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BITS GOA Economics Conclave* 12th & 13th March 2016

Detail Programme Schedule

Time	First Day: 12 th March 2016, Saturday, Venue: Telepresence Classroom
2.30-3.00 pm	Registration & Welcome tea or coffee
3.00 pm-3.15 pm	Opening by host: Welcome of the guests and introducing the conclave by Dr.Aswini
	Kumar Mishra, Head- Department of Economics, BITS-Pilani K.K. Birla Goa Campus
3.15 pm-3.45 pm	Inaugural address: Prof. Sasikumar Punnekkat , Director-BITS-Pilani K.K. Birla Goa
	Campus
3.45pm -4.30 pm	Presentation 1: Prof. Sudhakara B Reddy (IGIDR, Mumbai)
	Topic: An Odyssey to Sustainability: The Urban Archipelago of India
	Chair: Prof.Sunil Bhand
4.30 pm – 4.45 pm	Q & A Session
4.45 pm - 5.30 pm	Presentation 2: Prof.N.C.Narayanan (IIT, Mumbai)
	Topic: State, Governance and Natural Resource Conflicts: A Political Ecology
	Understanding
	Chair: Prof.Srikanth Mutnuri
5.30 pm - 5.45 pm	Q & A Session
5.45pm - 6.00 pm	Tea Break
6.00 pm - 6.45pm	Presentation 3: Prof. Ashwani Kumar (TISS, Mumbai)
	Topic: Democracy and Welfare in India: A Regime Analysis
	Chair: Prof.Rudra Prasad Pradhan
6.45 pm - 7.00 pm	Q & A Session
End of Day 1	
	Second Day: 13 th March 2016, Sunday, Venue: Telepresence Classroom
9.00 am - 9.30am	Registration and tea or coffee
9.30 am - 10.15 am	Presentation 4: Prof. Manoj Panda (IEG, New Delhi)
	Topic: Growth Distribution and Sustainable Development Goals
	Chair: Dr. Debasis Patnaik
10.15 am – 10.30	Q & A Session
am	
10.30 am – 11.15	Presentation 5: Prof. K. Kumar (IIM, Bangalore)
am	Topic: High-Growth Entrepreneurship in Emerging Economies
	Chair: Prof.Mridula Goel
11.15 am – 11.30	Q & A Session
am	
11.30 am – 11.45	Tea Break
am	
11.45am – 12.30	Presentation 6: Prof. M H Bala Subrahmanya (IISC, Bangalore)
pm	Topic: Technological Innovation in Indian SMEs: Need, Status and Policy Imperatives
	Chair: Prof.Ashwin Srinivasan
12.30pm -12.45 pm	Q & A Session
12.45pm - 1.15 pm	Valedictory Address: Prof. Pranav Mukhopadhyay (Goa University)
1.15 pm - 1.20 pm	Vote of Thanks: Prof. D.M.Kulkarni

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All are cordially invited...!