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- Marginalised and Differentiated Banking
- **Mainstreaming the Marginalised**
- Arthik Vikas Mahilaon Ke Saath



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08:30-09:00	Registration & Tea	
09:00-10:10	Curtain Raiser	
09:00-09:20	Welcome and Introduction	
09:20-09:30	Opening Remarks: Mr Sameer Kochhar, Chairman, Skoch Group	
09:30-09:45	Keynote: Defeating Poverty - Mr S S Mundra, Deputy Governor, Reserve Bank of India	
09:45-10:00	Restructuring NGOs towards Delivering: Dr N C Saxena, Distinguished Fellow, Skoch Development Foundation	
10:00-10:10	Mr Ari Sarker, Division President - South Asia, MasterCard Worldwide	
10:10-10:20	Women Empowerment & Poverty Alleviation: Ms Madhu Khatri, Associate General Counsel, Microsoft Corporation (India)	
10:20-10:30	Mr Som Satsangi, Vice President, HP India	
10:30-11:00	Tea Break	
11:00-12:00	Power Panel: JAM - The Backbone of Reforms	
	Moderated by: Mr Sameer Kochhar, Chairman, Skoch Group	
	Dr Aruna Sharma, Additional Chief Secretary, Government of Madhya Pradesh	
	Dr Neeraj Mittal, Joint Secretary (Marketing), Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas	
	Mr Virendra Singh, Director- IT, Government of Maharashtra	
	Mr Yogesh Gupta, Sr Vice President and Head Business Procurement, Bajaj Allianz Life Insurance	
	YES BANK	
12:00-13:00	Power Panel: Marginalised and Differentiated Banking	
	Moderated by: Mr Sameer Kochhar, Chairman, Skoch Group	
	Mr Ajit Kesari, Principal Secretary-Cooperatives, Government of Madhya Pradesh	
	Mr Rajesh Aggarwal, Joint Secretary, Department of Financial Services, Ministry of Finance	
	YES BANK	
	Mr S S Bhat, Chief General Manager, Canara Bank	
	Mr Paresh Rajde, Founder & Chairman, Suvidhaa Infoserve	
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13:00-14:00	Lunch	
14:00-16:00	Power Panel: Mainstreaming the Marginalised	
	Chair: Mr G Srinivasan, Chairman & Managing Director, The New India Assurance YES BANK	
	Ms Zohra Chatterji, Distinguished Fellow, Skoch Development Foundation & Former Secretary, Ministry of Textiles	
	Mr Ramesh Rawal, Trustee and Executive Vice President, BAIF Development Research Foundation	
	Corporation Bank	
	Mr Nirmal Bansal, Fellow, Skoch Development Foundation & Former Banker	
46.00.46.30	Mr J S Parihar, Social Worker from Pilibhit	
16:00-16:30	Tea break	
46 20 46 40	Valedictory Session: Arthik Vikas Mahilaon Ke Saath	
16:30-16:40	Welcome & Opening Remarks: Mr Rohan Kochhar, Director, Skoch Group	
16:40-17:00	Keynote: Ms Maneka Sanjay Gandhi, Hon'ble Minister for Women and Child Development	
17:00-17:10	Reserved Koynetty Dr Naima Hantulla, Hanthla Minister of Minarity Affairs	
17:10-17:30	Keynote: Dr Najma Heptulla, Hon'ble Minister of Minority Affairs	
17:30-17:35	Dr Praveen Bhatia, Sir Gangaram Hospital & Governing Council Member, CAll	
17:35-17:40	Mr Sameer Kochhar, Chairman, Skoch Group	
	Skoch Foundation will be reprsented by:	
	Ms Manisha Kochhar, Director, Skoch Development Foundation	

Ms Zohra Chatterji, Distinguished Fellow, Skoch Development Foundation &

Former Secretary, Ministry of Textiles

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Names are listed alphabetically by last name

Moderated by: Mr Sameer Kochhar, Chairman, Skoch Group

Mr Rajesh Aggrawal, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Finance

Mr R K Bajaj, Distinguished Fellow, Skoch Development Foundation & Former Chief Commissioner, Income Tax Department

Mr Karan Bajwa, Managing Director, Microsoft Corporation (India) & Co-Chairman, National Mission on Smart Governance, CAII

Dr Praveen Bhatia, Sir Gangaram Hospital & Governing Council Member, CAII

Mr Tanmoy Chakrabarty, VP & Head - Global Government Industry Group, TCS Ltd

Mr R Chandrashekhar, President, NASSCOM

Mr J K Dadoo, Joint Secretary, Department of Commerce

Mr Gaurav Dwivedi, Director, DeitY & Chief Executive Officer, MyGov

Mr Neeraj Gill, General Manager - Public Sector, Microsoft Corporation (India)

Mr Sanjeev Gupta, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture

Dr N S Kalsi, Additional Secretary & Advisor, Department of Inter State Council Secretariat, Ministry of Home Affairs

Mr Sanjiv Mital, Chief Executive Officer, National Institute for Smart Government

Dr Gulshan Rai, Director General, Indian Computer Emergency Response Team (ICERT)

Mr Prakash B Rane, Managing Director, ABM Knowledgeware

Mr Luxminarayan Rao (Lux), HP India

Mr Anthony de Sa, Chief Secretary, Government of Madhya Pradesh

Mr Som Satsangi, Vice President, HP India

Mr Ram Sewak Sharma, Secretary, Department of Electronics & Information Technology

Mr Virendra Singh, Director-IT, Government of Maharashtra

Ms Neeta Verma, DDG, National Informatics Centre

Key discussion areas:

- Making biometrics transactional
- Technology neutrality and level playing field
- Restructuring procurement systems to support Digital India
- Role of Cloud



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Moderated by: Dr Gursharan Dhanjal, Editor & CEO, Skoch Group / Dr Deepak B Phatak, Professor, IIT-B, Mumbai

Mr Rakesh Asthaana, Commissioner of Police, Surat

Ms Radha S Chauhan, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Human Resource Development

Mr Neeraj Gill, General Manager - Public Sector, Microsoft Corporation (India)

Government of Gujarat

Mr Sumeet Hemkar, Partner, BMR & Associates LLP

Mr K P Krishnan, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Rural Development

Dr Ajai Kumar, Joint Secretary, Department of Electronics and Information Technology

Dr Rajendra Kumar, Joint Secretary (eGov), Department of Electronics and Information Technology

Mr Deepak Maheshwari, Head- Government Affairs, Symantec Software Solutions

Prof M Moni, Professor Emeritus & Chairman, Centre for Agricultural Informatics and e-Governance Research Studies, SHOBHIT University

Mr S N Mishra, Principal Secretary - Urban Development, Government of Madhya Pradesh

Mr Satya Narayan Pradhan, Additional Director General of Police - Crime , Government of Jharkhand

Mr Tapan Ray, Additional Secretary, Department of Electronics and Information Technology

Mr Luxminarayan Rao (Lux), HP India

Mr R C M Reddy, Managing Director & CEO, IL&FS Education & Technology Services Ltd

Mr Som Satsangi, Vice President, HP India

Mr B P Singh, Principal Secretary - Home, Government of Madhya Pradesh

Mr Virendra Singh, Director-IT, Government of Maharashtra

Mr N N Sinha, Principal Secretary - IT, Government of Jharkhand

Key discussion areas:

- City enablement
- Make in India & inverted duty structures
- Identifying sectoral objectives for Digital India
- India & ITA II





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08:30-09:00	Registration & Group Photograph of Order-of-Merit Awardees and Media Interaction
09:00-11:00	Curtain Raiser
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09:30-09:40	Opening Remarks: Mr Sameer Kochhar, Chairman, Skoch Group
00 40 00 45	1st Vijay Kelkar Award for Excellence in Public Finance to be conferred on Dr Shankar
09:40-09:45	Acharya
09:45-10:00	Dr Bibek Debroy, Member, NITI Aayog
10:00-10:15	Dr Shankar Acharya, Honorary Professor, ICRIER
10:15-10:30	Dr Vijay L Kelkar, Economist & Former Chairman, 13th Finance Commission
10:30-11:00	Tea break
11:00-13:30	MSMEs - Awakening the Animal Spirit
13:30-14:40	Lunch
14:30-15:30	Power Panel: Participatory Democracy, Use of Technology and Challenges of Digital India
	Key Discussion areas: 1. Participatory Democracy 2. Technology Neutrality & level playing field 3. Procurement process
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	Mr Shankar Agarwal, Secretary, Ministry of Labour & Employment*
	Mr Anthony de Sa, Chief Secretary, Government of Madhya Pradesh
	Dr M Ramachandran, Distinguished Fellow, Skoch Development Foundation
	Ms Neelam Dhawan, Managing Director, HP India & Chairperson, National Mission on Smart Governance, CAII
	Mr Tanmoy Chakrabarty, VP & Head - Global Government Industry Group, TCS Ltd
	Mr R K Bajaj, Distinguished Fellow, Skoch Development Foundation & Former Chief Commissioner, Income Tax Department
15:30-16:00	Tea break
16:00-18:00	Skoch Achiever Awards 2015 & Skoch Challenger Awards 2015
	Celebrating Yashwant Sinha - The Swadeshi Reformer, Lifetime Achievement
	Guest of Honour: Mr Jayant Sinha, Hon'ble Minister of State for Finance
	Distinguished Speakers:
16:00-16:10	Premiere of film on Mr Yashwant Sinha & Conferring of Lifetime Achievement Award
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16:50-16:55	Skoch Challenger Awards
16:55-17:05	Address by Mr Jayant Sinha, Hon'ble Minister of State for Finance
17:05-17:20	Keynote & acceptance speech by Mr Yashwant Sinha
17:20-17:30	Skoch Achiever Awards
17:30	Group Photograph of Awardees
	Skoch Foundation will be represented by:
	Ms Manisha Kochhar, Director, Skoch Development Foundation
	Dr M Ramachandran, Distinguished Fellow, Skoch Development Foundation
	Ms Zohra Chatterji, Distinguished Fellow, Skoch Development Foundation & Former Secretary, Ministry of Textiles







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18:00-18:15	Registration & Tea	
18:15-18:30	Openig Remarks & Introduction by Mr Mr Nirmal Bansal, Fellow, Skoch Development Foundation & Former Banker & Mr Gyanendra Keshari, Executive Editor, INCLUSION	
	Presenter	Title of the paper
18:30-18:45	Dr. Sanjay Tiwari, Professor, Haryana School of Business , Hisar, Haryana	Economy of Sanitation and Hygiene: Perspectives, Policy and Peripherals
18:45-19:00	Mr. Vivek Pal, Senior Research Fellow, Anand Agricultural Univesity, Anand, Gujarat	Livelihood Status Index: A District Level Approach for Poverty and Inequality Assesment in Gujarat
19:00-19:15	Ms. Swati Sharma, Associate, YES Institute, YES BANK, New Delhi	Innovative Financing model for smart cities
19:15-19:30	Dr. Iftekhar Ansari, Assistant Professor, N.R.E.C College, Khurja (Bulandshahr)	Digital India: Democratically Developed India
19:30-19:45	Ms. Poulami Chakraborty, Research Associate, Lok Kalyan Parishad,	Swachha Bharat Abhiyaan: is it a win - win situation for every stakeholder?
19:45-20:00	Mr. Krishna Prasad Mukherjee, Veterinary Officer, Govt. of West Bengal	Outcome Oriented Evaluation of Midday Meal Scheme: Scope of Digitalization to Raise Impact and Accountability
20:00-20:15	Dr. Pradip Dey, Project Coordinator, Indian Institute of Soil Science, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh	Combating Climate Change and Sustaining Agricultural Growth Rate through Soil Carbon Sequestration
20:15-20:25	Closing	
21:00 onwards	Dinner	







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	Presenter	Title of the paper
18:30-18:45	Mr. Atin Biswas, Capacity Building Manager, ISGP Project, Kolkata, West Bengal	GIS Technology Based Monitoring in Panchayati Raj Institution in West Bengal
18:45-19:00	Mr. Arnab Bose, Assistant Vice President, Responsible Banking, YES Bank, New Delhi	Information Collection and Dissemination for a more effective Swachh Bharat Campaign: methods and perspectives
19:00-19:15	Dr. Archana Sinha, Fellow & Head, Indian Social Institute, New Delhi	Saving Mothers and Newborns through Reformed Health Care: A Study of Janani Suraksha Yojana (JSY) in Uttarakhand
19:15-19:30	Ms. Vineeta Nagar, Officer-CSR, Hindustan Petro- leum Corporation Limited, Jaipur, Rajasthan	Swacch Bharat Swastha Bharat – Role of Corporates and Universities towards a sustainable mission
19:30-19:45	Mr. Manoj Kumar Mishra, Economic Officer, Programme Evaluation Organisation, Planning Commission, Kolkata, West Bengal	Swachh Bharat: Past Experience for Future Plan
19:45-20:00	Mr. Abhishek Sinha, Assistant Prof., Vignana Jyothi Institute of Management, Hyderabad	Community Crowd Funding – A tool to increase public participation in projects of national relevance
20:00-20:15	Dr. M. Govardhana Singh, Senior Accountant, THE DCA, ZAO, Central Board of Direct Taxes, Chennai	Digital India Developed India
20:15-20:30	Dr. Maria Dason, Senior Officer, Regional Forum SSDNR, New Delhi	Innovative strategies for promoting cleanliness and enhancement of health -An analysis in India
20:30-20:40	Closing	
21:00 onwards	Dinner	







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