



CENTRE FOR CIVIL SOCIETY

SCHEDULE

2015

ipolicy for Young Leaders

4-7 June 2015

St. Stephen's College, New Delhi

Day 1 4 June 2015	
9:30	Registration
10:00	Welcome & Icebreaker
10:30-11:15	Introduction to CCS Academy & ipolicy
11:15-12:00	Institutional Alternatives: Who Does What? (Activity) Sadaf Hussain To help participants <i>articulate own views</i> on desired roles for state, market, non-profit and the criteria used to come to those.
12:00-13:30	Lunch
13:30-15:00	Social Change & Public Policy Swati Chawla To create a case for why public policy is the most effective means of achieving social change that is sustainable and has the greatest impact.
15:00-15:30	Break
15:30-16:00	Game: Human Knot
16:00-17:30	Why is India Poor? Prashant Narang To debunk popular myths about the causes of wealth and poverty and to highlight the importance of institutions in creating prosperity.
17:30-19:00	Socratic Dialogue: Liberty and Individual Responsibility
19:00-21:00	Free Time & Dinner
21:00	Documentary & Discussion: Greed by John Stossel To explore concepts of wealth creation and the idea that under certain circumstances self-interest advances social good.
Day 2 5 June 2015	
9:00	Recap and Energizer



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9:30	Not a Zero Sum Game Daphne Vallado To introduce the institutions that create and facilitate “economic freedom” and its correlation with development indicators.
11:00	Break
11:30	Property Rights for the Poor Barun Mitra To highlight the fundamental necessity for property rights, how other rights flow from this right and the socio-economic implications of not having clear property rights.
13:00	Lunch
14:00	Game: Tragedy of the Common Pole
14:30	Environmental Challenges: Tragedy of the Collective Sadaf Hussain To demonstrate how most environmental problems are the result of the tragedy of the collective, which is in turn caused by poorly defined property rights; and how these issues can be solved using free market solutions.
16:30	Break
17:00	Socratic Dialogue: Man's Rights
19:30	Free Time & Dinner
21:00-22:30	Documentary: Minimum Wage To explore the concept of minimum wage, who benefits from minimum wage policy, and the implications of raising the wage above market-based wages
Day 3 6 June 2015	
9:00	Recap and Energizer
9:30	Socratic Dialogue: What is Seen, What is Unseen
11:00	Break
11:30	Public Choice: The Benefits and Costs of Collective Action Parth J Shah To introduce the field of Public Choice Economics, the role of incentives in determining actions of all stakeholders in an economy, the potential for success of government intervention based on these incentives, and concepts of government and market failure.
13:00	Lunch
14:30	10 Principles of Sound Public Policy Sadaf Hussain To introduce principles of sound public policy and apply them to analyse a current policy.
16:00	Break
16:30	CCS Café



18:00	Free time & break
21:00	
Day 4 7 June 2015	
09:00	Recap and Energizer
9:30	Game: The Koosh Game
10:00	Education: Voice, Choice, and Incentive Shantanu Gupta To demonstrate how principles of choice and competition can improve effectiveness and efficiency of education delivery, and explore the voice, choice and incentives of stakeholders in education in India.
11:30	Break
11:45	Dharma of Capitalism Gurcharan Das To explore the elements of liberalism that have existed in India across history, as well as the inherent morality of free market systems, distinguishing them from crony capitalist systems.
13:00	Lunch
14:00	Anarchy, State & Utopia Swati Chawla To make participants reflect on their own preferred values and a vision of their ideal society, and exploring alternatives to the state in providing goods and services.
15:30	Break
16:00	Reflection, Feedback & Evaluation
17:00	Graduation Ceremony
17:30	**** End of ipolicy ****

