

Programme

Day 1: 9 June 2015 [Venue: Marigold Hall, India Habitat Centre, Zone 4B]

Registration

09.00 - 09.30

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09:30 - 10:30	Inaugural Session
	 Welcome and Introduction of the Programme by Prof. Prabir De Remarks by Dr. Geethanjali Nataraj, KPP IPE Global, New Delhi Opening Address by Prof. S K Mohanty, RIS Inaugural Address by H.E. Mr. Aung Khin Soe, Ambassador, Embassy of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar [Represented by Mr. San Oo Maung Minister Counsellor, Embassy of the Republic of the Union of Myanmar]
10:30 - 11:00	Group Photo and Tea/Coffee Break
11:00 - 12:30	Session 1: Trade and Development: Theory and Policy – Prof. Manoj Pant, Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), New Delhi
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch Break
13.30 - 15.00	Session 2: Trade and Investment Linkages: International and Regional Dimensions - Prof. Amita Batra, Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), New Delhi

15.00 - 15.15	Tea / Coffee Break	
15.15 - 17.00	Session 3: Trade Policy, Preference Utilization and LDCs – Mr. T S Vishwanath, Principal Adviser, APJ-SLG Law Offices, New Delhi	
<u>Day 2: 10 June 2015 [Venue: Marigold Hall, India Habitat Centre, Zone 4B]</u>		
09.30 - 11.00	Session 4: Dealing Non-Tariff Measures – Dr. Murali Kallumal, Associate Professor, Centre for WTO Studies, IIFT, New Delhi	
11.00 - 11.30	Tea / Coffee Break	
11.30 - 12.30	Session 5: Food Safety and Standards: Indian Experiences - Dr. Meenakshi Singh, Scientist (Standards), Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI), New Delhi	
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch Break	
13.30 - 15.00	Session 6: Overview of Bureau of Indian Standards: Perspective on Bilateral Cooperation - Dr. D.K. Nayyar, Sc. G & DDG (Standardization), Bureau of India Standard (BIS), New Delhi	
15.00 - 15.15	Tea / Coffee Break	
15.15 - 16:15	Session 7: Trade Negotiations: Multilateral and Regional Perspective - Ms. Sangeeta Saxena, Additional Economic Adviser, Department of Commerce, Government of India	
16.15 - 17.30	Session 8: Trade Facilitation: Building Infrastructure at Border - Mr. Y S Shahrawat, Chairman, Land Ports Authority of India (LPAI), Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India	
Day 3: 11 June 2014 [Venue: G Parthasarathi Conference Hall, RIS]		

Session 9: Global and Regional Initiatives in Trade Facilitation 09:30 - 11:00 - Prof. Prabir De, RIS

11:00 - 11:30	Tea / Coffee Break	
11.30 - 12.30	Session 10: Indian Customs - Mr. S. Kumar, Joint Secretary and Commissioner (Cus & EP), CBEC, Ministry of Finance, Government of India	
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch Break	
13.30 - 15.00	Session 11: India-Myanmar RelationsMs. Pratibha Parkar, Director (Bangladesh and Myanmar), Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India	
15.00 - 15.15	Tea / Coffee Break	
15.15 - 17.00	Session 12: National and Regional Connectivity - Mr. Arvind Kumar, Former Adviser, Ministry of Shipping, Government of India	
Day 4: 12 June 2015 [Venue: G Parthasarathi Conference Hall, RIS]		
09.30 - 12.30	Visit to Delhi International Airport Cargo Terminals and Interaction with Officials	
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch Break	
13.30 - 14:45	Session 13: Data Management and Advanced Analytics - Dr. Biswajit Nayak, StatSoft, Dell	
14.45 - 15.00	Tea / Coffee Break	
15.00 - 17.30	Session 14: Introduction to Trade Databases and Analytics - Prof. Shahid Ahmed, Jamia Milia Islamia and Prof. Prabir De, RIS	
Day 5: 13 June 2015 [Venue: G Parthasarathi Conference Hall, RIS]		
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09.00 - 09.30	15 [Venue: G Parthasarathi Conference Hall, RIS] Interaction with Prof. Sachin Chaturvedi, Director-General, RIS	

10.45 - 11.00	Tea / Coffee Break
11.00 - 12.30	Session 16: Special Lecture on 'Building a Stronger Global Trading System' by Amb. Jayant Dasgupta, Former Indian Ambassador to WTO
12.30 - 13.30	Lunch Break
13.30 - 15.00	Group Exercises & Presentations
15.00 - 15.30	Valedictory Address by Amb. Shyam Saran, Chairman, RIS
15.30 - 15.45	Distribution of Certificates
15.45 - 16.00	Closing Remarks and Vote of Thanks by Prof. Prabir De
