

Conference on

Emerging Priorities For Sustainable Partnerships

Organized by

Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute

Venue: INDIA INTERNATIONAL CENTRE, NEW DELHI

Date : JUNE 1. 2013

CALL FOR PAPERS

The Institute

The Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute is a bi-national organization that promotes understanding between India and Canada through academic activities and exchanges. Its broad-based initiatives support the creation of bi-national links between academia, government, the business community and civil society organizations by funding research, faculty and student exchange, conferences, workshops and seminars. With a membership of 93 leading Indian and Canadian universities and research institutions, the Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute has facilitated greater collaboration between Indian and Canadian institutions in the humanities, social sciences, arts, science & technology, legal education, and management studies. The Institute, as part of its mandate, has also supported research on sustainable development and other United Nations Millennium Development Goals.

Objectives

Emerging opportunities and strategies to address challenges in these four areas that have been identified as priority sectors by both the Indian and Canadian governments will be the themes of this Conference. One of the objectives of this Conference is to gather experts and a new cadre of researchers to discuss their contributions to higher learning while weaving academic and institutional collaborations between Canada and India. It is expected that strategic recommendations will be derived from the Conference that will contribute to sustained academic and institutional partnerships.

Travel and Accommodation

Economy class air-fare within India, and local accommodation in New Delhi, will be provided to out-station scholars whose papers have been selected for presentation at the Conference. Travel and accommodation arrangements/ reimbursements will be done according to the travel and accommodation policy of the Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute.

Call for Papers

Papers are invited from faculty, post-doctoral researchers, and doctoral students from Shastri member institutions, as well as faculty/researchers from non-member institutions to present and share work that has been completed or is currently progressing in these four areas. The papers could be the outcome of research funded by the Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute or by other agencies, universities or research institutions. We particularly encourage submissions that develop inter-disciplinary themes.

Authors must indicate the focus area for which they would like their paper to be considered.

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Important Dates

April 30, 2013: **Deadline for Submission of Abstracts**

> May 15, 2013: **Acceptance Notification**

June 1, 2013: Conference

About The Conference

The Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute invites papers on collaborative research that has been completed, or is currently being undertaken, by Indian and Canadian universities/ research institutions in four focus areas:

- 1. Energy & Environment
- 2. Public Health
- 3. Food Security & Sustainable **Development**
- 4. Bi-lateral Trade and Investment

Conference Coordinators

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Submission of Abstract / Any Query

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