

PROGRAMME (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

DATE: 24 March, 2017,

VENUE: Hotel Taj Mahal, Mansingh Road, New Delhi

10:00 – 10:30	Registration with Tea & C	
10:30 – 10:40	Introductory Remarks	Navin Berry, Executive Director, Cross Section Media
10:40 – 11:00	Keynote	TOURISM AS A BRIDGE BETWEEN URBAN-RURAL DIVIDE PRESENTER: SK Misra , Chairman, ITRHD
11:00 – 12:00	Panel	MAKE IN INDIA IN TOURISM ANCHOR: Atul Chaturvedi, Additional Secretary, DIPP PANELISTS: • Steve Borgia, Founder, EcoTourism Society of India • Tour Operator Perspective, TBA • Hotel Perspective, TBA • Indian Heritage Perspective, TBA • Srikant Nagulapalli, Secretary, Andhra Tourism
12:00 – 12:20	Keynote	A HOLISTIC APPROACH TO TOURISM PRESENTER: Ashok Lavasa, Finance Secretary, Government of India
12:20 – 13:30	Panel:	JOINING THE DOTS IN GOVERNMENT ANCHOR: V K Duggal, Former DG Tourism and Former Governor, Manipur PANELISTS: • Ramesh Abhishek, Secretary, DIPP, Ministry of Commerce • Ajeet Sharan, Secretary, Ayush, Indian School of Medicine • Leena Nandan, Joint Secretary, Road Transport and Highways* • P L Sahu, Joint Secretary, Culture • Rajvir Singh, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Sports • Joint Secretary, Urban Development* • Joint Secretary, Civil Aviation* • Srikant Nagulapalli, Secretary, Andhra Tourism
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch	
14:30 – 15:30	Panel	NEW DRIVERS OF THE BIG CHANGE ANCHOR: Navin Berry, Executive Director, Cross Section Media PANELISTS: Sanjay Kothari, Chairman, Public Enterprises Selection Board Suman Billa, JS, Ministry of Tourism GB Srithar, Country Director, Singapore Tourism Chetan Kapoor, Research Head, Phocuswright India
15:30 – 15:50	Keynote	TECHNOLOGY AND ONLINE OUTREACH PRESENTER: Deep Kalra, Mentor and CEO, MakeMyTrip
15:50 – 16:10	Presentation	AIR INDIA PERSPECTIVES PRESENTER: Ashwani Lohani , CMD, Air India
16:10 – 17:00	Panel	AVIATION: SEAMLESS IN SYNC WITH TOURISM ANCHOR: Kapil Kaul, CEO-South Asia, CAPA PANELISTS: • Ankur Bhatia, Executive Director, BirdGroup • PS Nair, CEO- GMR Airports • Sanjay Kumar, CCO, IndiGo Airlines
17:00 – 17:30	Tea Break	
17:30 – 17:50	Keynote	TOURISM AND TRAVEL IN INDIAN ECONOMY PRESENTER: Amitabh Kant, CEO, Niti Aayog
17:50 – 18:50	Panel	MOTIVATING HOSPITALITY TO DRIVE TOURISM ANCHOR: Saeed Sherwani, CEO, Sherwani Group PANELISTS: • KB Kachru, Chairman Emeritus, Carlson-Rezidor Hotels • Sanjay Sharma, Market VP, North India and Nepal, Marriott • Manav Thadani, Chairman, HVS-Asia Pacific • Kapil Chopra, President, Oberoi Hotels and Resorts • Dilip Puri, Founder, Indian School of Hospitality
18:50 – 19:10	Keynote	INDIAN HERITAGE AND INDIAN TOURISM PRESENTER: TBA
19:10 – 20:00	Valedictory Session	DEFINING NEW AGE TOURISM CHIEF GUEST: Mahesh Sharma*, Minister of State (IC) Tourism & Culture, Government of India