

Stakeholders' Consultation for Guidelines on CSR Project Management

The National Foundation for CSR at IICA has been facilitating, enabling and supporting all relevant stakeholders in the rollout of CSR in the country. In line with this objective, the Advocacy, Project Management and Research vertical of NFCSR held a Stakeholders' Consultation on Guidelines for CSR Project Management at the IICA Campus in Manesar on the 7th of December

The consultation was chaired by Dr. Bhaskar Chatterjee, Director General & CEO, IICA and saw participation from representatives of organisations such as SSESS, NTPC Limited, Indian Oil Corporation Limited, Powergrid Corporation, BP, KPMG, WaterAid, Smile Foundation, Plan India, VSO India Trust, Charities Aid Foundation, Sandvik, Change Alliance, Skills and You Consultants Pvt. Limited, INESA, Alstom, and a few independent practitioners in the field of social development. This ensured a well rounded discussion from all segments of the stakeholder community.

During the consultation, the draft guidelines/templates for CSR Project Management- Baseline Survey, Documentation, Monitoring and Evaluation, prepared by SSESS were shared for the perusal of the participants. This was followed by a break-out session for discussion within smaller groups and a presentation by each group of their collated feedback and suggestions.

Input from the various stakeholders in the process of discussion brought in several insightful perspectives. The views shared and the suggestions made will be duly incorporated in order to create the most comprehensive and useful guidelines.