

Indian General Elections, 2004

A view from Indian industry & the Impact on Foreign Investors

Jointly presented by:

- **A.V. Birla Centre**
- **India Business Forum**
- **Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI)**

Date: Wednesday, April 7th 6:00 pm for 6:15 pm start

Location: London Business School
Lecture Theatre 4 (LT 4)

6:15 pm – 6: 20 pm

Welcome Note & Introduction

Sanmit Ahuja

Chair 2004, India Business Forum
Executive MBA 2004



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6:20 pm – 7:00 pm

Impact of Indian General Elections on the Business World

Dr. Amit Mitra

Secretary General
FICCI



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7:00 pm – 7:20 pm

Where next for “India’s shining hopes”? Economic Reforms, Globalisation and Foreign Direct Investment

Nicolas Forsans

Lecturer in International Strategic Management
Deputy Director



James E. Lynch India and South Asia Business Centre
Centre for International Business
University of Leeds

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7:20 pm – 8:00pm

Q & A Session

Co-ordinated by: *Prof. Saul Estrin*

Deputy Dean, Faculty & Academic Planning
Co-Director, India Centre

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8:00 pm - 8:05 pm

Wrap-up & Thank you note

Sakate Khaitan & Neeraj Bhardwaj

Founding Members, India Business Forum

8:05 pm – 9:00 pm

Drinks & Networking Session



Wine for Spice™

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Additional Instructions:

The event will take place in Lecture Theater 4 (LT4) which is located at the Lower Ground Floor level of the Sainsburys Building.

As you enter from the Park Road entrance, walk across the corridor and cross on to the other building (B) which is the Sainsburys building. As you enter Sainsburys Building, take the stairs to your immediate right and go down to Lower Ground Floor.

Turn right and walk further until you see LT4 on your right.