

LIVE @ DHAKA

DAY-1 Monday, November 11, 2019

12:15 – 12:30

From Bricks to Clicks: The Future is E-commerce

- Sparky Pererras, CEO, PearlPay
- Asif Zahir, Founder, Sindabad.com (Young Global Leader)
- Shimelse Mekonnen, Manager of Reporting and Data Analytics, Qutech and Co-Founder, MeSh Cart (Moderator)

12:45 – 13:00

(Click) Bait: Mainstream Media in the Hashtag Era

- Viktoriia Ivanchenko, Editor-in-Chief, PICREADI
- Tareen Hossain, Executive Director, Daily Ittefaq
- Mozammel Haque Babu, Chief Editor, Channel 71 (Moderator)

16:00 – 16:20

Disrupting Pharma: Medicines for All

- Sheetal Ranganathan, Vice President and Global Head, Life Sciences and Healthcare Operations, Evalueserve
- Winnie Munene, Head, Integrated Healthcare Services, Merck KGaA
- Md. Habibe Millat, MP, Chairman, Advisory Group on Health, Inter-Parliamentary Union
- Clement Kanamugire, Policy Analyst, National Health Service, UK (Moderator)

17:30 – 17:45

Local Narratives, Global Appeal: Cultural Rejuvenation in the Age of Netflix

- Laura Yerekeshova, Deputy Director – International Affairs, Institute of Oriental Studies, Almaty, Kazakhstan
- Kazi Anis Ahmed, Columnist and Media Publisher and Director, Dhaka Lit Fest
- Kanchan Gupta, Distinguished Fellow, Observer Research Foundation (Moderator)



PROGRAMME

DAY-2 Tuesday, November 12, 2019

10:00 – 10:15	Ecofeminism: Engendering Green Transitions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Eshrat Waris, Business Designer, SOLShare• Neha Kumar, India Programme Manager, Climate Bonds Initiative• Beatrice Mosello, Senior Project Manager, Adelphi (Moderator)
11:00 – 11:20	Financing for Development: Partnerships for Growth <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ashok Kumar, Deputy General Manager, Export-Import Bank of India• Nihad Kabir, President, MCCI• Ksenia Kirilova, Knowledge Management Analyst, UNDP• Mignone Berge, Consultant, International Trade, Development & Environment Consultancy (Moderator)
11:40 – 11:55	Destination SDG: New Frameworks for Sustainable Tourism <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Shahid Hussain Shamim, CEO, Ajiyer Fair Trade Tourism• Korvi Rakshand, Founder and Executive Director, Jaago Foundation• Sumala Chowdhury, Director, Tiger Tours Ltd. (Moderator)
12:15 – 12:30	Millennial Nation: How the Young will Reshape Politics <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Shameem Haider Patwary, MP, Vice Chairman, Dhaka International University• Divya Maderna, Member of Legislative Assembly – Rajasthan, Indian National Congress• Shah Ali Farhad, Special Assistant to Prime Minister, PMO, Bangladesh (Moderator)
15:00 – 15:15	Technology and Development: Innovating for the Next 5 Billion <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mike Briers AO, CEO, Food Agility CRC• Syed Farhad Ahmed, Managing Director, AAMRA Technologies• Krzysztof Marcin Zalewski, Chair of the Board, Boym Institute and Editor-in-Chief, "Tydzien w Azji" (Moderator)
16:15 – 16:35	Deep Learning: Education and Enterprise in the 4IR <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Nasim Manzur, Managing Director, Apex Footwear• Sakar Pudasaini, Founder, Karkhana• Harald Friedl, CEO, Circle Economy• Saif Kamal, Founder, Toru Institute of Inclusive Innovation (Moderator)
17:00 – 17:15	Humane Metropolis: Towards People-Centric Urbanisation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lin Jia, Architect, Gensler• Iqbal Habib, Principal Architect, VITTI Sthapati Brindo• Ka Ming Andre Kwok, Founder, Future City Summit (Moderator)

DAY-3 Wednesday, November 13, 2019

10:00 – 10:20

Preordained or Premature? Debating the Asian Century

- Kim Mai Tran, Research Associate, CSIS
- Tinh Le Dinh, Acting Director General, Institute for Foreign Policy and Strategic Studies, Diplomatic Academy of Vietnam
- Daria Gribkova, Expert, Foresight Centre of HSE Institute for Statistical Studies and Economics of Knowledge
- Sonu Trivedi, Director - Indian Cultural Centre, Embassy of India, Seoul, Republic of Korea (Moderator)

10:45 – 11:10

Marshalling South Asia: Integrating the Sub-continent

- Maj. Gen. AKM Abdur Rahman, ndc, psc, Director General, Bangladesh Institute of International and Strategic Studies
- Maj. Gen. Dharshana Hettiarachchi RSP VSV USP ndu psc, Head of National Action Plan on Preventing and Countering the Religious Radicalization and Violent Extremism in Sri Lanka
- Pavel Luzin, Expert/Columnist, The Riddle
- Kanchan Gupta, Distinguished Fellow, Observer Research Foundation (Moderator)

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She Designs: Towards a New Market Space

In Conversation with Bibi Russell, Fashion Designer and Former International Model

Moderated by Samir Saran, President, Observer Research Foundation

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Tech Against Gender-based Violence

- Barbara Christine Nimusiima, Programme Manager - Gender/ICT, International Womens' Centre for Empowerment
- Sayed Saikh Imtiaz, Associate Professor, Department of Women and Gender Studies, University of Dhaka
- Marina Paula Benítez Demtschenko, Founder and CEO, Digital Feminist Activism Foundation (Moderator)



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