

National Academy of Audit and Accounts, Shimla

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One of the major objectives of the National Academy of Audit & Accounts is to help the Officer Trainees in acquiring professional knowledge and competence as Civil Servants. The Academy does this through classroom training, extra-curricular and social activities. Shaping attitudes and perspectives in officer trainees is another objective Academy strives to achieve. In that direction, to create opportunities for the IA&AS officer trainees to interact directly with eminent personalities from different fields, who have made lasting contributions to the society, the Academy has initiated a lecture series named 'Pragyan' by eminent personalities from various walks of life.

First such lecture in '**Pragyan**' series was delivered by **Shri Shaktikanta Das, Governor, Reserve Bank of India** on 25 October 2021 at academy campus in Shimla. To benefit maximum number of our colleagues and general public, this lecture was live streamed on YouTube.

Governor spoke on the **Role of Audit in the Modern Financial System**. He highlighted importance of auditors from RBI's perspective as a regulator of financial sector in India. He stressed that stability and growth of an economy and financial sector are dependent upon trust among stakeholders, and it has become paramount to ensure credibility and confidence in the system. Auditors play this role of giving confidence.

His full address is available on RBI's website and may be accessed from [here](#). Video lecture may be seen from [here](#).