

SUSTAINABLE APPROACHES TO REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT: ECONOMIC GROWTH, REGIONAL PLANNING AND GOVERNANCE

Overview

Spatial development is taking place in an accelerated scale in the developing countries. It is no more restricted to urban boundary. Economies of agglomeration are stretching the geographic limits beyond urban and rural periphery to a greater region. It's not unusual for many developed economies but the scale and magnitude of such expansion is never experienced before. Regional expansion has many consequences in economy, environment and society. But it also has reasonable connection with globalization and global economic movement. The juxtaposition of global connection and local delivery makes it an interesting topic to study. India being one of the rapidly growing major economies can learn from the experience of already developed economies about the regional spatial connotation of economic growth. The course provides a learning practice from the global case studies about the opportunity, challenges, and achievement. With the implementation of industrial corridor, India will experience drastic change in regional networking. Regionalization has never become important in India before. The course will create a structured debate on India's probable strategies for regional growth.

The course encourages dialogue and debate from the participants in various issues ranges from economy, environment, culture and society. The participants will be encouraged to lay down framework of adopting regional development in Indian context.

Modules	A: Regional and Metropolitan development : August 13 B: Ecology, Environment and Regional Growth : August 14 C. Site living laboratory and excursion : August 15 C: Regional Governance and Institutional Framework : August 16 D: Equity and Balanced Region : August 17 E: Globalization and Regionalism of the New Century : August 18 F: Innovation and creative cluster - New dimension of Regional Development : August 19 Number of participants for the course will be limited to fifty.
You Should Attend If...	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ You are an Architect, Planner, Economist, Geographer, Sociologist, Executive, Engineer or Researcher from manufacturing, service and government organization including R&D laboratories. ▪ You are a student or faculty from academic institution interested in learning how to do research on regional planning, development and governance.
Fees	The participation fees for taking the course is as follows: Participants from abroad : US \$500 Industry/ Research Organizations: ` 15,000 Academic Institutions: ` 7,000 Students: 3,500 The above fee include all instructional materials, computer use for tutorials and assignments, laboratory equipment usage charges, 24 hr free internet facility. The participants will be provided with accommodation on payment basis.

The Faculty



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