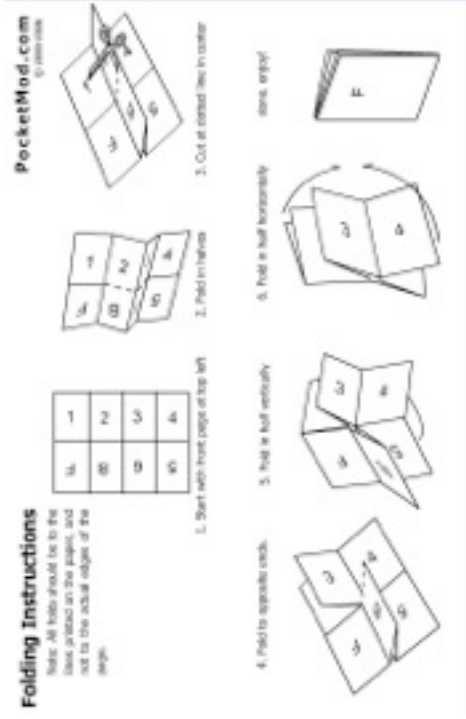


Info

1. Registration: Please arrive at 9:00am and bring along the printed Eventbrite ticket/a Photo ID to facilitate registration.
2. Food and Beverage: Participants can purchase tea, coffee & lunch at the Cafeteria.
3. Attire: Smart Casual & Comfortable.
4. Directions:
 - Reaching IIT Madras Research Park <http://g.co/maps/z26fp>
5. Bring your own wireless data dongles.
6. We encourage you to:
 - Return lanyards, markers, paper and other materials that can be reused
 - Bring your own water bottles
 - Print only what you really need - your ticket and this folder
 - Give a lift or share your taxi with other participants.



TAKSHASHILA shala

Chennai 2011

India's National Interests Towards Shared Visions

Sunday, November 6th, 2011

9:00am-5:40pm

IIT Madras Research Park

Party: 7pm (Venue TBD)

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Rules of Engagement (2)

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6. Please take your seat at the sound of five rings of the gong.
7. The total duration of each speaking slot is 4min. Speakers can speak for no more than 20 min. The remaining time is for discussion.
8. The session coordinator will ring the gong to start and end each speaking slot.
9. Do not interrupt an ongoing discussion
10. Interventions can be of two types: long (2 mins) or short (< 60 secs). To request a long intervention raise your hand. To request a short intervention, raise two fingers to catch the speaker's attention.
11. You can speak after the speaker 'recognises' you. Keep your interventions brief and to the point so that everyone has a chance to participate in the discussion.
12. Please ensure that you keep strictly to the time slots to be fair to everyone.

Rules of Engagement (1)

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1. This is a private event for Members and Invited Guests of the Takshashila Institution.
2. All sessions are open. You are encouraged to blog, tweet, take pictures and videos. Mediapersons are welcome to report on the proceedings.
3. Ravi Bajaj Gate Rule: You can make a voluntary financial contribution to Takshashila as you see fit.
4. Discuss ideas, policies and politics, but leave partisanship outside the door.
5. Make strong arguments, actively listen to others, keep an open mind and, above all, be polite. Help us create a conducive environment for civil, intelligent and high-quality discourse.
6. Slide presentations are not permitted.
7. While we will make every attempt to accommodate all those who are interested to speak, please note that this is subject to audience response & availability of time.

Things To Do (2)

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- AT THE SHALA
- Participate, talk, listen, engage
 - Tweet, blog and update Facebook on the proceedings, use #shala
 - Move around the three sessions and listen to speakers you haven't heard before
 - Fill in your Personal Action Plan from your insights during the day.
 - Have fun
 - Join us for the Shala party in the evening. You'll know the venue during the day.

Things To Do (1)

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- AS YOU COME IN
- Collect your name badge..
 - Collect two envelopes: one has your Personal Action Plan form and the other is for you to enclose a voluntary financial contribution to Takshashila.
 - On the Agenda Board, indicate the topics/speakers you'd like to hear by putting a tally mark against it
 - If you wish to speak, put your name & topic on the Agenda Board
- AS YOU LEAVE
- Seal the envelope containing your Personal Action Plan, address it to your usual mailing address and hand it to us.
 - Donate to the Takshashila Institution