Universal Design & Accessibility Conclave
27 August, 2016

PP Gupta Auditorium, IIMA
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9:00 am- 5:30 pm

Organized by IIMA in collaboration with Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
Government of India
Shri. Ashank Desai  
Chief Guest  
Founder and Former Chairman Mastek  
Former Chairman, NASSCOM

Sri. Mukesh Jain  
Joint Secretary  
Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment  
Government of India

Prof. Ashis Jalote Parmar  
Faculty, Design Thinking and Innovation,  
Area: Business Policy  
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Shri. Mukesh Kumar  
Municipal Commissioner,  
Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India

Shri. Deepinder Singh  
Head Strategy and Planning, Digital India,  
Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology.  
Government of India
Mr. Dipendra Manocha  
Saksham Trust

Ms. Anjlee Agarwal  
Executive Director Smarthyam

Ms. Shivani Gupta  
Founder of Accessability  
Author: No Looking Back

Mr. Subhash Chandra Vashishth  
Lawyer, Delhi High Court  
Founder: Center for Accessibility of Built Environments

Prof. Rachana Khare  
Professor & Head Department of Architecture, Bhopal

Ms. Nirmita Narasimhan  
Program Manager  
Center for Internet and Society
## Schedule

**Venue:** PP Gupta auditorium, 1st Floor, IMDC, new Campus, IIMA

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| 9:00 am - 9:30 am | Prof. Ashis Jalote Parmar  
Professor, IIMA  
Faculty Chair, Universal Design / Accessibility Conclave | Imagining Smart Cities for Accessibility & Universal Design                                      |
| 9:30 am - 9:50 am | Shri Mukesh Jain  
Joint Secretary, Ministry of Social Justice  
Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, GOI | Accessibility Compliance: Road Ahead                                                            |
| 9:50 am - 10:10 am | Mr. Dipendra Manocha  
Managing Trustee, Saksham Trust  
Technical Lead, Daisy Consort | Can you build another world for me                                                               |
| 10:10 am - 10:30 am | Ms. Anjlee Agarwal  
Executive Director, Samarthyam | Sustainable - Sugamya - Smart cities                                                              |
| **10:30 am - 11:00 am** | Panel I  
Implementation Perspective | Barriers and Enablers in Inclusion/Implementation of Accessibility Policy: Where do we Stand?  
Moderator: Dr. Dipendra Manocha  
Prof. Rachna Khare |                                                                                                  |
| **11:00 - 11:25 am** | Tea Break                                                                                       |                                                                                                |                                                                                          |
| 11:30 am - 11:50 am | Shri. Mukesh Kumar  
Municipal Commissioner, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India | Envision Smart cities: Challengers and pointers                                                  |
| 11:50 am - 12:10 pm | Shri. Deepinder Singh  
Head Strategy and Planning, Digital India  
Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, Government of India | Digital India: Empowering India                                                                  |
| 12:10 pm - 12:30 pm | Ms. Nirmi Narasimhan  
Program Manager  
Center for Internet and Society | Inclusive India: so near yet so far                                                               |
| 12:30 pm - 12:50 pm | Mr. Subhash Chandra Vashishth  
Lawyer, Delhi High Court Founder-CABE | How universal design in smart cities/habitat can address disability rights                       |
| **12:50 pm - 1:20 pm** | Panel II  
Policy Perspective | To what extent can Accessibility be a part of Planning Smart Cities & Digital India: A Systems Perspective?  
Moderator: Prof. Navdeep Mathur, Public Policy Group, IIMA & Prof. Ashis Jalote Parmar, Business Policy Group, IIMA |                                                                                                  |
| **1:30 - 2:45 pm** | Working Lunch                                                                                   | Reimagining Smart, Digital and Accessible India                                                 |
| 2:50 pm - 3:10 pm | Ms. Shivani Gupta  
Founder of AccessAbility | Accessibility policies in India - what we need                                                   |
| 3:10 pm - 3:30 pm | Prof. Rachana Khare  
Professor & Head, School of Planning & Architecture, Bhopal | Inclusive smart cities; A cultural perspective                                                 |
| 3:30 pm - 4:00 pm | Shri Ashank Desai  
Founder and Former Chairman, Mastek  
Former Chairman - NASSCOM | Empowering India: Accessibility and Smart Cities                                               |
| **4:00 pm - 5:30 pm** | Panel III  
A peek into the future | Re-Imagining Smart, Digital and Accessible India: Voice of the Citizens  
Presentation & Discussion by the Audience  
Moderator: Mr. Soni, BPA  
Prof. Ashis Jalote Parmar, Business Policy Group, IIMA |                                                                                                  |