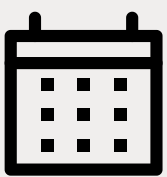


"DOES BOOSTING WOMEN'S CONTROL OVER THEIR OWN FINANCES IMPACT THEIR LABOR SUPPLY AND GENDER NORMS"

The talk will draw upon an experimental study conducted by affiliated researchers of Inclusion Economics India Center at IFMR/Krea University that was published in American Economic Review in 2021 titled "On Her Own Account: How Strengthening Women's Financial Control Impacts Labor Supply and Gender Norms". The talk will focus on the key insights of the study and how the centre is working with the policymakers to see how insights from the study can be applied at scale amidst changing policy and financial inclusion landscape.



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