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**The Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE)
and the Institute of Economic Growth (IEG)**

cordially invite you to the

Felicitation Function

to confer the

INSEE Lifetime Achievement Award

upon

Professor Kanchan Chopra

(Former Director and Professor, IEG;
Founder President, INSEE;
Founder Editor,
Ecology, Economy and Society –
The INSEE Journal)



*In recognition of
her outstanding
contribution to the
field of ecological
economics and
related areas.*

On this occasion, a Special Lecture will be delivered by

Professor Charles Perrings

(Emeritus Professor of Environmental
Economics, School of Life Sciences, Arizona
State University, USA)



on

**“Trade, Aid and Plague:
The Changing World
Order and Emerging
Infectious Disease Risks”**

The function will be held in Hybrid Mode.



Venue

: Shri Ramakrishna Hall, Institute
of Economic Growth, Delhi



Time & Date

: 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM (IST),
5th August 2026



Registration Link

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Registration to end on August 2, 2026

**The Indian Society for Ecological Economics (INSEE)
and the Institute of Economic Growth (IEG)**

PROGRAM (4.30 – 6.30 PM IST)

Time	Remarks
4:30–4:35 PM	Introduction to INSEE & Lifetime Achievement Award by Prof. Saudamini Das, President, INSEE
4:35–4:40 PM	Welcome Remarks by Prof. Sabyasachi Kar, Director, IEG
4:40–5:20 PM	<i>Introducing Kanchan Chopra, the awardee</i> Global impact of a pioneer ecological economist – Pushpam Kumar, Professor, Sussex University, UK and Former Chief Environmental Economist, UNEP (4:40-4:50) Contribution to South Asia (SANDEE) – Priya Shyamsunder, the Nature Conservancy, USA (4.50 – 4.55) Contribution in India (INSEE & EES-the INSEE journal) – Nandan Nawn, Jawaharlal Nehru University (4.55 – 5.05) A colleague, a mentor, and a family person – Seema Purushothaman (former INSEE President), Bibhu Prasad Nayak (Vice President, INSEE), and Piyush Chopra (Entrepreneur) (5.05-5.20)
5:20–5:30 PM	Award Presentation, Prof. Saudamini Das
	Acceptance Speech, Prof. Kanchan Chopra
5:30 PM onwards	Special Lecture: 'Trade, Aid and Plague: The Changing World Order and Emerging Infectious Disease Risks' Moderator: Pranab Mukhopadhyay, Former INSEE President and Professor, Goa University Speaker: Charles Perrings, Emeritus Professor of Environmental Economics, School of Life Sciences, Arizona State University, USA.
6:25–6:30 PM	Vote of Thanks, Chandra Sekhar Bahinipati, Secretary, INSEE
6:30 PM onwards- High Tea	