

Indian School of Business initiates collaboration with Government of Cambodia

Welcoming the delegation, Mr. Pradeep Singh, Deputy Dean and CEO of Mohali Campus of ISB, said that this engagement with the Royal Government of Cambodia is consistent with the ISB's strategic initiative to focus on our Asian neighbours to the east. Mr. Singh highlighted the unique comparative advantage of Bharti Institute as a public policy think tank located within a world class business school. This allows ISB to not only generate cutting edge ideas in the public policy space but also facilitate their effective implementation.

Cambodian delegation also made a presentation about their reform of public financial management systems to an invited audience of distinguished civil servants. The list included former secretaries to government to of India such as Mr. K. Padmanabhaiah (former Home Secretary), Mr. Shyamal Ghosh (Former Chairman of TRAI), Mr. Pawan Chopra (Former Secretary I&B), Mrs. Radha Singh (former Secretary Agriculture), Mr. JNLL Srivastava (former Secretary Agriculture), Mr. V. Agnihotri (Secretary General Rajya Sabha), and Dr. Udes Kohli (former CMD, Power Finance Corporation).

The Cambodian delegation was struck by the openness of the Government officials and the warmth and affection of everyone they met. The head of the Cambodian delegation, Dr. Hel Chamroeun, Deputy Minister of Finance, said that he expects this visit to be a beginning of a long and fruitful collaboration with the Indian School of Business (ISB).