8th India Water Week 2024 'Harnessing Traditional Knowledge for Water Conservation'

AGENDA

19 September 2024 | 13:45 to 15:15 hrs

Venue: Hall II, Bharat Mandapam, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi

Chair: Mr. G. Asok Kumar, Senior Advisor, Development Alternatives and Former DG NMCG

Co-Chair and Moderator: Dr. Swayamprabha Das, AVP & Lead, Policy & Planning, Development Alternatives

Time	Sessions
13:45 - 13:50	Welcome and Context Setting: Dr Swayamprabha Das AVP & Lead, Policy & Planning, Development Alternatives
13:50 - 14:00	Opening Remarks: Mr. G. Asok Kumar, Chair Senior Advisor, Development Alternatives and Former DG NMCG
14:00 - 14:30	Paper and Poster Presentations Moderator: Dr. Swayamprabha Das 1. Traditional Water Source: Talab by Mr. Bajrang Lal Jaithu, Gavaraja Magazine, Rajasthan 2. Necessity of Revival of Step Wells for Water Conservation in India by Mr. Sandeep Waghmare, Scientist C, Central Ground Water Board (CGWB) 3. Traditional Water Wisdom of Nahare Ambari and Devagiri Daulatabad Fort India by Mr. Siddiqui Mohammed Riyazuddin, Associate Professor, Civil Engineering Department, Hi-tech Institute of Technology 4. Partnerships and Cooperation for Inclusive Water Development and Management by Ms. Alexia Michels, Senior Water Resources Specialist, Asian Development Bank 5. Poster Presentation: Harvesting Heritage: A Historical Exploration of Indigenous Water Management and Sustainable Agriculture Through the Case Study of Khazana Well in India by Mr. Kailas Charkha, Civil Engineering Department, Hi-tech Institute of Technology (TBC)
14:30 - 14:45	Panel Discussion Moderator: Dr. Swayamprabha Das • Ms. Kalpana Ramesh, Founder, The Rainwater Project & Core Member SAHE NGO • Adv. Sanju Sisodia, Program Coordinator, Gramin Vikas Vigyan Samiti (GRAVIS) • Mr. Nitesh Kumar, Project Leader, Self-Reliant Initiatives through Joint Action (SRIJAN)
14:45 - 14:55	Open Discussion
14:55 - 15: 05	Release of the Report – "India's Pond Rejuvenation Program Learnings from the Mission Amrit Sarovar Implementation in India"
15:10 - 15:15	Closing Remarks: Dr. Swayamprabha Das





