



**WORLD SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT SUMMIT**
BEYOND 2015: PEOPLE, PLANET & PROGRESS

ROLE OF FORESTS IN INDIA'S INDC

October 7th, 2016 | 1600 -1830 hours

Venue: Gulmohar hall, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi

Time	
1600-1630	Tea and Registration
1630-1640	Introduction to the Theme Dr Ashish Aggarwal, Fellow, TERI
1640-1750	Panel Discussion
	<p>Chair: Dr. Prodipto Ghosh, Distinguished Fellow, TERI</p> <p>Dr J V Sharma, Senior Fellow, TERI- Forests and INDC</p> <p>Dr. A.K. Bhattacharya, MD, National Highways Authority of India- Role of National Green Highways Mission in climate mitigation</p> <p>Dr. Rajesh Gopal, Secretary General, Global Tiger Forum – Role of tiger landscapes in conservation and climate mitigation</p> <p>Sh. Sanjeev Saran, Principal Secretary (Forests & Wildlife), NRI, EAP- Special plantation Drive by Uttar Pradesh and its role in India's INDC</p> <p>Dr. Rekha Pai- IG Forests, MoEFCC- Policy direction and initiatives for climate mitigation in forestry sector</p> <p>Dr T P Singh, Asstt. Director General, ICFRE, Dehradun-Experience of REDD+ projects in context of INDC</p>

Time	
	<p>Mr Jitendra Kumar, Niti Ayog- Schemes and financial resources for forestry sector</p> <p>Mr Keshav Varma, Executive Director and CEO, GTI Council- Conservation debates across the globe in context of climate change</p> <p>Representative from Van Uthan Sangh/Seva Mandir, Udaipur- Grass roots experience in Forestry Sector</p>
1750-1815	Open House
1815-1825	<p>Concluding Remarks</p> <p>Dr. Prodipto Ghosh, Distinguished Fellow, TERI</p>
1825-1830	<p>Vote of thanks</p> <p>Mr Siddharth Edake, Associate Fellow, TERI</p>