

## **Tentative agenda**

### **The US-India Energy Partnership Summit 2010: Technologies and Policies for Energy Security**

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*Convened by  
The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI)  
And  
Yale University*

#### **Summit Proceedings (9AM-5PM, followed by reception)**

**Registration over Tea/Coffee**

##### *Opening Session*

**Introductory remarks  
Inaugural address  
Keynote address**

##### *Tea/Coffee Break*

##### *Session I*

##### **Energy security and recent developments in the oil market**

The volatile nature of the oil market, geo-strategic concerns, uncertainty of demand/supply and reserve assessment, and the rising costs of accessing oil in frozen terrain and the deep sea, have foregrounded oil supply as one of the key factors in defining energy vulnerability. Environmental concerns have further exacerbated the problem. In this context, this session will address the following issues:

- Peak oil: How soon, how certain?
- The growth of demand in emerging markets
- The environmental & climate change dimension
- Impact of global meltdown on energy investments

##### *Lunch*

## *Session II*

### **Innovative partnerships to enhance collaboration on new and efficient energy**

Clean technology development and deployment are areas of priority in both India and the US. Collaborative ventures that involve technology R&D and operationalization of energy efficiency and renewable energy projects, offer opportunities for the two countries' energy players to work together. This session will deal with:

- Learning from programs to enhance energy efficiency
- Win-win opportunities for Indo-US collaboration in new technologies
- Partnerships for research, development & deployment

## *Tea/Coffee Break*

## *Session III*

### **The role of governments**

Energy security, akin to national security and citizens' welfare, is an area where the state is a significant actor. In order to promote cooperation between corporate entities in India and the US, the governments in both countries will need to play a facilitative role by:

- Dismantling institutional barriers
- Devising policies to promote collaboration
- Defining a shared global vision and common objectives

## *Concluding Remarks*

### **Building the future agenda**

## *Reception*