



International  
Growth Centre

**IGC India 2018**

Darbar Hall, Hotel Chanakya,  
Patna, Bihar, India

## Programme | Saturday 5 May 2018

3.30 PM – 4.00 PM REGISTRATION – Tea and Coffee

### 04:00 - 05:00 PM WELCOME REMARKS and INAUGURATION

- Chair:** Shri Shishir Sinha, Development Commissioner, Government of Bihar
- Welcome Address:** “Welcome Remarks” – Dr Shaibal Gupta Member Secretary (ADRI) and Bihar Lead (IGC)
- Keynote Address:** “Introduction to the work of International Growth Centre and Its Role in Bihar” – Dr Jonathan Leape, Executive Director (IGC and Professor London School of Economics)
- “International Growth Centre and Evidence” - Dr Pronab Sen, Programme Director (IGC)
- Inaugural Speech:** Shri Prem Kumar (Hon'ble Minister, Department of Agriculture, Government of Bihar)
- Shri Bijendra Prasad Yadav (Hon'ble Minister, Department of Energy, Government of Bihar)
- Shri Sushil Modi (Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister, Government of Bihar)

### 05:00 – 05.25 PM PRESENTATIONS – IGC BMGF PROGRAMME

- Chair:** Sunil Kumar Singh, Agriculture Production Commissioner, Government of Bihar and Dr Pronab Sen, Programme Director (IGC)
- Speech:** “International Growth Centre & It's Engagement with Government of Bihar” – Dr Shaibal Gupta, Member Secretary (ADRI)
- Presentation 1** "IGC Evidence Scoping Paper Brief" – Kumar Das (IGC and ADRI)
- Presentation 2** “Ideas for India (I4I)” – Nalini Gulati (IGC and ADRI)

### 05:25 – 05.45 PM Discussions

- Discussant:** Atul Prasad, Principal Secretary, Social Welfare Department, GoB  
Sudhir Kumar, Principal Secretary, Agriculture Department, GoB  
Sujata Chaturvedi, Principal Secretary, Finance Department  
Sanjay Kumar, Principal Secretary, Health Department, GoB  
Chanchal Kumar, Principal Secretary, GoB  
Dr. N. Vijaya Laxmi, Managing Director, Women Development Corporation (WDC), GoB

### 05.45 – 05.55 PM Q&A SESSION

05.55 – 06.00 PM Vote of Thanks – Dr Pronab Sen (IGC)

06.00 PM – High Tea



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