

5 February 2020 Day II : Building Solidarity

Focus : In what ways are diverse local green enterprises being supported to flourish in India? And how do those experiences tally with other national experiences?

08:30 – 09:00	Registration and Networking
09:00 – 09:15	Opening Invocation
09:15 – 09:30	<p>Opening and Welcome Address Kanika Verma, Programme Director, Development Alternatives Group</p> <p>Summary of Day I and Flow of Day II</p>
09:30 – 10:30	<p>Panel Discussion: Local Green Enterprises <i>Restructuring Gandhi's Gram Swaraj for a Transition to Sustainable Futures in India</i></p> <p>A deeper dive into the Indian experience as national networks, thinkers and MSME Aggregators share their experience on working with micro and small enterprises, and a closer look at the policy implications of different models already in existence. Arvind Malik, CEO, Udyogini Ashish Kothari, Kalpavriksh, Vikalp Sangam, and Global Tapestry of Alternatives Eika Chaturvedi Banerjee, CEO, Future Learning Kumar Anubhav, Founder, NotOnMap Shambu Prasad, Professor, IRMA</p>
10:30 – 11:00	Tea Break
11:00 – 12:15	<p>Entrepreneurship Chaupal: Ecosystem Building at Meso Level</p> <p>An experience sharing session organised to engage with aggregators and other support organisations for Micro and Small Enterprises. Insights to inspire imagination, disrupt notion and compel introspection towards ecosystem strengthening of LGEs. Amit Bose, Director, GIST Advisory Madhu Sharan, President, Hand in Hand Ramakrishna, Co-Founder & MD, Rang De Rohtash Mal, Founder Chairman, EM3 Agri Services</p>
12:15 – 13:30	<p>Local Green Enterprises Fair</p> <p>An opportunity to walk through an enterprise fair and a chance to interact directly with local green enterprises and aggregators. Exhibits of products and stories of 20 Local Green Enterprises and Aggregators – Agriculture, Handicraft, Construction, Energy, Tourism and Waste.</p>
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch and Networking
14:30 – 16:30	<p>What's Working, What's Not</p> <p>Synthesis of findings to build into thematic recommendations. Together, we will tease out the barriers and enabling conditions.</p>
16:30 – 17:00	Tea Break
17:00 – 17:30	<p>The India Statement</p> <p>Together, we will agree on a collective statement to empower local green enterprises in the transition to an Inclusive Green Economy in India and globally.</p>
17:30 – 17:45	<p>Reflections from the Day</p> <p>Debapriya Dutta, Scientist G, Head - SEED, Department of Science and Technology Mahenau Agha, Director, UN Inquiry</p>
19:00 – 21:00	Dinner at India International Centre (IIC), New Delhi