

National Seminar
**Engagement with the EU: Cooperation Opportunities on Research,
Innovation and Higher Education**

Wednesday, 4th March, 2020

Time	Theme
9:15- 9.45	Registration
	Inaugural
10:00- 10:10	Introduction Dr Anita Patankar, Deputy Director, Symbiosis Centre for International Education (SCIE)
10:10-10:20	Welcome Address Dr Vidya Yeravdekar, Pro Chancellor , SIU, Executive Director, SCIE
10:20-10:30	Opening Remarks Amb (Retd.) Dinkar Srivastava, Distinguished Professor, SIU Former Ambassador to Czech Republic, Libya & Iran
10:30-10:45	Keynote Address Ms Tania Friederichs, Minister Counsellor and Head, Research & Innovation Section, Delegation of the European Union to India
10:45-11:15	Tea Break
Part-I	Research & Innovation Cooperation
11:15-11:35	EU-India: Research & Innovation Opportunities in Horizon 2020 Ms Tania Friederichs, Minister Counsellor and Head, Research & Innovation Section, Delegation of the European Union to India
11:35-12:00	Career Development in Research & Innovation in Europe <i>Horizon 2020 Mobility Schemes: Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions & European Research Council</i> Dr Vivek Dham, Advisor, Research & Innovation Section, Delegation of the European Union to India
12:00-12:20	Euraxess India- Tool for Networking with European Institutions Dr Samrat Kumar, Country Representative - India
12:20-12:50	European Higher Education : Erasmus+ Dr Sanjeev Roy, Key Expert - Higher Education, EU Public Diplomacy in India Through Policy and Outreach Partnerships
12:50-13:15	Q&A
13:15-14:15	Networking Lunch – hosted by the European Union Delegation to India
Part-II	Research, Innovation and Higher Education Opportunities
14:15—16.30	<i>Research, Innovation and Higher Education Opportunities at the European Union Member State and H2020 Associated Countries</i>
16.30	Vote of Thanks Dr. Rajani Gupte, Vice Chancellor, Symbiosis International (Deemed University)

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