




## Speakers Profile

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1.		Prof. Sridhar Telidevara Associate Professor, DMI Patna	Welcoming the participants and overview of the workshop by the coordinator (11:45AM to 11:55AM)	Dr. Sridhar Telidevara holds a Ph.D from State University of New York, University at Buffalo. He has several years of experience in the steel industry, developmental research and teaching experience prior to joining DMI. His primary research interests are livelihoods monitoring and evaluation, discrete choice modelling and financial inclusion. His teaching interests include Production and Operations Management, Research Methods, and Developmental Economics. He has published three papers in international journals and contributed three chapters to a book on Micro-finance: Challenges and Opportunities. He is interested in Livelihood Promotion through Skill Development and Social Entrepreneurship, and Health Care.

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2		<p>Prof. Shankar Purbey Associate Professor, DMI Patna</p>	<p><i>Case Presentation :</i> Evaluation of Mid-Day Meal Kitchens in Bihar (12:00 to 01:00PM)</p>	<p>Dr Shankar Purbey, holds PhD in Industrial Engineering &amp; Management from IIT Dhanbad. Prior to joining DMI, he was associated with IIM Shillong for more than ten years. He has more than 15 years of industry, teaching and research experience. He was awarded the National Doctoral Fellowship by AICTE while pursuing his PhD. He has international publications to his credit and has presented papers in various National and International conferences. He was also extensively involved in consultancies assignment including executive training programs for both government and non-governmental organization. He has coordinated more than fifteen executive training programs and three certificate courses. Certificate courses include course on Tourism &amp; Hospitality Management and Quality Assurance in Healthcare delivery. In the area of Project Management alone he has conducted more than ten executive training programs for clients like Oil India, AEDC Ltd., NERCORMP, MCS officers, Ministry of DoNER, Indian Oil, Ministry of Heavy Industry -CPSEs and SLPEs, and Animal Husbandry &amp; Veterinary department Meghalaya.</p>

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1.		<p>Prof. Sridhar Telidevara Associate Professor, DMI Patna</p>	<p><i>Case Presentation</i> : End Term Evaluation of a CSR funded project implemented by an NGO (02:00PM to 03:00PM)</p>	<p>Dr. Sridhar Telidevara holds a Ph.D from State University of New York, University at Buffalo. He has several years of experience in the steel industry, developmental research and teaching experience prior to joining DMI. His primary research interests are livelihoods monitoring and evaluation, discrete choice modelling and financial inclusion. His teaching interests include Production and Operations Management, Research Methods, and Developmental Economics. He has published three papers in international journals and contributed three chapters to a book on Micro-finance: Challenges and Opportunities. He is interested in Livelihood Promotion through Skill Development and Social Entrepreneurship, and Health Care.</p>
		<p>Prof. Amrita Dhiman Assistant Professor, DMI Patna</p>	<p><i>Case Presentation:</i> Evidence based promotion of a green technology for rural communities (03:30PM to 04:30PM)</p>	<p>Prof. Amrita Dhiman is an academican with considerable industry experience and understanding of real-life situations at farm level having worked with corporates and government institutions for more than seven years. Currently, actively involved in teaching, research, consultancy, and capacity building activities at the DMI. She is a Post-Graduate in Agri-Business Management from VAMNICOM, Pune, and a Graduate in Agriculture from G. B. Pant University of Agriculture and Technology, Pantnagar. She is a recipient of Chancellor's Gold Medal as the best all-round graduating student of GBPAUT. She is also the Gold Medalist for the outstanding level of study at VAMNICOM.</p>



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				<p>She has the experience of working with State Bank of India in Agri finance and as a research analyst for Agri commodities with Karvy Comtrade Ltd at Hyderabad. While working with Mahindra &amp; Mahindra, she was involved in strategic planning, implementation, corporate communication, marketing, and branding activities. She was involved in many government programmes and schemes like MGNREGA, IAY, SBM, PMAGY, NSAP, etc. as a Prime Minister's Rural Development Fellow under the Ministry of Rural Development in Bihar. She played a lead role in documenting the initiatives taken up for improved governance and outreach. Articles and reports written by her about these initiatives have been published in government newsletters/websites. A number of her analytical reports have been published in Invest &amp; Harvest &amp; The Finapolis, The Hindu Business Line, and EPW.</p> <p>As a faculty at DMI, she now handles courses on agri-business management, public policy, local governance, etc. She is also in-charge of admissions at DMI and is actively involved in the action research "Empowering Panchayats towards Participatory Governance". She is leading many ongoing projects in the field of agriculture and related issues.</p>
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