The April 2022 issue of the Newsletter provides a quick recap of ICRIER’s research and policy engagements during the month of March 2022.

ICRIER released report titled, ‘MSMEs Go Digital: Leveraging Technology to Sustain during the Covid-19 Crisis’. Ahead of woman’s day, we published a policy brief on ‘Women and Trade: Towards an Enabling Ecosystem in India’. Both our publications received good response.

Last month we organised a webinar on the topic, ‘India-Japan Partnership Towards Resilient Supply Chains’ and the 10th ICRIER-PRI Workshop on ‘Policy Responses to COVID19 in India and Japan and Prospects for Economic Cooperation Going Ahead’. Both the discussions were well-attended.

Our media articles during the last month covered a wide range of topics including the state of the economy, agriculture, international trade, MSMEs, and climate change.

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Publications:

Report | MSMEs Go Digital: Leveraging Technology to Sustain during the Covid-19 Crisis
Authors: Tanu M. Goyal, Prateek Kukreja and Mansi Kedia

Article | Journal of Land Ports and Border Economy of Land Ports Authority of India | Streamlining Agri-Food Imports through Technology Interventions: The Case of North-East India
Authors: Arpita Mukherjee and Angana Parashar Sarma

Article | Waste Management: Need for Policy Support
Authors: Arpita Mukherjee and Sagarika Sengupta
Op-eds:

 Enable MSMEs to scale up
Radhicka Kapoor | Financial Express | March 01, 2022

Standardization of yoga can enhance its global reach & export
Arpita Mukherjee | TPCI | March 23, 2022

Trade, Investment and External Relations (TIER)

Publication:

Policy Briefs | Women and Trade: Towards an Enabling Ecosystem in India
Authors: Nisha Taneja, Sanjana Joshi and Shravani Prakash

Events:

Webinar on India-Japan Partnership Towards Resilient Supply Chains

10th ICRIER-PRI Workshop on Policy Responses to COVID19 in India and Japan and Prospects for Economic Cooperation Going Ahead
Participants: Deepak Mishra, Rajiv Kumar, Puja Mehra, Ajit Ranade, Atsushi Kawamoto, Go Yamada, Alok Sheel, Anil Padmanabhan, Takahiro Sato, Nisha Taneja, Deepa Gopalan Wadhwa, Masashi Kono, Kawauchi Hironori, Sanjana Joshi
Op-ed:

**Why not apply 'Local for Global' in yoga services exports?**
Neha Gupta | TPCI | March 10, 2022

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**Agriculture Policy, Sustainability and Innovation (APSI)**

Op-eds | Media appearances:

- **From Plate to Plough: How to ensure farm & food atmanirbharta**
  Ashok Gulati and Ayushi Khurana | Financial Express | March 28, 2022

- **Budgeting for a well-fed, self-reliant India**
  Ashok Gulati and Ayushi Khurana | Indian Express | March 28, 2022

- **Ukraine invasion, global wheat supply and India’s opportunity**
  Ashok Gulati | Indian Express | March 14, 2022

- **From plate to plough: From Ukraine to Uttar Pradesh**
  Ashok Gulati | Financial Express | March 14, 2022

- **Indianomics: Can India be a competitor amid the Russia Ukraine war scenario?**
  Ashok Gulati | CNBC-TV18 | March 19, 2022

- **Indianomics: Top economists decipher India’s wheat export opportunity**
  Ashok Gulati | CNBC TV18 | March 14, 2022

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**Climate Change, Urbanization and Sustainability (CCUS)**

Op-eds:

- **National Hydrogen Policy: Some hits, one crucial miss**
  Diya Dasgupta and Somit Dasgupta | Financial Express | March 25, 2022

- **Phasing out coal based plants: The way forward**
  Somit Dasgupta | Business Standard | March 24, 2022

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