

Global Encounter- India Framing MSU's Engagement in India for the 21st Century

Friday, September 22, 2006
International Center

- 8:00 - Registration/Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 - Welcome/Introductions/Overview
- 9:00 - Where Are We Going in India? - Presentation/Discussion
- 10:00- Break
- 10:15- Making Difference (group breakouts by theme)

What are the top three to five things that MSU should be doing in regards to this theme/area of concern in India over the next five to ten years?

How would we know that we had been successful?

- Education
- Environment
- Food Systems and Agribusiness
- Gender, Poverty and Social Inequalities
- Health
- Technology and Economic Development

- 11:15- Report Out/Discussion
- 12:15- Lunch

12:45- Other Key Areas of Consideration (group breakouts by topic)

What opportunities and challenges exist for MSU in each of the following areas of consideration? What advice do you have for MSU concerning them as we move forward on the India initiative?

- Working with alumni from the region
- Improving the on-campus experience for Indian students
- MSU student travel and study in India
- Cultural exchange and understanding

1:30 - Report Out/Discussion

2:00 - Next Steps/Evaluation

2:30 - Adjourn

This material was generated from Global Encounter-India, <<http://www.isp.msu.edu/globalencounter/india>>, held at Michigan State University on September 22, 2006. This interactive and participatory event was designed to obtain input and to elaborate in a country-specific forum on relevant themes, opportunities, issues, and opportunities affecting MSU's current and future engagement in India and to a lesser degree southeast Asia.

