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Diaspora and International Migration in Development: Comparative Global Experiences

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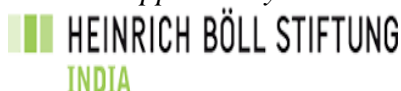
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| 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM | Welcome Tea |
| 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM | Inaugural Session |
| Venue | Auditorium II, Convention centre, JNU |
| 11:00 AM – 11:15 AM | Tea |

| Session I: 11:15 AM – 1:00 PM | | Session I: 11:15 AM – 1:00 PM | |
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| Theme: Global Diaspora in Development I | | Theme: International Migration in Development I | |
| Chair: Prof. Jayanta Kumar Ray National Research Professor MHRD, Government of India | | Chair: Prof. Chris de'Wet Rhodes University South Africa | |
| Venue: Auditorium II | | Venue: Hall III | |
| Prof. Santishree Pandit Department of Politics and Public Administration Savirtri Bai Phule Pune University, Pune, India | <i>Diaspora and International Relations: Theory, Challenges and Prospects</i> | Prof. Maurits S. Hassankhan Anton de Kom University of Suriname, Paramaribo Suriname | <i>Migration, Diaspora and Development: The case of Suriname</i> |
| Mr. Pheroze Nowrojee Co-Chair, Asian African Heritage Trust, Nairobi, Kenya | <i>Diaspora Identities and Values: Complexities in Development Initiatives</i> | Sanusha Naidu Project manager Emerging Powers Project Fahamu Pan-African, Kenya | <i>Unpacking the South African Indian Diaspora: Comparative Experiences in International Migrant for Development</i> |
| Yigal Palmor Director Public Affairs & Communication The Jewish Agency for | <i>The Jewish Agency - Convener of the Jewish people</i> | Ms. Jenna Sikka Sociology Department Syracuse University, New York, USA | <i>Return Migration of the Indian Diaspora: The Relationship between Gender and Self Silencing in Narratives of Coming</i> |

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| Prof. Ajay Dubey CAS, School of International Studies Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi India | Indian Diaspora Policy; Challenges to Development Interface | Dr. Sophia Thubauville Frobenius-Institut, c/o Goethe-Universität Frankfurt, Grueneburgplatz, Frankfurt, Germany | Migration of Indian academics – Chance or risk for Ethiopia’s university sector? |
| Dr. Saeed Ahmed Khan Dept. of Classical & Modern Languages, Literatures and Cultures, Wayne State University, Detroit, USA | The Pull Factor of an Indian Passport: Indian Nationality as a Consideration for Indian Diaspora Migration Choices | | |
| Discussant: Prof Aparajita Biswas | | Discussant: Prof. Chandrashekhar Bhat | |
| LUNCH – 1:00 PM – 2:15 PM Venue: Conference Dining Hall | | | |
| Session II: 2:15 PM – 3:45 PM | | Session II: 2:15 PM – 3:45 PM | |
| Theme: Global Diaspora in Development II | | Theme: International Migration in Development I | |
| Chair: Prof. Santishree Pandit | | Chair: Mr. Virendra Gupta | |
| Venue: Auditorium II | | Venue: Hall III | |
| Iris Rajanayagam History and African Studies Humboldt University Berlin, Germany | Self Organisation of Tamils in Germany and their Contribution to General Development | Bina Fernandez Lecturer, School of Social and Political Sciencess, University of Melbourne, Australia | Diasporas driving Development? Examining the Developmental Impact of Policies on the Ethiopian Diaspora in the Middle East |
| Annette Skovsted Hansen Associate Professor School of Culture and Society, University of Aarhus, Denmark | Two Nepali Sisters: Diaspora as a Network Strategy | Amb Manju Seth Advisor, International Collaboration and Media Interface, Organisation for Diaspora Initiatives(ODI) | International Migration and Development : Indian Diaspora in France & Madagascar |
| Dr. Ramola Ramtohul Senior Lecturer in Sociology and Gender Studies, Department of Social Studies, University of Mauritius, Mauritius | Reaching out to the diaspora to enhance development in Mauritius | Prof. Dolly Sunny Professor of Economics University of Mumbai & Hon. Director ICSSR- Western Region, Mumbai, India | Reflections on Female Migration and Diasporic Disposition: The Case of Middle East |
| Ms. Terencia Joseph Chair, Department of History and Social Studies School of Humanities University of Southern Caribbean, Trinidad and Tobago | Moving Money: Remittances and Indian Workers in St. Lucia | Dr. Movindri Reddy Associate Professor Diplomacy and World Affairs Occidental College CA, USA. | Relations between the indentured diaspora and indigenous communities in Fiji and South Africa and its impact on outward migration |
| Discussant: Dr. Amba Pande | | Discussant: Dr. Bijay Pratihari | |

TEA – 3:45 PM - 4:00 PM

| Session III: 4:00 PM – 5:45 PM | | Session III: 4:00 PM – 5:45 PM | |
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| Theme: Indian Diaspora in Development I | | Theme: Indian Diaspora in Development I | |
| Chair: Amb. R. Dayakar | | Chair: Prof. Aparajita Biswas | |
| Venue: Auditorium II | | Venue: Hall III | |
| Prof. Chandrashekhar Bhat Former Professor of Eminence Tezpur University Professor of Sociology and Founder- Director Centre for the Study of Indian Diaspora University of Hyderabad | <i>Reaching Out to Diaspora for Development: Some Reflections on the Indian Approach</i> | Dr. Radica Mahase Senior Lecturer History, Culture, Heritage and Society Trinidad and Tobago | <i>From Plantations to Parliament: The Role of Indians/Indian Diaspora in the development of Trinidad and Tobago, 1845-Present</i> |
| Marjorie Bertouille-Cessac Journalist Paris, France | <i>What is the Influence of the Indian Diaspora in Mauritius India- Mauritius: An Umbilical Relation</i> | Dr. Raymond Izarali Associate Professor Department of Criminology Member of the Graduate Faculty Wilfrid Laurier University Ontario, Canada | <i>Development Contributions of the Indian Diaspora, A Reflection on the Caribbean and Canada</i> |
| Dr. Jeffery D. Long Professor of Religion and Asian Studies Elizabethtown College Elizabethtown, PA, USA | <i>Complicating the Narrative of Hindu American Activism: The Case of the Hindu American Foundation</i> | Dr. Mahua Bhattacharya Associate Professor Japanese and Asian Studies Dept of Modern Languages Elizabethtown College Elizabethtown, USA | <i>Teaching the “Other” in “their” Land: Dealing with the Problem of Authenticity in the Diaspora</i> |
| | | Dr. Jyoti Tyagi Germany | <i>Tapping Indian Diaspora Resource: A New Development Strategy</i> |
| Discussant: Dr. Binod Kumar Mishra | | Discussant: Amb. Paramjit Sahai | |

**January 11th, 2016
Day II of Conference**

| Session IV: 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM | | Session IV: 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM | |
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| Theme: Global Diaspora in Development | | Theme: Global Diaspora in Development | |
| Chair: Dr. Axel Harneit-Sievers | | Chair: Amb Paramjit Sahai | |
| Venue: Auditorium II | | Venue: Hall III | |
| Nehal Sanghavi Senior Advisor for Innovation and Partnership USAID/India Shantipath, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi | <i>The Diaspora Becoming Impact Investors: A New Model for Development</i> | Prof. Preben Kaarsholam Professor Department of Society and Globalisation, Roskilde University Denmark | <i>Diaspora formation and the significance of varieties of forced, indentured migrant and contract labour for economic and political development in South Africa from Colonialism to post-Apartheid</i> |
| Dr. Sheetal Sharma Assistant Professor, School of International | <i>Dynamics of Integration: South Asian Diaspora in the UK</i> | Dr. Rup Narayan Das Director, Research and Information Division | <i>Diaspora as strategic assets: A comparative analysis of the Indian and</i> |

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| Studies Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India | | Lok Sabha Secretariat Parliament Library House Parliament House New Delhi, India | <i>Chinese attitudes</i> |
| Prof Joo Chungmin Dept of Communication Chonnam National University Korea & Mr. Rabbani Md Golam Graduate Student, Department of Global Diaspora Studies, Chonnam National University, Korea | <i>A Study on the Research Trends and Tasks of Diaspora Media in South Korea</i> | Prof. Kyung hak kim Chonnam National University Korea & Mr. Parpiyev Syrym Graduate Student, Department of Global Diaspora Studies, Chonnam National University, Korea | <i>Transnational Care for Left Behind Aged Parents Living in Uzbekistan- A Case of Korein Migrants in Korea</i> |
| Discussant: Dr. J. M. Moosa | | Discussant: Ms. Bashabi Gupta | |
| Tea : 11:30 AM – 11:45 AM | | | |
| Session V: 11:45 AM – 1:15 PM | | Session V: 11:45 AM – 1:15 PM | |
| Theme: Diaspora in Development | | Theme: Indian Diaspora in Development | |
| Chair: Prof. Chandrashekhar Bhat | | Chair: Prof. Binod Khadria Jawaharlal Nehru University New Delhi | |
| Venue: Auditorium II | | Venue: Hall III | |
| Amb. Paramjit Sahai Former Secretary Ministry of External Affairs Government of India | <i>Diaspora and Development: A Case Study on the State of Punjab (India)</i> | Jean Regis- Ramsamy Historian ODI Reunion Former President | <i>Key Role of India Diaspora in Development of Reunion Island</i> |
| Dr. Veronica Usacheva Senior Research Fellow, Institute for African Studies Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow | <i>Contemporary African migration and African Diaspora in the USA: possibilities and limitations.</i> | Prof. S. N. Malakar CAS, School of International Studies Jawaharlal Nehru University New Delhi, India | <i>Role of Indian Diaspora in The Development of Madagascar and Seychelles in the age of Globalization: A Comparative Study.</i> |
| Dr. Amrit Kaur Basra Faculty Member Delhi College of Arts and Commerce Delhi University, New Delhi, India | <i>One People, Two Nations: Diasporic Sikh Community in Canada and Ties with India</i> | Dr. J. M. Moosa CAS, School of International Studies Jawaharlal Nehru University New Delhi, India | <i>Role of Indian Diaspora in Mozambique's development</i> |
| Jeannie Rafalimanan Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Madagascar | <i>Malagasy Diaspora's Commitment Policy</i> | Dr. Amba Pande School of International Studies Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India | <i>Diaspora and development: India's Experience with Remittances</i> |
| Dr. Binoda Kumar Mishra Director, CSIRD, Kolkata, India | <i>Pushing Soft Power through the Diaspora: Indian and Chinese Experiences</i> | Prof. Aparajita Biswas Centre for African Studies Mumbai University, Mumbai, India | <i>Indian Diaspora in Africa: Tracing the role in the development of East African nations</i> |

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| Discussant: Dr. Paokholal Haokip | | Discussant: Amb. R. Dayakar | |
| LUNCH – 1:15 PM – 2:00 PM Venue: Conference Dining Hall | | | |
| Session VI: 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM | | Session VI: 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM | |
| Theme: Global Diaspora in Development | | Theme: Indian Diaspora in Development | |
| Chair: Prof. S. N. Malakar | | Chair: Amb. Manju Seth | |
| Venue: Auditorium II | | Venue: Hall III | |
| Dr. Arvind Kumar Professor and Head Department of Geopolitics and International Relations Director, Study Abroad Programme, Manipal Univeristy, Manipal, India | <i>Linkages between Remittances and Development: A Case Study of India and China</i> | Dr. Liyaqat Khan Department of Civics and Politics University of Mumbai, Mumbai, India | <i>Strategic Resource for Emerging India: Cultural Diplomacy and Diaspora</i> |
| Dr. Bijay Ketan Pratihari Academy of International Studies Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi, India | <i>Diaspora Policies of Ethiopia and Kenya for Development Purpose: A Comparative Assessment</i> | Prof. Sanjay Lodha Department of Political Science MLS University Udaipur, Rajasthan, India & Ms. Nidhi Jain Department of Political Science MLS University Udaipur, Rajasthan, India | <i>The Indian Diaspora: Emergence of a New Caste System</i> |
| Dr. Santosh Singh Assistant Professor Aurobindo College Delhi University, New Delhi, India | <i>Policies and Practices to Engage Diaspora: Expanding the Citizenship of Indian Diaspora in South Africa</i> | Dr. Neerja A. Gupta Bhavan's P.G. College of Arts and Commerce, Ahmedabad Director Diaspora Research Centre and Study Abroad Program, Gujarat University, India | <i>Engaging Indian Diaspora and Challenges Ahead</i> |
| Ms. Bashabi Gupta Joint Secretary, ODI Faculty Member Miranda House Delhi University, New Delhi, India | <i>Transnationalism and the Indian Diaspora in Europe: Emergent Relationships</i> | Dr. Paokholal Haokip Assistant Professor Department of History School of Social Sciences and International Studies Pondicherry Central University, India | <i>Indian Diaspora and Development in a Global Context</i> |
| Discussant: Prof. Chris de'Wet | | Discussant: Dr. Sheetal Sharma | |
| Tea: 4:00 PM – 4:15 PM | | | |
| Rapporteurs' Report and Valedictory Session: 4:15 PM - 5:00 PM Venue: Auditorium II | | | |
| ODI International Board Meeting: 5:00 PM – 6:00 PM Venue: Committee Room 108, Convention Centre | | | |
| Dinner: 6:30 PM Venue: Cafeteria | | | |