

TERI holds its annual flagship event, the **World Sustainable Development Summit (WSDS), 2019** to bring together the best minds from across the world to deliberate on issues of topical import. The next edition of the Summit, slated from **11-13 February, 2019** at the **India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, India**, will be held under the broad rubric, '**Attaining the 2030 Agenda: Delivering on Our Promise**'.

Over its journey, WSDS has served as a congregation of leaders from the worlds of polity, economy, civil-society and academia. We take great pride in the fact that past discussions at the Summit have handsomely contributed to and enriched the discourse on issues of sustainability. We have been successful in getting niche sections of society constructively involved in the debates, including country presidents and prime ministers; Nobel laureates; captains of industry and thought leaders from civil-society. Since the discussions at the Summit primarily revolve around 'our common future' we have had a cross-section of global thought leaders extend us with the privilege of their presence.

At the 2019 edition of the Summit, themes of energy, environment (marine and air pollution), mobility, sustainable agriculture will be addressed in-depth. Please visit the Summit website for the very latest (<http://wsds.teriin.org/index.php>)

The Summit will be inaugurated by the **Hon'ble Vice President of India, Shri Venkaiah Naidu** on **11 February, 2019** at **Vigyan Bhavan, New Delhi** between **0900- 1015 hrs (to seated by 8.30 am)**.

You are most cordially invited to participate in the inaugural ceremony.

We have limited number of seats for students. Hence you can nominate around 5 students from your institute/ department to participate in the ceremony. Kindly confirm your participation latest by 6th February 2019.

Kindly furnish the following details of the participants so that security pass can be issues to them. No one will gain entry without the pass. The details are:

1. Name (Full expanded)
2. Full name of father/husband
3. Name of the institution
4. Full residential address
5. Mobile number

Please send your expression of interest to attend to M B Prakash (m.prakash@teri.res.in).

Further details on the inauguration programme and joining instructions will be shared with you shortly.

Best regards,
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