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ABSTRACT

Much has been said and written about the impact of the COVID-19 lockdown on the Indian economy, the stimulus packages announced by the Government of India and the sad plight of the migrant workers. This article brings into focus segments of the economy that constitute the bottom of the labour hierarchy, namely microenterprises, construction workers, street vendors and domestic workers. Will the relief measure help refigure their livelihoods after the lockdown is lifted?

Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.55, No.51, Dec 26, 2020

- [After Breakdown : Invisibility and the Labour of Infrastructure Maintenance, Written by - Nikhil Anand](#)

ABSTRACT

This paper builds on the work of Steven Jackson to theorise the breakdowns of hydraulic infrastructure not as exception, but as an ordinary condition of living with

infrastructure. Rather than take breakdown to be an interruption in the life of infrastructures, it is suggested that breakdowns be read as an initial condition from which new infrastructures emerge through the labour of maintenance and repair. Drawing attention to the extraordinary labour of plumbers, municipal employees and engineers, the paper argues that the invisibilities of infrastructure are themselves contingent on the invisibilisation and subjugation of maintenance workers, who are placed beyond sight to regularly and constantly work to make water flow again.

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- [Keeping Cities in Motion : An Introduction to the Labours of Repair and Maintenance in South Asia, Written by - Nausheen H Anwar & Malini Sur](#)

ABSTRACT

As the cities in South Asia transform into global or “world-class” cities, the lives of those who construct, repair, and maintain these cities are changing. In this collection of articles on repair and maintenance in South Asia, we foreground how the repairers and maintainers of Kolkata, Karachi, and Mumbai—including bicycle and construction machinery repairers, and waste removal and health workers—experience and contribute to the changing urban landscape.

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Gender Technology and Development - Vol.24, No.3, 2020

- [Gender, time use, and food consumption in India, Written by – Poulomi Roy](#)

ABSTRACT

To understand the intrahousehold distribution of calorie, we consider daily calorie consumption and daily calorie expenditure by an individual. This paper uses information obtained from a 24-h recall dietary survey and a time use survey, and a face-to-face questionnaire survey of poor urban individuals in India. We find gender discrimination in the intrahousehold allocation of food and distribution of work over a 24-h period. Combined domestic and market work of a sample wife is 2 h 22 min longer than her husband in a day. The results strongly suggest that wives are overburdened with unpaid household activities, and they are not getting their due share in consumption compared to their husbands. Chronic energy input deficiency is significantly 186.30 kcal points higher in wives than their husbands.

Gender Technology and Development - Vol.24, No.3, 2020

- [Leaking the secret: women's attitudes toward menstruation and menstrual-tracker mobile apps, Written by – Sydney Lutz & Gayathri Sivakumar](#)

ABSTRACT

This study explored how menstrual-tracker mobile apps have characteristics

that reflect menstruation as a taboo in the U.S. culture. Objectification theory and gender schema theory provided a conceptual and overarching framework to explore how the U.S. sociocultural context may play a role in the development of norms and assumptions surrounding menstruation, and in turn, menstrual-tracker mobile apps reflecting society's norms and assumptions about menstruation as a taboo. A dearth of literature exists about menstrual-tracker mobile apps as cultural products, and an online survey was conducted among a convenience sample of female undergraduate students ($n=258$) to investigate if a correlation exists between their attitudes toward menstruation as a taboo and menstrual-tracker mobile apps' concealment features, self-control features, and sharing features.

Feminist Economics - Vol.26, No.4, 2020

- [Markets and Spillover Effects of Political Institutions in Promoting Women's Empowerment: Evidence From India, Written by – Vivek Pandey, Shyam Singh & Jeemol Unni](#)

ABSTRACT

This study presents fresh evidence that market interventions aimed at empowering women are more effective in the presence of formal political institutions, using the case of political reservations for women in Indian local governments. It uses data from 2,423 households in 100 Indian villages and accounts for endogeneity through the instrumental variable method to investigate women engaged in the Indian dairy sector following the implementation of India's National Dairy Plan, which seeks to connect women with formal retail markets. Results suggest that while markets provide "passive" forms of agency to women, political representation can transition this to "active" forms of agency, allowing women to exhibit purposeful behavior.

Feminist Economics - Vol.26, No.4, 2020

- [Exploring the Linkages Between Women's Paid and](#)

[Unpaid Work and Their Experiences of Intimate Partner and Non-Partner Violence in Nepal, Written by – Neetu A.John](#)

ABSTRACT

Economic bargaining models contend that women's paid work reduces violence experienced due to increased bargaining power, while male backlash models argue that violence is likely to increase as the traditional male breadwinner role is threatened. The empirical linkages between women working for pay and experiencing men's violence are also mixed. This study examines the association between women's paid work participation and their experiences of intimate partner violence (IPV) and non-partner violence (NPV). It uses multivariate probit regressions to analyze survey data from 937 randomly selected women members of cooperative societies spanning the seven districts of Nepal.

Feminist Economics - Vol.26, No.4, 2020

- [Time Heals all Wounds? a Capabilities Approach for Analyzing Intimate Partner Violence, Written by - Jacqueline Strenio](#)

ABSTRACT

The capabilities approach has redefined what constitutes economic well-being and is now used globally to track progress in human development. Yet, its application in examining violence against women has been limited to identification of impacts on universal capabilities and protective or risk factors for violence. This study examines the long-term consequences of intimate partner violence as capability deprivations. This framework allows for a more complete articulation of the costs faced by survivors. Additionally, this approach allows for consideration of the temporal dimension of capability deprivations associated with intimate partner violence.

- [Compliance and resistance: An investigation into the construction of gender identities by Pakistani women on Facebook, Written by - Rauha Salam](#)

ABSTRACT

Facebook has recently gained popularity among young, digitally literate and predominantly urban Pakistanis. Such social networking sites allow users the freedom to express themselves using usernames, visuals and topics of their own choice. In this article, I examine how Pakistani Facebook users mobilize such resources in their identity work. Using Multimodal Discourse Analysis, I investigate how Pakistani women construct their gender identities on Facebook using visual and linguistic resources.

- [Negotiating femininity, motherhood and beauty: Experiences of Pakistani women breast cancer patients, Written by - Taskeen Mansoor & Saadia Abid](#)

ABSTRACT

Breasts are a symbol of femininity, sexuality and maternity and therefore play a role in the way breast cancer is perceived by society. Goffman in 1963 sees stigma such as arising out of disease, by noting that people with socially undesirable characteristics have "spoiled identity" that leads to social discrimination and devaluation. This qualitative feminist ethnographic study explores understanding of breast cancer in a patriarchal setup and the stigma arising out of it. Here I use the six dimensions of stigma as a theoretical framework, as defined by Jones, Scott and Markus. After approval of an ethics committee, 37 research participants (22 patients who had undergone mastectomy and 15 caregivers) were included in the study sample. The data collected via in-depth interviews/focus group discussions was examined thematically.

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