

Indo-German Collaboration On Sustainable Urban Development

Tuesday, 31st May 2016 - Metropolitan Solutions, Berlin



100 "Smart Cities" in India

After the successful first edition in May 2015, Indus Media will again host the second "100 Smart Cities in India" conference on Tuesday 31st of May in Berlin at the Metropolitan Solutions 2016.

On behalf of the [Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety \(BMUB\)](#), and with partners such as [National Institute of Urban Affairs \(NIUA\)](#) and [Asia-Pacific Forum Berlin e.V.](#), the conference will bring together government representatives, industry leaders, and leading companies from both sides on a common platform to exchange, understand, deliberate and collaborate on ideas and technologies to modernise Indian cities.



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During the recent joint working group meeting in New Delhi, State Secretary *Gunther Adler* of the German Ministry for Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety has announced that Germany would contribute to India's Smart Cities programme, namely to projects in *Kochi, Bhubaneswar and Coimbatore*.

To continue the bilateral discussion and strengthen cooperation in Smart Cities sector, the German Government has invited representatives of the three Indian cities and the Ministry of Urban Development to participate in the conference in Berlin. The panel discussions and sessions are designed to inspire and share constructive solutions for sustainable urban development in India.

At the third Inter-Governmental Consultations (IGC) held in New Delhi in October 2015, the Prime Minister of India Shri Narendra Modi and the German Federal Chancellor Dr. Angela Merkel agreed to steer the Strategic Partnership between India and Germany into a new phase by building on their growing convergence on foreign and security issues and on the complementarities between the two economies.

The leaders welcomed the recent convening of the Joint Working Group on Sustainable Urban Development that would serve as a forum to help identify three cities for bilateral collaboration. Among the priority areas identified by the Prime Minister for close collaboration with Germany are those relating to renewable energy, water management, urban waste management and energy efficiency. The intensification of high-level engagement would provide new opportunities for German companies in the urban development sector offered by India's initiative on 100 Smart Cities.



The Aim Of The Conference

Present the Indo-German working group on
Sustainable Urban Development

Highlight the progress, initiatives and
policies of the Indian smart cities

Technical assistance co-operations,
expertise sharing and business engagement

Create a platform for dialogue and exchange of
information, share knowledge, support technology,
innovation, experience and best practices
in the area of smart cities

Attract potential investment in
Indian Smart Cities projects



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Theme of the Summit

Smart Cities

**Indo - German working group on
Sustainable Urban Development**

Intelligent & Sustainable Urbanisation

**Integration of economic, social and environmental
dimensions**

Financing Cities

**Effective ways of financing smart city planning,
investment and operation**

Physical Infrastructure

Water & Waste, Sustainable Energy, Housing & Safety



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Programme & Agenda

09.30 - 10.30	Registration
10.30 - 11.30	<p>Opening Welcome</p> <p>Indo - German cooperation on Sustainable Urban Development</p> <p>Hon'ble Minister, Dr. Barbara Hendricks Federal Minister for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety</p> <p>Hon'ble Minister, Mr. M. Venkaiah Naidu Urban Development, Housing & Urban Poverty Alleviation, Parliamentary Affairs, Government of India</p> <p>Dr. Roland Busch Member of the Managing Board of Siemens AG</p>
11.30 - 12.00	<p>100 Smart Cities - Moving ahead to build India's livable cities</p> <p>Prof. Jagan Shah, Director National Institute of Urban Affairs</p>
12.00 - 13.00	Networking & Lunch Break



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**13.00 -
14.30**

Indo-German joint working group on sustainable urban development

Presenting the joint working group and framework for the Smart Cities cooperation

Dr. Susanne Lottermoser, Dy. Director General
German Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety (BMUB)

Dr. Sameer Sharma, Joint Secretary (Smart Cities),
Ministry of Urban Development, Govt of India

Presentation (20 minute each)

Dr. Krishan Kumar, IAS, Commissioner,
Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation

Mr. Vineel Krishna, CEO,
Bhubaneswar Smart City Limited

Mr. Amit Meena, Corporation Secretary,
Kochi Municipal Corporation

Mrs. Soumini Jain, Mayor,
Kochi Municipal Corporation

Dr. K. Vijayakarhikeyan, Municipal Commissioner,
Coimbatore City Municipal Corporation

Mr. G. Prakash, IAS,
Commissioner of Municipal Administration,
Government of Tamil Nadu

**14.30 -
15.30**

Financing Indian Smart Cities:

Effective ways of financing smart city planning, investment and operation

Panelists

Mr. Felix Klauda,
Head of Division, Urban Development and Mobility, South Asia, KfW Development Bank

Mr. G. Prakash, IAS,
Commissioner of Municipal Administration,
Government of Tamil Nadu

Moderator - Expert Partners



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15.30 - 15.45	Networking Break
15.45 - 17.00	<p>Intelligent & Sustainable Urbanisation Urbanisation as a tool for Integration of economic, social and environmental dimensions of sustainable development</p> <p>Smart Cities India: German Technology - Local Strategy Mr. Damian Wagner, Project Manager - Morgenstadt Initiative Fraunhofer-Institute for Industrial Engineering IAO</p> <p>Indo-German Smart Initiative: Collaborative Approaches for Integrated Urban Development in Indian Cities The Indo-German Smart Initiative combines multidisciplinary knowledge in urban development, architecture and infrastructure supply and enhances its capabilities within a strong knowledge alliance with public institutions and private research groups</p> <p>Prof. Dipl.-Ing. Elke Pahl-Weber Head of the Department of Urban Planning Berlin University of Technology</p> <p>Dipl.-Ing. Architect Margret Böthig Director India gmp Architekten von Gerkan, Marg und Partner</p> <p>Dipl.-Ing. Architect Eva Walter International Project Management DGI Bauwerk Gesellschaft von Architekten mbH</p> <p>Smart city concepts Siemens AG</p>
17.00 - 17.45	<p>100 Smart Cities - Way ahead Indo - German Industry collaboration for Smart cities development German & Indian Industry Representatives Moderator - Expert Partners</p>
18.00 - 19.30	Networking & Cocktail Dinner

Program Organisers

(Indo-German Collaboration On Sustainable Urban Development)



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