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# *New Book Alerts*

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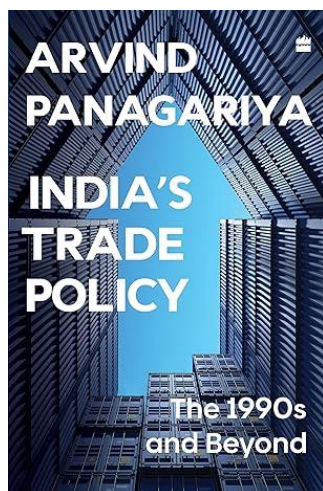
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## **1. India's Trade Policy: The 1990s and Beyond/Arvind Panagariya**



In 1991, India began the process of liberalizing the economy. But it has been gradual-even import licensing (on consumer goods) was not fully removed till 2001. Between 1991 and 2023, tariff liberalization was reversed twice-first between 1996-1997 to 1999-2000 and then from 2018-2019 onwards. Anti-dumping was also used extensively to exclude the imports of specific products from the most competitive sources.

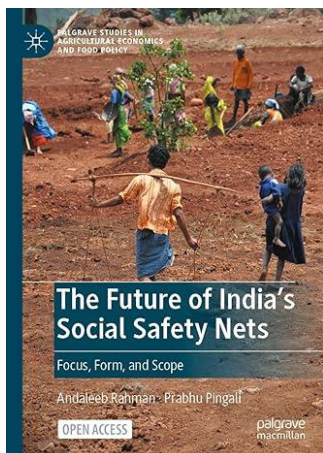
Economist and chairperson of the Sixteenth Finance Commission Arvind Panagariya has closely observed the Indian economy over decades and written extensively about it. In this book, he has collected his writings from 1989 to the present day to provide an overview of the Indian economy from when liberalization started to where it has reached. The chapters in this book offer a window to the history of trade-policy changes, the factors driving them and their implications for the country's development and well-being.

**Pub: Harper Collins**

**Accession No: 158423**

**Call No: 381.30954 P187I**

## **2.The Future of India's Social safety Nets Focus, Forum, and Scope/ Andaleeb Rahman**



India has learned what to do and what not to do when it comes to implementing policy to address human suffering. The COVID-19 pandemic unified the international response in similar ways, and the world has a lot to learn about key initiatives in India that have been implemented since India's independence. This open-access book includes key learnings about the conceptualization, design, and impact of social welfare programs in India spanning more than a 75-year period.

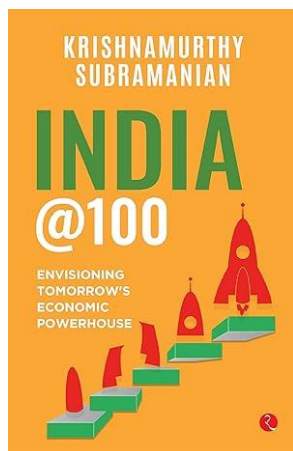
The Future of India's Social Safety Nets provides a comprehensive analysis of these systems by combining insights from a wealth of interdisciplinary scholarship on social protection, economic development, and social policy. It covers India's social development in terms of three essential aspects of policy design: focus (intended beneficiaries), form (transfer modalities), and scope (developmental objectives). Highlighting the developmental achievements and shortcomings of the myriad of social welfare schemes, this book proposes a framework to foster human resilience through social protection.

**Pub: Palgrave Macmillan**

**Accession No:158425**

**Call No: 361.90954 R147F**

**3.India@100 Envisioning Tomorrow's Economic Powerhouse/  
Krishnamurthy Subramanian**



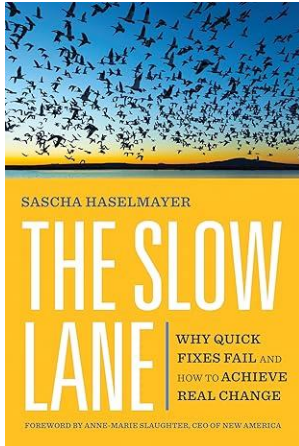
In *India@100: Envisioning Tomorrow's Economic Powerhouse*, Krishnamurthy Subramanian explores this once-in-several-centuries opportunity knocking on India's doors. With a bold vision grounded in Indian realities, *India@100* argues compellingly that India is at an inflection point that cannot be ignored. The country can grow at 8 per cent annually by reforming the economy zealously and doubling down on the sound policies implemented post 2014. Since 2007, when its GDP per capita was equal to India's current level, China exploited its demographic dividend to grow at about 8 percent for about two decades. Similar growth for the next two decades will make India a \$55 trillion economy by 2047. Through meticulous research and insightful analysis, Subramanian explores four key pillars to propel India's growth: (i) macroeconomic emphasis on growth; (ii) microeconomic focus on social and economic inclusion; (iii) a vision of ethical wealth creation; and (iv) a strategy of a virtuous cycle triggered by investment. Within each pillar, he comprehensively covers the policy choices and the areas that require reform.

**Pub: Rupa**

**Accession No:158424**

**Call No:339.20954 S941I**

**4.The Slow Lane: Why Quick Fixes Fail and How to Achieve Real Change/  
Sascha Haselmayer**



Society celebrates leaders who promise fast, easy solutions to the world’s problems—but quick fixes are just mirages that fade, leaving us with the same broken systems. The truth is, effective social change happens through slow, intentional actions. The author, a globally acclaimed social entrepreneur, offers a 5-step process for taking the slow lane to change—the lane that gets you to the right place faster:

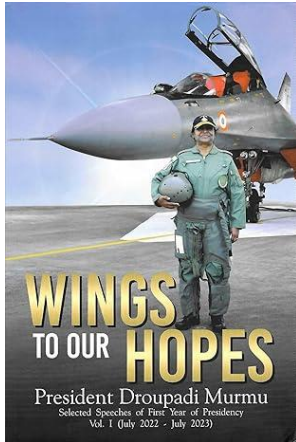
- Listening—Listen to build trust, which can change hearts and minds and allow for something new to emerge.
- Holding the urgency—Accept that even in moments of crisis you can move only at the speed of trust instead of rushing into action.
- Sharing the agency—Create an inclusive environment where everyone can lead.
- Healing democracy—Build bridges that allow marginalized people to participate.
- Maintaining curiosity—Be inspired by nontraditional sources. Using dozens of examples—prison reform in England, urban development in Venezuela, healthcare in the Navajo Nation, early childhood education in New York, and many more— The Slow Lane shows how, by following the principles taught in this book, readers can create lasting change

**Accession No:158420**

**Pub: Berrett-Koehler**

**Call No: 303.4 H347S**

**5.Wings to Our Hopes Selected Speeches of President Droupadi Murmu/  
Ministry of Information and Broadcasting**



In the first year of her Presidency, Smt. Droupadi Murmu, the 15th President of the Republic of India developed a warm connect with people belonging to various sections and regions of the country. The President has interacted with Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups, women Self-Help Groups and women entrepreneurs during most of her visits to states and union territories. This volume containing her speeches during the first year of her Presidency is a reflection of the growing awareness, participation and determination of the citizens of the world's largest democracy.

**Pub: Ministry of Information and Broadcasting**

**Call No: 320.5 I39W**

**Accession No:158421**

**6.Aashaon ki Udan Rashtrapati Droupadi Murmu ki Pramukh Bhashan/  
Prasaran Mantralay**



As the 15th President of the Republic of India, Smt. Draupadi Murmu, in the first year of her tenure, developed a strong connect with people from different sections and regions of the country. During most of his visits to States and Union Territories, the President has met particularly with Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTG groups), women self-help groups and women entrepreneurs. This book of speeches from the first year of his presidency is a reflection of the growing awareness, participation and determination of the citizens of the world's largest democracy.

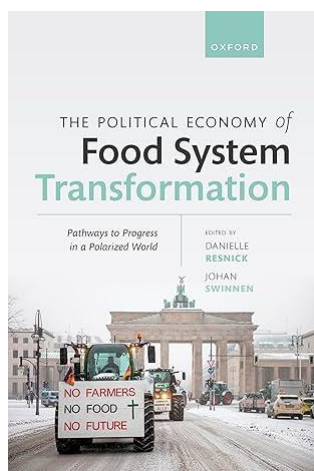
This section contains 75 key speeches delivered by Madam President in the period from July 2022 to July 2023, divided into eleven categories. These categories are 'Message to the Nation'; 'Education is the basis of empowerment'; 'The Path of Duty of Karmayogi'; 'Our Army-Our Pride'; 'Constitution and Law-Our Guides'; 'Honoring Excellence'; 'India on the world stage'; 'Confluence of Cultures'; 'Sustainable development through innovation and technology'; 'Preserving Past, Secure Future' and 'Women Leadership and Development'.

**Pub:Suchana or Prasaran Mantralay**

**Call No:320.5 B575A**

**Accession No:158422**

**7.The Political Economy of Food System Transformation: Pathways to Progress in a Polarized /Danielle Resnick, Johan Swinnen**



The current structure of the global food system is increasingly recognized as unsustainable. In addition to the environmental impacts of agricultural production, unequal patterns of food access and availability are contributing to non-communicable diseases in middle- and high-income countries and inadequate caloric intake and dietary diversity among the world's poorest. To this end, there have been a growing number of academic and policy initiatives aimed at advancing food system transformation, including the 2021 UN Food Systems Summit, the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), and several UN Climate conferences. Yet, the policy pathways for achieving a transformed food system are highly contested, and the enabling conditions for implementation are frequently absent. Furthermore, a broad range of polarizing factors affect decisions over the food system at domestic and international levels - from debates over values and (mis)information, to concerns over food.

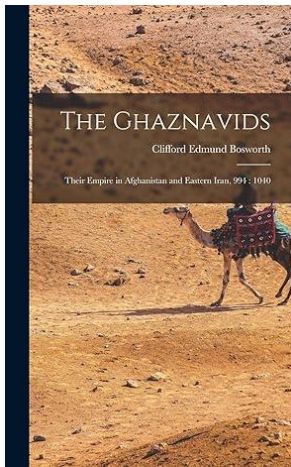
**Pub: IFPRI**

**Call No. 338.19 R434P**

**Accession No:158430**



**8.The Ghaznavids Their Empire in Afghanistan and Eastern Iran 994-1040/  
Clifford Edmund Bosworth**



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