





14th Pravasi Bharatiya Divas Convention 7 to 9 January 2017, Bengaluru, Karnataka

Ministry of External Affairs and Government of Karnataka invite Non-Resident Indians and Persons of Indian Origin to the 14th Pravasi Bharatiya Divas Convention (PBD)

7 to 9 January 2017, Bengaluru.

Theme: "Redefining Engagement with the Indian Diaspora"

Highlights of the PBD Convention

Youth PBD - 7 January

- Connecting with Young Overseas Indians.
- Inauguration by Smt. Sushma Swaraj, External Affairs Minister and Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports.
- Interact with Young PIOs and NRIs from all across the world.
- Interact with Young Resident Indians.
- Sessions on Start-ups Innovations which have social impact; and Start-up Ecosystem in Karnataka.

PBD Convention - 8-9 January

- Sessions on issues of significance to Indian Diaspora.
- Key note Address by Prime Minister.
- Chief Ministers will address delegates.
- President will confer Pravasi Bharatiya Samman Awards.
- Interactive Sessions with Overseas Indians.

Key Features of Convention

- Exhibition Showcasing Flagship Programmes, policies; corporate sectors.
- Special Sessions 7 & 10 January: Karnataka's investment potential & Start-up Ecosystem.
- Lunch and Dinner arranged for delegates.
- Indian Handicrafts and Cultural Bazaar.
- Optional: Industrial Visits on 7 &10 January organized by Karnataka Govt.
- Optional: Local Sight Seeing tours organized by Karnataka Tourism on payment.
- Cultural programmes on 7 & 8 January evening.

For Programme and Registration visit: pbdindia.gov.in
Last Date for Registration : 7 December 2016
Special Rates for Young PIOs and NRIs and Group Registrations