

MADRAS SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS
(Institution of Special Importance)



3rd SUMMER TRAINING PROGRAM IN PUBLIC FINANCE

(30th June – 11th July, 2025)

Centre for Public Finance (CPF), MSE



MSE, Gandhi Mandapam Road, Chennai, 600025

LAST DATE TO APPLY: June 9, 2025

For details, please write to cpf@mse.ac.in

About the Program

The Government of Tamil Nadu has established the Centre for Public Finance (CPF) at the MSE. The CPF has a strong focus in theoretical and empirical issues on public finance. It undertakes both theoretical and applied research relating to fiscal management at the union, State, and local levels. CPF also organizes Annual Conference and Training programme in Public Finance.

The Centre for Public Finance at Madras School of Economics is pleased to announce its Third Summer Training program from June 30 – July 11, 2025. The objective of this workshop is to cover major topics related to Public Economics, and its applications. By attending this conference, the young faculty and research scholars specialized in economics and management and government officials will get thorough understanding of both theory and applications of public finance issues specifically in the Indian context.

The lectures will be delivered by eminent scholars and practitioners from the field.

Topics to be covered:

- Normative Approach to Public Finance
- Market Failure and Role of Government
- Theory of Public Good
- Theory of Taxation
- Theory of Public Debt, and Public Debt Sustainability
- Theory of Fiscal Federalism
- Central and State Government Finances
- Financing Human Development and Social Sector Policy
- Indirect Tax Reforms (GST)
- Finance Commission Transfers in India and Equalisation Transfers
- Environment and Cost Benefit Analysis
- Government Subsidies
- Fiscal vs Macro policy and Monetary policy
- Tamil Nadu State Finances

About MSE

Madras School of Economics (MSE) is an institution of special importance in Economics, Allied Subjects, and Management. Dr. Raja J. Chelliah with the support of a few prominent industrialists and academicians established the Madras School of Economics on September 23, 1993. Dr. C. Rangarajan, Former Chairman of Economic Advisory Council of Prime Minister of India and Former Governor of Reserve Bank of India is currently the Chairman of MSE. Dr N R Bhanumurthy is the Director of MSE.

Currently MSE offers five M.A. Degree Programs in General Economics, Financial Economics, Actuarial Economics, Applied Quantitative Finance and Environment Economics along with two MBA programs in Finance and Research & Business Analytics, MSc in Data Science and 5-year Integrated MA in Economics with exit option in 3 years for BA (Honors) and 4-year with BA (Honors with Research). It also offers both full time and part time Ph.D. programs in Economics and Management.

Who Should Apply

Faculty members and registered Ph. D scholars of academic institutions and Government officials.

How to Apply

To apply for the program, interested candidates are required to submit the following documents via email to cpf@mse.ac.in:

1. Completed application form (Please find the application form in the MSE website)
2. Letter of permission to attend the course/ No Objection Certificate (NOC) from the Competent Authority/ PhD Supervisor/ Head of Department
3. Updated CV (maximum 3 pages)
4. A Statement of Purpose (One page write-up stating the relevance of this program for you).

Important Information & Dates

Venue: MSE Campus, Chennai

Program Dates: June 30 – July 11, 2025

Course fee: NIL

Last date to Apply: June 9, 2025

Last date for notifying short listed candidates:
June 12, 2025

Please submit your applications to: cpf@mse.ac.in

Travel and Accommodation

Participants' travel costs will be reimbursed by MSE not exceeding rail fare (shortest route Three tier - AC).

Accommodation on sharing basis and food will be provided for participants free of charge.

Certification

On completion of the program, participants will receive a certificate of participation from Centre for Public Finance (CPF).

Contact Us

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