## Opening Up Access to Budget Data in India

A Consultation by  
Centre for Budget and Governance Accountability  

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### Agenda

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| 2.30 pm – 3.30 pm | **Presentation and Discussion on the Portal - Open Budgets India (beta version)**  
Moderator: *Subrat Das* (Executive Director, CBGA)  
Presentation on the Portal:  
*Akshay Verma* (Visualization Expert - Open Budgets India, CBGA)  
*Gaurav Godhwani* (Technical Lead - Open Budgets India, CBGA)  
*Malini Chakravarty* (Additional Coordinator - Research, CBGA) |
| 3.30 pm – 5.00 pm | **Perspectives on Opening Up Access to Budget Data in India**  
Moderator: *Amitabh Behar* (Executive Director, National Foundation for India)  
Panellists:  
*K. Ganga* (Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General (CRA))  
*Sumandro Chattapadhyay* (Research Director, Centre for Internet and Society)  
*Sumit Bose* (Member, Expenditure Management Commission; Former Secretary to Govt. of India)  
*Yamini Aiyar* (Director, Accountability Initiative) |
| 5.00 pm         | Tea                                                                     |