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**Professor (Dr.) Milindo Chakrabarti
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Professor and Associate Dean, Jindal School of Government and Public Policy

We are deeply saddened to announce the untimely demise of Professor (Dr.) Milindo Chakrabarti, Professor and Associate Dean, Jindal School of Government and Public Policy. Professor Chakrabarti passed away this morning due to ongoing health-related concerns.

Professor (Dr.) Milindo Chakrabarti had a distinguished academic career spanning over **27 years**, specializing in **Microeconomics, International Trade and Business, Environmental Economics, Indian Economy, and Development Economics**, both nationally and internationally.

In addition to his long-standing teaching career, Dr. Chakrabarti had **27 years of research experience** and authored numerous research papers, articles, and books published in India and abroad. He delivered lectures at prestigious institutions such as **Indiana University, Bloomington; University of Southern California, Los Angeles; Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad; and the Entrepreneurship Development Institute, Gandhinagar.**

Dr. Chakrabarti possessed extensive experience in **policy development and practice**, with deep expertise across sectors including **natural resources, social development, rural development, environmental studies, governance, and institutional development.** He travelled widely across India on academic and research assignments and internationally to countries including **Bangladesh, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Thailand, China, Kenya, the United States, Canada, the United Kingdom, France, Italy, Portugal, Egypt, and Turkey.**

He also served as a consultant to several organizations, including **various Ministries of the Government of India, the Planning Commission, the World Bank, UNDP, IFAD, and the British Council.**

Among his professional affiliations, Dr. Chakrabarti was a **Member of the Western Economic Association International (USA), Executive Director of the Development Evaluation Society of India (DESI), and a Member of the Network of Networks on Impact Evaluation (NONIE).**

Professor (Dr.) Milindo Chakrabarti was a valued and beloved member of the **JS GP, JGU family** and will be deeply missed. He will be remembered for his immense contributions to academia, policy research, and for his generous guidance and mentorship to students and colleagues alike.

Our deepest condolences and thoughts are with his family, friends, and all those whose lives Dr. Chakrabarti touched.