>

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 Why using principal status to conclude formal jobs are rising is erroneous, By – Santosh Mehrotra & Jajati K.Parida

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 Unemployment nearly doubled between 2013-14 & 2017-<u>18</u>

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• Survey to identify 'the real unemployed'

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Unemployment Rate in Rural Areas Almost Doubled
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Business Today - November 28, 2019

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Times of India - November 28, 2019

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• <u>The results of the NSO survey 2017-18 are truly bizarre,</u> <u>By – Surjit S.Bhalla</u>

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India's jobs crisis is far worse than what unemployment
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 <u>High education to blame for rising unemployment? How</u> <u>higher studies catalyse joblessness</u>, <u>By – Samrat</u> <u>Sharma</u>

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<u>Rise in salaried workers, women fare better : NSO</u>

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 India's urban unemployment rate drops to 9.3% in Jan-Mar 2019 : Govt Data

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Daily Pioneer - December 2, 2019

<u>The gig economy is getting stronger, By – Meenal</u>
<u>Sharma Jagtap</u>

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Times of India - December 7, 2019

 In a first, a new labour code for trans-staff, By – Nandini Sen Gupta

Times of India - December 5, 2019

• Cabinet approves 4<sup>th</sup> labour code on social security

Business Standard - November 29, 2019

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The Hindu - November 25, 2019

 <u>The broken promise of decent and fair wages, By –</u> Chandan Kumar & Raghunath Kuchik

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Financial Express - December 6, 2019

 Foundational Learning : Let's not delay the NEP, By – Ashish Dawan

Hindustan Times - December 5, 2019

<u>New education policy to make education employment</u>
<u>oriented : Union HRD Minister</u>

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 Education in India : Bridging the Gaps, By – Neelam Gupta

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 <u>Uneducated India : Education goes from bad to worse ;</u> <u>dismal situation at elementary and high levels, By –</u> <u>Prachi Gupta</u>

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Daily Pioneer - November 25, 2019

<u>A pregnant silence on reproductive rights of women</u>, <u>By</u>
<u>Prabhleen Tuteja</u>

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India Spend - December 5, 2019

<u>Maternity Benefits : What Centre Can Learn from Tamil</u>
<u>Nadu, Odisha, By – Sana Ali</u>

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 <u>Are We Allowing Fathers to Be Equal Parents?</u>, By – <u>Rucha Satoor</u>

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The Wire - December 5, 2019

 Has India's Rural Poverty Rate Increased in the Last Six Years?

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Business Standard - November 28, 2019

• <u>Reporting child marriages may become mandatory, govt</u> <u>mulling changes in law</u>

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Times of India - December 7, 2019

<u>MGNREGA wages in state not paid for two months</u>

Times of India - December 1, 2019

<u>MGNREGA : Rejected payment worth Rs.45 crore yet to</u>
<u>be paid</u>

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• India needs to rethink Master Planning – and Delhi can

lead the way, By - Shalini Sinha & Malavika Narayan

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Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.54, No.48, December 7, 2019

 <u>ICDS Striving for Holistic Development : Insights from a</u> <u>Field Study in Uttar Pradesh, By – Nomita P.Kumar</u> [Full Article downloadable]

### ABSTRACT

As a national flagship programme, the Integrated Child Development Services is well conceived. However, more attention has been paid to increasing its coverage than to improving the quality of service delivery, and to distributing food rather than changing existing family-based food habits and care giving. This inertia has resulted in poor outcomes. Past studies have reiterated Uttar Pradesh's status as an incorrigible offender. Drawing on findings from field surveys administered in nine districts in UP and data from 90 anganwadis, the constraints to the effective functioning of the ICDS are revealed

Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.54, No.48, December 7, 2019

<u>Education is a Right, Not a Commodity, By – Subin</u>
<u>Dennis</u> [Full Article downloadable]

#### ABSTRACT

The students of the Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, have been waging an agitation for nearly a month now demanding the rollback of hiked hostel fees. That education is a right and not a commodity has been asserted by the democratic student movement for long.

Journal of Industrial Relations - Vol.61, No.4, September, 2019

• <u>The Organization and Experience of Work in the Gig</u> <u>Economy</u>, By – Sarah Kaine & Emmanuel Josserand

### <u>ABSTRACT</u>

The gig economy has captured public and policy interest and is growing as an area of academic inquiry, prompting debate about the future of work, labour regulation, and the impact of technology and job quality. This special issue provides a timely intervention into that debate with this article providing an introductory overview, positioning the articles within a comprehensive literature review of existing scholarship on the gig economy. These articles add to our understanding of the organisation and experience of work in the digitally enabled gig economy in a variety of national settings.

The International Journal of Indian Psychology - Vol.7, No.3, July – September, 2019

 <u>Relationship between Family Environment and</u> <u>Adjustment among Adolescence of Delhi Region, Written</u> <u>by – Ms. Neha Madan</u> [Full Article downloadable]

#### ABSTRACT

Adolescents comprise nearly one-fifth of the total population of India. It is a transitional stage from childhood to adulthood and is a time of major changes in all areas of functioning. It is a period demanding significant adjustment to the physical and social changes which distinguish childhood behaviour from adult behaviour. Adolescents are facing multitude of problems throughout the world. Adolescents suffer from different maladjustment problems at one time or the other during their development and during this period there is need for cohesive family environment as family is the most important part of the child's environment. In opinion of researches conducted related to adolescence the present study was conducted to examine the relationship between family environment and adjustment level of adolescence. The objectives for the study were: To study relationship between family environment and adjustment levels among adolescence and to identify the relationship between gender and adjustment levels among adolescence. The sample for the study comprised of 100 senior secondary students selected through random samling from two private schools located in east Delhi.

The International Journal of Indian Psychology - Vol.7, No.3, July – September, 2019

 Influence of Socio-Economic Status on Depression, Anxiety and Stress among Rural Adolescent Girls, By – Shilpa R & Dr. Kondandarama [Full Article downloadable]

#### ABSTRACT

The present study aims to study how socio-economic status of the adolescent girls in rural areas affect their psychological status with reference to depression, anxiety and stress. A total of 414 adolescent girls were randomly selected. They were administered SES scale developed by Meenakshi (2004) and DASS scale by Lovibond and Lovibond (1995), which measured depression, anxiety and stress of an individual. One way ANOVA was employed to find out the significance of mean differences between adolescent girls with varied SES background on depression, anxiety and stress. Results revealed that SES had significant influence over depression scores of adolescent girls, where adolescent girls in poor SES had least depression scores and those who with below average SES had highest depression scores and others in between. SES did not have significant

influence over anxiety of adolescent girls belonging to rural areas. In the case of stress, though not statistically significant, comparatively those adolescent girls in poor SES had least stress compared to the adolescent girls in rest of the SES groups.

Feminism & Psychology - Vol.29, No.4, November, 2019

• <u>This is (still) a man's world : Young professional</u> women's identity struggles in gendered workplaces, Written by – Nilima Chowdhury & Kerry Gibson

#### <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Recent research has documented the rise of neoliberal and postfeminist sensibilities within young women's sense-making and accounting activities in western countries – exemplified by the image of the "top girl". Yet workplaces remain structured by male power and patriarchal norms. In this qualitative focus group study conducted in Auckland, New Zealand, we investigated how young professional women negotiate the contradictions between the "top girl" mode and gendered workplaces in their accounts of workplace difficulties. Our aim was to explore the affective dimension of participants' identity struggles and to discuss possible implications for thinking about young professional women's experiences of emotional distress.

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• <u>The Big Conversation : Handbook to Address Violence</u> against Women in and through the Media

Save the Children Report 2019

<u>Changing Lives in Our Lifetime – Global Childhood</u>
<u>Report 2019</u>

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