



## Workshop on Enhancing India's participation in Global Value Chains

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## **Enhancing India's participation in Global Value Chains: Enabling "Made in India"?**

Global Value Chains (GVCs) offer a way of reaping the gains of international specialization by the breakup of the production process into geographically separate stages. For countries, this offers opportunities to specialize in different stages of the production process and thereby move up the value chain. India is seen as lagging in adoption of this mode at least in part due to deficiencies in policy. However, there is a weak evidence base for this perception and hence no coherent basis for policy to encourage Indian and foreign firms to cooperate in value chains.

The objective of this study is to fill the evidence base on this issue. Through a survey of circa 100 firms in selected industries, detailed empirical evidence is to be provided of their engagement in GVC activity; the domestic barriers to those engagements; and the costs associated with those barriers. Policies benefitting India will also be identified.

### **Programme**

#### **Day 1: March 16, 2015**

09:30-10:00 a.m.	<b>Registration</b>
10:00-10:05 a.m.	Introduction and Welcome Remarks by <b>Prof. Anwarul Hoda</b> , Chair Professor, Trade Policy and WTO Research Programme, ICRIER
10:05-11:15 a.m.	Chair: <b>Prof. Anwarul Hoda</b>  Presentation on WIOD by <b>Dr. Michael Gasiorek</b> , University of Sussex  Presentation on GVC activity Indian firms: summary of the findings from the survey by <b>Dr. Saon Ray</b> , ICRIER
11:15-11:30 a.m.	Q & A
11:30 -11:45	Tea Break
11:45-12:30 p.m.	<b><u>Industry Session 1: Automobiles</u></b>  Chair: <b>Nisha Taneja</b> , Professor, ICRIER  Speakers: <b>Mr. Sugato Sen</b> , SIAM <b>Dr. Biswajit Nag</b> , IIFT

	<b>Mr. Subhomoy Bhattacharjee</b> , Indian Express
12:30-12:45 p.m.	Q & A
12:45-2.00 p.m.	Lunch
2.00-2.45 p.m.	<b><u>Industry Session 2: Semiconductor chips /IT</u></b>  Chair: <b>Dr. Saon Ray</b>  Speakers: <b>Prof. Dev Nathan</b> , IHD <b>Dr. Anupam Khanna</b> (formerly NASSCOM) <b>Mr. Avinash Ramachandra</b> , Dell India
2:45 -3.00 p.m.	Q & A
3.00 -3.15 p.m.	Tea
3.15 – 4.15 p.m.	<b><u>Industry Session 3: Pharmaceuticals</u></b> Chair: <b>Dr. Michael Gasiorek</b> , University of Sussex  Speakers: <b>Prof. B. N. Goldar</b> , IEG <b>Dr. Saradindu Bhaduri</b> , JNU <b>Mr. Anil Khaitan</b> , SNK <b>Dr. Mukta Arora</b> , Eli Lilly
4.15 – 4.30 p.m.	Q & A

## **Day 2: March 17, 2015**

09:30-10:00 a.m.	<b>Registration</b>
10:00-10:35 a.m.	Introduction by <b>Dr. Rajat Kathuria</b> , Director & CE, ICRIER Chair: <b>Dr. Rajat Kathuria</b>  Lecture on India's vs. China's engagement in GVCs by <b>Dr. Michael Gasiorek</b> , University of Sussex
10.35 -11.00 a.m.	Presentation enhancing India's integration in GVCs by <b>Dr. Saon Ray</b> and <b>Smita Miglani</b> , ICRIER
11:00-11:30 a.m.	Q & A/open discussion
11.30 -11.45 a.m	Tea
11:45 -12:45 p.m.	<b><u>Panel discussion on How can India enhance its integration with GVCs?</u></b> moderated by <b>Mr. M. K. Venu</b> , Executive Editor, Amar Ujala

	<b>Prof. Abhijit Das</b> , Head & Professor, Centre for WTO Studies, IIFT <b>Prof. Dev Nathan</b> , Professor, IHD <b>Dr. Maximiliano Parra</b> , University of Sussex
12:45-1:00 p.m.	Q & A
1.00 -1.05 p.m.	Vote of thanks
1:05-02:00 p.m.	Lunch

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