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24 June
2021

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Event

INDIA - NEW ZEALAND
Decade of The New Normal

TIME: 5PM TO 8PM **NZT**
10.30AM TO 1.30PM **IST**

VENUE: THE TRUSTS ARENA, AUCKLAND, NEW ZEALAND

SCHEDULE OF THE DAY | Wednesday, 23rd June 2021

INAUGURAL : Ministerial Session
5 – 6 PM NZT | 10.30 - 11.30 AM IST

Session open by emcee, Patrick Smellie
Editor, BusinessDesk

Overview and welcome address by Sameer Handa MNZM
Chair, INZBC & Director, Glowbal NZ

Introduction to the minister by Dr. Gaurav Sharma
MP for Hamilton West

Keynote address by Hon Nanaia Mahuta
New Zealand Minister of Foreign Affairs, Minister of Local Government, and Associate Minister for Māori Development

Keynote address by Shri Piyush Goyal (Via video)
Minister for Commerce & Industry, Government Of India

Q&A with the minister, Hon Nanaia Mahuta

Vote of thanks by Earl Rattray
INZBC Board Member & Director, Dairy Link

INDO-PACIFIC STRATEGIC TIES | Panel discussion
6 – 7 PM NZT | 11.30 AM - 12.30 PM IST

Keynote address by H.E. Muktesh Pardeshi
Indian High Commissioner to New Zealand

Panel discussion and Q&A with speaker and the following panellists:

Bhav Dhillon
Honorary Consul of India in Auckland

Rino Tirikatene
MP for Te Tai Tonga, Parliamentary Under-Secretary for Oceans and Fisheries Trade and Export Growth (Māori Trade)

H.E. David Pine *(Via video)*
New Zealand High Commissioner to India

Suzannah Jessep *(Via video)*
Director Research and Engagement, Asia New Zealand Foundation

Ambassador Rajiv Bhatia *(Via video)*
Chair, FICCI Taskforce on Blue Economy and Distinguished fellow, Gateway House

Prof. Manjeet Pardesi | Moderator
Sr. Lecturer of Political Science & Intl. Rel. Prog. and Asia Research Fellow, Centre for Strategic Studies,
Victoria University of Wellington

GLOBALISATION: POST-COVID19 SCENARIO | Panel Discussion 7 - 8PM NZT | 12.30 - 1.30PM IST

Keynote address by Deepak Bagla *(Via video)*
MD & CEO, Invest India

Keynote address by Akshay Mathur *(Via video)*
Director, Observer Research Foundation (ORF) Mumbai and Head of ORF Geoeconomics Programme

Panel discussion and Q&A with speakers and the following panellists:

Deidre Otene
Former CEO of TKEMKT, Economic Recovery Leadership Board (Post COVID)

Prof. Guy Littlefair
Pro Vice-Chancellor International at Auckland University of Technology (AUT)

Kevin Jenkins
Founder, MartinJenkins

Ralph Hays *(Via video)*
Trade Commissioner and Consul-General, India, Sri Lanka, NZTE

Carmen Vicelich | Moderator
CEO & Founder, Valocity Global

Vote of thanks by Jay Changlani
INZBC Board Member & Director, ORB 360

**Delegate dinner (for physical attendees)
End of Day 1.**

SCHEDULE OF THE DAY | Thursday, 24th June 2021

INAUGURAL : Ministerial Session
5 – 6 PM NZT | 10.30 - 11.30 AM IST (Virtual Only)

Session open by emcee, Sunil Kaushal

Head of Strategic Partnerships, INZBC

Welcome note by Earl Rattray

INZBC Board Member & Director, Dairy Link

Keynote speech by Hon Phil Twyford

New Zealand Minister for Disarmament and Arms Control, Minister of State for Trade and Export Growth, Associate Minister for the Environment and Immigration

Keynote speech by Amitabh Kant

Chief Executive Officer, NITI Aayog, Government Of India

Q&A session with the minister and keynote speaker

TRADE REGULATIONS – THE NEW NORMAL | Panel discussion

6 – 7 PM NZT | 11.30 AM – 12.30 PM IST (Virtual Only)

Keynote address by Pranav Kumar

Head of Trade Policy, Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)

Keynote address by Simon Tucker

Director, Global Stakeholder Affairs, Fonterra Co-operative Group Limited

Panel discussion and Q&A with speakers and the following panellists:

Ravi Udaya Bhaskar

Director General, Pharmexcil

Stephen Jacobi

Executive Director, New Zealand International Business Forum

Todd Muller

Spokesperson for Trade, National Party

Esther Guy-Meakin

Senior Manager | Strategy, Trade Policy and Advocacy, Meat Industry Association of New Zealand

Bharat Joshi

CEO, J Curve and Delhi Chapter Head, INZBC

Dr Divya Jaitly

Managing Director, The Advanced Learning Institute and Founder, Forethought Corporate Communications

Michael Fox | Moderator

Head of Communications and External Relations, Zespri International

SERVICES SECTOR – CHANGING SCENARIOS AND CHALLENGES

Panel discussion | 7 – 8 PM NZT | 12.30 – 1.30 PM IST (Virtual Only)

Keynote address by Sangeeta Gupta

Senior Vice President, NASSCOM (National Association of Software and Service Companies)

Panel discussion and Q&A with speaker and the following panellists:

Prashant Kumar

Director - Public Policy and Communications, Ola International

Carmen Vicelich

CEO & Founder, Valocity Global

Adhil Shetty

Co-chair, FICCI Fintech Committee and Co-founder and CEO, BankBazaar.com

Prof. Anupam Sibai

Group Medical Director, Apollo Hospitals Group

Sandeep Sharma | Moderator

Christchurch Chapter Head, INZBC and Chair of New Zealand Institute of International Affairs (NZIIA)

Vote of thanks by Garry Gupta

Secretary, INZBC



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