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at Carleton University



## Canada–India Innovation Summit 20-21 June, 2011

### Draft Conference Program as of June 10th

*Invited and confirmed speakers*

#### Monday June 20

8:30 AM Registration and continental breakfast  
302 Foyer Azrieli Theatre

Plenary Session Room 302 Azrieli Theatre

9:00 AM **Welcoming remarks**

*Dr. Roseann O'Reilly Runte*, President and Vice-Chancellor, Carleton University

*Mr. S.M. Gavai*, High Commissioner of India

9:30 AM **Framing the Agenda**

*The Honourable John Baird*, Minister of Foreign Affairs

*The Honourable Glen Murray*, Minister of Research and Innovation Ontario

*Dr. T. Ramasami*, Secretary DST Government of India – *via video*

*Dr. Daggubati Purandeswari*, Minister of State for Human Resource Development

*Mr. Suresh Prabhu*, Former Minister of Power and Environment

10:30 AM Networking break 302 Foyer Azrieli Theatre

10:50 AM **Framing the Agenda (cont'd)**

*The Honourable John Manley*, President and Chief Executive of the Canadian Council of Chief Executives

*Dr. R. Chidambaram*, Principal Scientific Advisor to Government of India

*The Honourable Kevin Lynch*, Vice-Chair, BMO Financial Group

*Ms Margaret McCuaig-Johnston*, Executive Vice-President NSERC

12:00 PM	Lunch and networking <i>Foyer Tory Building 3rd floor</i>
1:30 PM	<b>Canada-India Innovation Panel</b> <i>Moderator: Dr. Jerry Tomberlin, Dean Sprott School of Business, Carleton University</i> <i>Mr. Rajesh Sharma, Senior VP Financing, Export Development Canada</i> <i>Mr. Krish Krishnamoorthy, Advisor to the President and CEO of SNC-Lavalin</i> <i>Mr. Mike Manson, CEO TaraSpan</i> <i>Mr. Niraj Bhargava, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Energate</i> <i>Mr. Kevin Brooks, SVP Sales &amp; Marketing, Nordion</i>
2:30 PM	Networking break 302 Foyer Azrieli Theatre
2:50 PM	<b>Business Councils and Innovation Networks Panel</b> <i>Moderator: Dr. Pradeep Merchant, Chairman, Indo-Canada Ottawa Business Chamber</i> <i>Mr. Rana Sarkar, President Canada-India Business Council</i> <i>Dr. G K Prabhu, Registrar Manipal University (TBC)</i> <i>Dr. Arvind Gupta, Scientific Director and CEO of MITACS</i>
3:50 PM	<b>Concluding remarks and Day One Wrap-up</b> <i>Dr. Henri Rothschild, President and CEO, ISTPCanada</i>
6:30 PM	<b>Conference Dinner</b> sponsored by ISTPCanada <i>Fairmont Chateau Laurier</i>
Parallel Canada-India Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (CEPA) Negotiation Simulation – ongoing during the day	
9:00 AM–	Simulation of Trade Negotiations Canada-India
3:00 PM	Project run by the Centre for Trade Policy and Law, Phil Rourke, Carleton University

## Tuesday June 21

Plenary Session Room 302 Azrieli Theatre

8:30 AM Continental Breakfast  
302 Foyer Azrieli Theatre

9:00 AM **Panel Looking to the future – Innovative technology**  
*Moderator: Mr. Goldy Hyder, SVP & General Manager Hill & Knowlton*  
*Mr. Sam Pitroda, Head of India Innovation Council – via video*  
*Sir Terry Matthews, Chairman Mitel Corp*  
*Dr. Tony Bailetti, Associate Professor Department of Systems and Computer Engineering, Carleton University*  
*Mr. Sunil Tandon, CEO State Bank of India*

10:30 AM Networking break 302 Foyer Azrieli Theatre

11:00 AM Parallel Breakout Sessions

	<b>Biotechnology</b> Chair: Dr. S. Natesh, Senior Advisor, Department of Biotechnology	<b>Innovation in Sustainable Energy &amp; Environment</b> Chair: TBD	<b>Resource management &amp; geomatics</b> Chair: Dr. Kennedy, Canadian Geoprojects Centre	<b>Digital Media</b> Chair: Mr. Robert Montgomery, CEO Achilles Media/ First Maximilian Associates	<b>Venture Capital</b> Chair: Mr. Sunil Sharma, Director Canadian Venture Capital Association
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12:30 PM Lunch and networking  
Foyer Tory Building 3rd floor

Room 302 Azrieli Theatre

2:00 PM Report on outcomes from breakout sessions. Presentation by chairs (10 min each) and Q&A

3:00 PM Closing remarks and next steps

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