



BITOSA Delhi

Presents a Panel Discussion on



"ENTREPRENEURSHIP" CHALLENGES & OPPORTUNITIES

APRIL 7TH 2012 | 11:00 AM - 02:00 PM | BIT NOIDA CAMPUS

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Meet Entrepreneurs, Technocrats, Investors, Policy makers and India's Top Business Leaders from BIT fraternity debating at one common platform



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Building a Team? or diversifying your business?
or is it selling and getting the Right value for your firm??*

Get the answers from the Experts!

*Whats more! Music Band performance by BITians
also Lunch & Networking*



7th April @ BIT Noida, A-7 Sector 1, Noida-201301(Near Noida Sector 15 Metro Station)

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BITOSA, DELHI CHAPTER

Presents Panel Discussion on

“Entrepreneurship in BITians - Challenges & Opportunities”

On 7th April, 2012 at BIT Noida Campus (from 11:00 AM to 14:00 PM)

Dear BITians,

The Alumni of BIT Mesra, and its associated Campuses, a diverse assemblage of over 25000 engineers, scientists, managers, academicians and entrepreneurs, represent a very significant group of professionals, contributing effectively in their chosen areas of activity. Today, BITians are spread all across globe and one thing marks them out – the imprint of BIT is ingrained in all their doings.

We are delighted to announce BITOSA Delhi Panel Discussion on “Entrepreneurship in BITians – Challenges & Opportunities” on 7th April 2012 at BIT Noida Campus. The details of the event are given in brochure.

BIT Alumni, some of them who are leading entrepreneurs, technocrats, policy makers, business leaders across country will be participating in this discussion. Today, a good number of BITians are taking step ahead by choosing entrepreneurship as their career. This is an exciting choice, for it offers extreme satisfaction but it also offers many enduring challenges. It is for this enterprising brigade, we intend to bring out this panel discussion.

We are greatly thankful to our panelists and partners. Our Academic partners – BIT Noida & Print partners New Age International & Laxmi Publications.

We look forward to your participation to make this meet a huge success!

Thanks,
Richie Mittal,
President
BITOSA Delhi Chapter

Our Panelists



Mr. R. K. Gupta (Batch of 1965)

Founder & Chairman, Laxmi Publications Group & President Emeritus BITOSA Delhi

Mr. Gupta is founder of Laxmi Publications Group. He has over 35 years of publishing experience. A well-known figure in the Indian Publishing Industry, he was Ex-President, Federation of Educational Publishers in India. Apart from a distinguished personality in publishing industry, Mr. Gupta has actively taken part in promoting sports in India. He has head many international delegations. He was Secretary, Winter Games Federation of India, President, Ice Skating Association of India, Secretary, Winter Games Federation of India, Member, and Indian Olympic Association. He did Mechanical engineering from BIT Mesra.



Mr. Pramod Taparia (Batch of 1966)

Founder & Chairman, Wintech Taparia

Mr. Pramod Taparia (popular as PT) is an entrepreneur, facilitating the food processing industry, by doing required pioneering work in India. At an age of 35 years, in 1985, PT got an award from the Vice President Shri Ramaswamy Venkataraman of India for being a "Self made Industrialist", at Delhi. Collaborating with the Swedish, in 1986, he founded a company offering international Technology & Equipments at an affordable price in India. This company, together his Scandinavian partners, pioneered Potatoes, Vegetables and Seafood processing & packaging in India. In addition to a formal degree in engineering, he went in the year 1993, for an Advance Management Program of few weeks, to a well known institute in Stockholm, Sweden.



Mr. Niraj Sharan (Batch of 1976)

Founder, Chairman & CEO Aura Inc.

Mr. Niraj Sharan is the Founder-Chairman and CEO of Aura Inc, since 1989, a leading Global enterprise catering to the global ENERGY sector through Engineering, Manufacturing & System Integration. He is also Founder & Co-Chairman, Aurys s.r.l, Italy, a leading Technology Consulting and full service Engineering Company in Oil & Gas sector. He sits on advisory Board of several For Profit and Non-Profit companies out of USA, India & EU in Technology, Health Care and Clean Energy verticals. He is “Member, Technical Expert Committee - Government of India, under Department of Science & Technology since June 2009.”, “Special Invitee” to the US Endowment Board on US – India Joint Commission on Science and Technology formed under agreement of President Obama and Prime Minister Manmohan Singh.



Mr. M M Singh (Batch of 1974)

Managing Executive Officer & Board Member at Maruti Suzuki India Limited

Mr Singh is associated with Maruti Suzuki and since its inception and spearheaded ‘Challenge 50’ program. Mr. Singh has achieved global fame for pioneering innovative manufacturing techniques to achieve high growth in production volume & quality at low cost. He has lead various improvement projects such as new port terminal for exports and stockyards. He was jury member of Global Management Guru Award 2011.

Mr. Arun Gupta

Founder & Managing Director at NTL Electronics India Ltd.

NTL is an OEM manufacturer of electronics for the CFLs, electronic ballasts and finished CFLs - put together the largest lighting industry's electronic products manufacturer in India.



Mr. Sunil Jain (Batch of 1977)

Chief Operating Officer & Head-Wind, Green Infra

Sunil is the COO of Green Infra. He has over 27 years of experience in the engineering industry, particularly in the auto and infrastructure sectors. He has extensive experience in business development, both in the domestic and international markets, and in handling commercial negotiations with customers and vendors alike. Mr. Sunil is also the President, Northern Region Council and Member National Council of Indian Wind Power Association. Sunil is a Mechanical Engineer from BIT Mesra and holds an MBA from Faculty of Management Studies, Delhi University.



Mr. Rajiv Nag (Batch of 1971)

Founder and Chairman, CyberQ Consulting & Senior Advisor at KPMG

Senior Advisor of KPMG, The founder and Chairman of CyberQ Consulting Pvt. Ltd., Dr. Rajiv Nag is amongst the world's top-notch consultants in the areas of Process consulting who has helped organizations put their processes in place. With over 25 years of experience around the world in the areas of Software Project Management, Quality Assurance and System Testing, Development of Software Integrated Management Systems, Functional and System Integration, Application Systems Development, System design, Strategic management consultancy, Development of Quality Management Methodology and Information Security initiatives.



Shri T. Venkatesh, I.A.S. (Batch of 1979)

Chief Vigilance Officer (CVO) & Board Member, NTPC

Shri Venkatesh is an Indian Administrative Service officer of 1988 batch of U.P. Cadre. Prior to his assignment as Jt. Secy. (DOPT) in the Ministry of Personnel & Public Grievances & Pension, he held various administrative posts including DM (Bareilly), Commissioner (Gorakhpur) and Secretary (PWD) in the state of Uttar Pradesh. He is looking after the work of CVO and also on Board of Directors of NTPC since October, 2009. He has done Mechanical engineering from BIT Mesra and is post graduate in same.



Mr. Ashutosh Pande (Batch of 1983)

Managing Director (India) and Global Vice President & GM ISBU at CSR Technology (India)

Mr. Ashutosh specializes in market creation for new technology and products. Strategist, visionary and sharp thinker, he is currently Member Governing Council at Association of Geospatial Industries and also heads an incubation unit within the company where they are exploring avenues that will allow CSR to diversify beyond chipsets into services. He holds MS in Electrical Engineering from University of Alberta, USA and B.E. in Electronics & communication from BIT Mesra.



Mr. Nirankar Saxena

Director, Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI)

Mr. Saxena heads the Business Information Services Network Division (BISNET) at FICCI and manages multiple project portfolios. His responsibilities include networking with leading senior Government officials, industrialists' and the diplomatic corps in India as well as the visiting foreign dignitaries. Prior to joining FICCI, he was Chief Executive Officer of Osprey Software Technology (P) Ltd and Director of Team Computers (P) Ltd. He holds a B.E. in Computer Sciences from BIT Mesra.



Mr. Ajay Pathak (Batch of 1977)

Joint Secretary, Ministry of Road & Surface Transport, GOI

Former Joint Secretary at Ministry of Finance, he is now Jt. Secretary at Ministry of Road and Surface Transport. He has done his Civil Engineering from BIT Mesra.



Mr. Jagdish Mitra (Batch of 1988)

Chief Executive Officer of CanvasM

At CanvasM, he leads a team of over 600 associates that are focused on providing solutions that enable customers and enterprises take advantage of the mobile ecosystem. With over 20 years of experience in the areas of business development and marketing in the global information services market. Under his leadership, CanvasM has been awarded the “Best Start-Up Company” at the Mobile Content Awards 2008 held in London.



Mr. Atul Kansal (Batch of 1984)

Founder and Managing Director, INDUS Enviro

Mr. Kansal is Founder and Managing Director of INDUS Enviro and is responsible for its activities in India and the neighboring countries. He has more than 18 years of diversified consulting experience in Environmental Health & Safety (EH&S) Management particularly in EH&S Compliance and Due-Diligence Auditing. Over last 18 years, he has worked on more than 350 environmental projects in a variety of sectors. He has done his Civil engineering from BIT Mesra and Masters from IIT Roorkee.



Mr. Anup Damani (Batch of 1979)

Managing Director at Alloy Cast

Mr. Damani is Managing Director at Alloy Cast (P) Ltd. Today, under his leadership, the company now boast of a capacity of over 3, 50,000 to 4, 00,000 castings per month. It has factories to cater diversified range of products and services encompassing industries like automotive, hardware, plumbing and heating controls.



Mr. Abhishek Sinha (Batch of 1995)

Co-founder & CEO of Eko India Financial Services Private Limited

Eko democratizes access to formal financial services using mobile phones as a financial identity for people at the bottom of the pyramid. Eko stands out for simplicity of user experience while still ensuring secure transactions. Eko has partnered with 1,500 retail stores bringing banking services at the next-door grocer for close to 1 million customers. Eko processes over \$ 1 million every day and has processed close to half a billion dollars in transactions so far! Eko listed amongst top 10 most innovative companies in India by FastCompany.com!

Other Likely Distinguished Speakers (BITians) –



Mr. Himanshu Kapania – Managing Director, Idea Cellular

Mr. S. N. Agarwal – Chairman, Bhoruka Power Corpn. Ltd

Dr. I. M. Khaneja - Vice Chairman, Somdutt Builders



Date & Timings:

- **Date** – 7th April 2012
- **Registration & Tea** – 10:30 PM
- **Panel Discussion 1** – 11:00 AM to 11:45 AM **Panel Discussion 2** - 12:15 PM to 1:00 PM
- **Band performance by BITians** – 1:00 PM to 1:15 PM
- **Lunch & Networking** – 1:30 PM to 2:30 PM

Location :

BIT Noida Campus Auditorium
BIT Noida, A-7 Sector 1, Noida-201301(Near Noida Sector 15 Metro Station)

For Registrations & Lunch :

Send in confirmations **by 25th March 2012** at **bitosadelhi@yahoo.com & ayush@tanaashi.com**

Life Members : Rs.400/- ;

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For Guests : Rs. 500/- ;

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Last Date : 25th March 2012

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