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S.No	Roundtable Topic	Sponsoring EPC	Sector Committee	Proposed Speaker	CV of Speakers	Moderator	CV of Moderator
1	Trends in Colors and Designs (1000 — 1100 Hrs)	NIFT & CEPC	Fashion	Mr. Ben Evans, Editor Hali, U.K – Star Editor	Hali is the world's leading magazine about antique textiles and carpets funded by O/o DC(H)	Dr. Prof. Shalini Sud (NIFT)	NIFT
				Mr Eric Duchamp	Worldwide CEO, Peclars		
				Ms. Priya Sachdeva	Business Director, South Asia, WGSN		
				Ms. Latika Khosla	Freedom Tree		
2	Exploring new exports markets, technology for the designing promotion and marketing of handmade carpets (1130 — 1230 Hrs)	HEPC & CEPC	Carpet	Mr. Graham Head, Vice Chairman, ABC Carpets and Home, USA – Star Speaker	He heads carpet business of one of the biggest buyers in USA.	Mr. M.P. Sharma,	Chairman, CEPC
				Mr. Yogesh Chaudhary, M/s. Jaipur Rugs	A Management student from Boston College, USA. Has entrepreneurial abilities and deep knowledge of the rug business. Has guided Jaipur Rugs foray		



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					into positioning the company as a global leader in manufacturing and exporting.		
				Mr. Gaurav Sharma, MD, ObeeteePvt. Ltd.	He took over as the Managing Director of the Company in 2013. Alumnus of the Delhi School of Economics. OBEETEE was established in 1920 and today is India's leading producer and exporter of exquisite hand-knotted, hand-tufted and flat woven carpets.		
				Mr. Bolanath Baranwal of Bolanath Industries Pvt. Ltd	Knowledgeable on Persian Kashmiri Carpets – recommended by Shri Kuldeep Wattal, Former Chairman, CEPC		



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3	Tribal Weaves of India (1400 — 1500 Hrs)	HEPC & NID	Handloom	Ms. Swasti Singh Ghai,	Sr. Textile Design Faculty, NID	Senior Faculty, NIFT	
				Shri V. Sakthivel,	Sr. Textile Design Faculty, NID		
				Mrs. Emilia Tan, Founder & MD, TMS ART Marketing Sdn. Bhd.	Textiles Buyers with specialized experience in Batik Malaysia, Textile craft expert, successful textile entrepreneur		
4	Productivity and marketing constraints in wool sector (1000— 1100 Hrs)	WWEPC	Wool	Mr. John Roberts (International Speaker)	General Manager Eastern Hemisphere , AWI Sydney , john.roberts@wool.com	Dr. S.K. Choudhari Ex. Australia/New Zealand/Woolmark.	Director, International Wool Secretariat
				Ms. Julie Davies	General Manager product and innovation , AWI Sydney , Julie.davies@wool.com		
				Mr. Roy Kettlewell	Consultant, Kettlewell Consulting , AWI Sydney		
				Mr. Vikas Mehta, MD	MD, Felt & Technical Textiles		



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				Shri Ravikant Kapoor	Director		
				Dr A. M. Mir,	MD, Cashmere Marketing Agencies		
5	Water Less Textile processing/ 3D Printing (1130 — 1230 Hrs)	SRTEPC	TA	Mr Rene Van Berkel,	Officer in Charge - Regional Office India (UNIDO)	Mr. U. K. Gangopadhyay	Executive Director (SASMIRA)
				Mr. Nitin Prasad, Prof	Chairman (Shell India)		
				Mr. Girish Luthra	Gujarat Eco-Tech Textile Park, Surat		
				Prof Asim Tiwari	Representative from IIT Bombay	Japan/Germany.	
6	Zero Liquid Discharge System (1400 — 1500 Hrs)	SRTEPC	TA	Ms. Judith Buchmaier Dy Head AEE	AEE - Institute for Sustainable Technologies Industrial Processes and Energy Systems A-8200 Gleisdorf, Feldgasse 19, Austria	Mr. Sajid Hussain	Chief Operating Officer (Tamilnadu Water Investment Company).
				Dr. Madhusudanan, Divisional Head, IPC-III	Central Pollution Control Board	Bangalore/ Israel/	



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				Dr Rajah Vijaykumar	Scientist Erode Pilot Project for Effluent Treatment	Germany/ Japan.		
				Dr Anil Misra	National Project Manager, UNIDO			
7	Revival of endangered crafts (1000 — 1100 Hrs)	EPCH	Handicrafts	Mr. Indrasen Vencatacheelum	Former Director, Division of Creative Industries , UNESCO	Smt. Chithra Arumugam, Commissioner and Secretary, Govt. of Orissa	She has been dealing with handicrafts in Orissa for many years	
				Mrs. Ritu Sethi, Chairperson, Craft Revival Trust	Ritu Sethi is Chairperson of the Craft Revival Trust and Editor of the principal online encyclopedia on the intangible cultural heritage. She has chaired the UNESCO Consultative Body examining nominations to the ICH Urgent Safeguarding.			
				Rajeev Sethi, Designer	Rajeev Sethi is South Asia's leading designer and is noted internationally for his			



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					innovative contribution to preserving and celebrating the subcontinent's rich cultural heritage. For more than 35 years, through his work in design and architecture, performances and festivals, exhibitions and publication, policy and program, he has identified ways to bring contemporary relevance to traditional skills of vulnerable artisan communities and creative professionals.		
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				Ms. Gita Ram, President, Craft Council of India	Gita Ram is co-founder of the Industree Foundation and Industree Crafts Pvt. Ltd. She has been working in the craft sector for several years and has a rich expertise in technical issues. She has been working as a volunteer with the Crafts Council of India for over 30 years and is currently the Chairman.		
8	Technology and Handicrafts (1130 — 1230 Hrs)	EPCH	Handicrafts	Dr. Bhupesh Sharma, Scientist, Sriram Institute of Industrial Research, New Delhi	Dr. Bhupesh Sharma, Ph.D. Chemistry is an Incubator, Trainer for Entrepreneurs on Entrepreneurship Development, in the areas of Rubber and	Prof. Ila Gupta, IIT, Roorkee	



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					plastic, waste utilization & waste, R&D on Plastic & environment Analysis of Air, Water & soil, Process Control, Production & Quality control of Cement in Shriram Institute for Industrial Research.	*: IIT Kharagpur Sandhi/Yuketi	
				Representative of SANDHI, being nominated by Ministry of HRD			
				Mr. Charan Singh, Regional Director	TUV – Rheinland Testing Lab, Germany		
9	Jute Based Municipal Waste Management Technology (1000 — 1100 Hrs)	NJB	R & D	Prof. Gajanan Bhat, PhD, FTI, Professor, Fibers and Textiles, Head,	Dept. of Textiles Merchandising & Interiors, University of Georgia Athens, GA 30602	Prof. S.K. Ghosh, Head of the Department	Department of Jute and Fiber Technology, Institute of Jute Technology, University of Calcutta
				Prof. Janendranath Mandal, Professor Emeritus	Dept. of Civil Engineering Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Powai, Mumbai – 400 076.		



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				Prof. Aniruddha Mukhopadhyay, Professor and ExHead	Dept. of Environmental Science		
				Mr. Jayanta Basu, Member	Expert Committee on Climatic Change, Kolkata Municipal Corporation (KMC),		
				Mr. Atanu Sen, Director	Trimurti Industries Ltd.,		
10	Standards in Technical Textile (1130 — 1230 Hrs)		R&D/ BIS	Mr. Krijn Dijkstra, Global Business Executive	M/S DSM Netherlands	Dr. A N Desai, Chairman ISRO Chair P&G/Pfizer	Textile Division Council and TXD 30 and TXD 33 committees of BIS
				Mr. Oliver Christof Business Unit Manager,	M/S Barnet Europe, Germany		
				Shri J.K. Gupta, Scientist-D, Textiles	Bureau of Indian Standards		
				Shri S B Dangayach, Managing Director	M/S Syntex Industries		
				Shri Manoj Jhaver, Technical Marketing Manager– South Asia	M/s E I DuPont India Private Limited, Mumbai		
11	Commercial Production of	TEXPROCIL	R&D	Dr. Rajesh Anandjiwala, Chief Researcher	CSIR, Port Elizabeth, South Africa.	Dr. Arindam Basu, Director General,	Northern India Textile



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	Plant Fiber of Himalayan Foothill (1000 — 1100 Hrs)			Dr. B.S. Mahapatra, Professor Agronomy	G B Pant University of Agriculture & Technology (Uttarakhand)		Research Association, Ghaziabad, U.P.
				Shri S.K. Som, Director	Quality Assurance & Technical Services, Raymond Ltd. Jeke Gram, Thane, Maharashtra		
12	Trends in Indian Cotton (1400 — 1500 Hrs)	TEXPROCIL	Cotton	Dr.K.R. Kranthi,	Head, Technical Information Section, ICAC	Sh. Siddhartha Rajagopal	
				Mr. B.K. Patodia,	CMD, M/s.GTN Textiles Ltd.		
				Mr. Robin Anson,	Director, Textile Intelligence Ltd.		
				Mr. P.R. Roy	Chairman - Diagonal Consulting (India) and former Group Chief Executive (Textiles) of Arvind Mills Ltd.		
13	Potential of silk by product for	CSB	Silk	Dr. Subhas Kundu	Prof of Biotechnology, IIT (Retd.)		



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	commercial use and R&D on silk (1000 — 1100 Hrs)			Dr Li Long PhD	Standing Vice President Chinese Society of Sericulture Science	L'Oréal/Pfizer.	
				Dr Subhas V Naik	Director, Central Silk Technology research Institute		
14	Sustainability of Jute and Allied Natural Fibers (1130 — 1230 Hrs)	NJB	Jute	Mr. Dilip Tambyrajah, Secretary General	International Natural Fibers Organization (INFO), The Netherlands	Prof. Abdul Jabbar Khan,	Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET), Dhaka, Bangladesh
				Mr. A. K. Lohia, Managing Director	M/s. Alliance Mills (Lessees) Ltd., 18, N. S. Road, Kolkata-700 001		
15	Research in innovative use of jute including Non-Wovens and Composites(1400 — 1500 Hrs)	NJB	Jute	Dr. M. Zimniewska	Institute of Natural Fibers, Poland	Dr. Sabu Thomas, Professor,	Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala
				Mr. D.C. Baheti, Managing Director	Gloster Ltd; Fort Gloster, Bauria		
16	Market Linkages with Retail Chains (1000 — 1100 Hrs)	HEPC	MMF	Mr. Mark Jarvis, Managing Director, WTiN Global Network, UK – Star speaker	MD – WtiN specialized in global information for entire textile value	Mr. Rajesh Jain, Business Head	BIBA Apparel Group Business developer for
				Mr. Toshinorie Haruna, AGM, Textile Division,	Textile Buyer from Sumitomo Corporation		



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				Sumitomo Corporation, Japan	with 32 years global experience		BIBA – India Handloom Brand company with retail experience
				Mr. R. Viswanathan, Marketing Consultant, Former Indian Ambassador, LAC	Marketing consultant having wide experience in business		
				Sr. representative from FAB India			
17	Branding and Quality Assurance (1130 – 1230 Hrs.)	CII + CMAI	MMF	Mr. Manish Kumar, Global Executive Vice President, Geo Chem Laboratories Group – Star speaker	28 years quality control & buying experience, currently heading Geochem group soft lines testing team for global operations	Mr. V. Kumar, Chairman, HEPC	HEPC Chairman and have more than 35 years in handloom industry and successful Entrepreneur from Karur
				Mr. Gaurav Mahajan, President (Apparel), Raymond Group	He is developing Raymond's business new strategy and has past, experience in developing 'West Side from one store to most successful pvt. Label chain stores		
				Mr. Sumit Gupta, Dy. Director, 'Standards & QA'	RSL, chemical, social compliance expert esp. in Organic certification and		



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				– India Bangladesh, Global Organic Textile Standard	standards developer with GOTS – Global Organic Textile Standard		
				Ms. Madhura Dutta, Executive Director, All India Artisan and Crafts Workers Welfare Association (AIACA)	AIACA has been instrumental in establishing craft mark		
18	Ease of Doing Business (1400 — 1500 Hrs.)	CII + CMAI	EA	Mr Ramesh Abhishek	Secretary DIPP		
				Sh. Hande Diltemiz	Managing Director, H&M Production, India and Sri Lanka		
				Mr. Junaid Kamal Khan,	Country Director India, World Bank; representative of H&M/Ikea; representative of KPMG/EY on taxes		



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19	Advance Technology in Textile Manufacturing (1000 — 1100 Hrs)		TXC	Mr. Giuseppe Gherzi, Partner,	Gherzi Consultants, Zurich, Switzerland/Mr. Dietrich Eickhoff, Managing Director and CEO of the SHANGGONG (EUROPE) HOLDING CORP. GMBH, at Bielefeld, Germany	Mr. Manikam Ramaswamy	CMD Loyal Textiles Mill Ltd.
				Mr. Sanjay Jayavarthanavelu,	CMD, Lakshmi Machine Works Ltd.		
				Mr. Rajnikanth Bachkaniwala,	Past Chairman ITME, TMMA		
20	Size India (1400 — 1500 hrs.)	NIFT	Fashion	Dr. Micheal T. Fralix	President and CEO, Textile Clothing Technology Corporation- Key note Speaker	Dr. Noopur Anand, Professor, NIFT, India	
				Mr. Nidhi Raj	Product Head, Peter England, Madura Garments		



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				Mr. Narender Kumar	Designer & Creative Director Amazon		
				Mr. Rahul Mehta	President, CMAI		
21	Start up India- Women Entrepreneurship development (1000 — 1100 Hrs)		JS (PA)				
22	Young Entrepreneur (1130 — 1230 Hrs.)	WEF	JS (PA)				