15th DELHI SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT SUMMIT
Sustainable Development Goals and Dealing with Climate Change
February 5–7, 2015, New Delhi, India

Curtain Raiser – February 4, 2015
High Level Corporate Dialogue

DSDS 2015: Preparatory Meeting
November 17, 2014
15 Years of DSDS

1500 Speakers
10,000 Delegates
36 Heads of States
11 Nobel Laureates
50 Ministers
Some of the Luminaries...
Nobel Laureates @ DSDS 2001 - 2014

Prof. Paul Crutzen
Late Prof. Frank Sherwood Rowland
Prof. Carlo Rubbia
Sir James A. Mirrlees
Late Prof. Wangari Maathai
Prof. Joseph Stiglitz
Prof. Mario J Molina
HE Mr Al Gore
Late Prof. Elinor Ostrom
Dr. Yuan-Tseh Lee
Mr Kofi Annan
Sustainable Development Leadership Award: Recipients

2014

Mr Anand Mahindra
Chairman and Managing Director, Mahindra and Mahindra

Mr James Alix Michel
President, Seychelles (2013)

Ms Tarja Halonen
President of Finland (2012)

Mr Felipe Calderón Hinojosa
President of Mexico (2012)

Dr Manmohan Singh
Prime Minister of India (2011)

Mr Ban-ki-Moon
Secretary-General, United Nations (2009)

Mr Maumoon Abdul Gayoom
President of Maldives (2008)

Mr Arnold Schwarzenegger
Former Governor, State of California, USA (2007)

Prof Ernesto Zedillo
Former President of Mexico (2006)

Mr Yukio Hatoyama
Prime Minister of Japan (2010)

Dr Shoichiro Toyoda
Honorary Chairman / Board Member, Toyota Motor Corporation, Japan (2005)
DSDS 2014: Highlights

- 183 Speakers
- 42 Countries represented
- Over 1000 delegates
- 3 current, 4 former Heads of State/Government
- 20 Ministers from 18 Countries

Total reach through #DSDS14 was 1.9 million
DSDS 2014: Social Media

**Twitter**
- 721 Followers added, an increase of 400 relevant followers
- 1543 content pieces generated
- 800 original posts from the community

**Facebook**
- 576 likes
- Each post had a reach of over 100

**LinkedIn**
- Total 259 members - an increase of 123 members
- Energized conversations in other groups with over 500 members

**Google+**
- Organised 2 live hangouts
- Total views of 557

**YouTube**
- ~90 videos shared around #DSDS14
- Each video was publicized on different platforms

**Webcast**
- 191 registered users
  - 5th Feb: 507 viewers
  - 6th Feb: 579 viewers
  - 7th Feb: 215 viewers
  - 8th Feb: 107 viewers
Mark Your Calendar

February 2015

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- **4th Feb:** High Level Corporate Dialogue
- **5th Feb:** Inauguration
- **5-7th Feb:** Plenaries, Thematic Tracks, Social events
Some Distinguished Participants...

HE Mr Maumoon Abdul Gayoom
Former President of Maldives & Leader, Progressive Party of Maldives

The Rt. Hon. The Lord John Prescott, Lord, House of Lords

HE Madam Marie-Helene Aubert, Advisor to the President on Environment and Climate Change Issues, France

HE Mr Ban Ki-Moon, Secretary General, United Nations

Mr Arnold Schwarzenegger, Founding Chair, R20 - Regions of Climate Change & Former Governor, California

Dr Kandeh K Yumkella, Special Representative of the UN Secretary General for Sustainable Energy for All, United Nations, Austria

Dr Henrik O. Madsen
Group President and CEO, DNV-GL

Mr Paul Polman, Chief Executive Officer, Unilever

Mr Rana Kapoor, Managing Director & CEO, YES Bank Ltd.

Sir Jonathan Porrit, Founder Director, Forum for the Future

Nobel Laureate Dr Yuan T Lee, President Emeritus, Academia Sinica, Taiwan

Mr Heherson T. Alvarez, Commissioner, Climate Change Commission, Philippines
Ministerial Participation From...

Burkina Faso
Ethiopia
Denmark
Gambia
Mexico
Mongolia
Norway
Peru
Poland
DSDS 2015 Features

- Regional Dialogues
- High Level Corporate Dialogue
- Youth Leaders
- Media Colloquium
- Plenaries
- Thematic Tracks
DSDS 2015 Sub-Themes

- Sustainable Production & Consumption
- Linking MDGs to SDGs
- Inclusive Process of SDG Definition
- SDGs Addressing Disparities
- Science of Climate Change
- Building on COP20
- Nature of Agreement at COP21?
- Ethics of Climate Change
Discussions focussing on Smart Cities and how can they help achieve the SDGs;

Indian cities of Bengaluru, Mumbai and Chennai;

Engaging a variety of stakeholders between September and December, 2014.
DSDS 2015: REGIONAL DIALOGUES

Date: December 01, 2014
Theme: Water & Sanitation

Date: December 11, 2014
Theme: Mobility & Solid-Waste Management
High Level Corporate Dialogue 2015

'The Road to Paris: Corporate Action for Climate Change'

- Tackling climate change is an inclusive, multi-stakeholder process and the active participation of the corporate sector is essential.
- More engaging & interactive
- Tangible outcomes
- High-profile plenary sessions
- Theme based break-away discussions
HLCD: Identified Themes

- Finance
- Clean Tech & Energy Efficiency
- Solid Waste Management
- Sustainable Agriculture
- Sustainable Mobility
- Protecting our Commons
- Sustainable Habitat
- Water-use Efficiency & Management
### The Road to Paris: Corporate Action for Climate Change

| White Paper | ‘Corporate Leadership to Deal with Climate Change’
|            | 8 identified themes |
| HLCD        | Theme-based Discussion Groups at HLCD
|            | Challenges, opportunities, actions |
| Outcome     | Comprehensive **Corporate Action Plan** towards Tackling Climate Change
|            | Presentation to UN Secretary General |
| COP21       | Presentation of Action Plan in Paris
|            | Guideline for corporates around the world |
HLCD: Key Speakers

Ban Ki-moon
Arnold Schwarzenegger
Paul Polman
Henrik Madsen
Jonathan Porritt
Rana Kapoor
Jeremy Bentham
Terry Tamminen
Youth Leaders @ DSDS 2015

Youth from around the globe will be engaged in the discourse on sustainable development to record their experiences and encourage positive action on their part.

DSDS will provide:
- Registration Fee waiver
- Boarding & Lodging
- Ground Transport
Media Colloquium

A forum to sensitize young journalists about issues of sustainability and climate change

- **Building** a new set of relationships with media personnel.
- **Effective projection** of sustainable development issues.
- **Greater awareness** among the public on key ecological issues.
- **Recognises** role and relevance of multi-lateral organizations, governments, institutions, scientists and activists.

@ DSDS 2013

Journalists from six countries - China, Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India and USA
Thematic Tracks: Themes

- Groundwater Management (UNDP)
- Coastal Ecosystems (UNDP)
- Reinvention of International Cooperation (AFD)
- Safe & Clean Transport (IATSS+IITD)
- Role of Sub-national Governments (R20)
- Smart & Sustainable Cities (AFD, UNDP)
- Role of Technologies in Attaining Climate Commitments (EDF)
- Bio-economy and Sustainable Development (VITO)
- SAARC & SDGs (DFID)
- Sustainable Mobility (BMW)
DSDS 2015: Valuable Partners
We Seek Your Support

- Heads of State/Government & Ministers
- High-profile speakers & delegations
- Corporates
- Youth Leaders
- Media Colloquium
- Summit Partnership
Thank you...
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