

DEMOCRATIZATION AND DECENTRALIZATION IN INDIA
31 October – 1 November 1997
Princeton, New Jersey

Friday, October 31, 1997

- 8:30am Registration
 The Princeton University Art Museum, 101 McCormick Hall
- 9:15am Welcome
 Michael Doyle
 Wolfgang Danspeckgruber
 Prince Hans Adam II of Liechtenstein
- Introduction
 Atul Kohli
- 10:00am The Historical Inheritance - Sumit Sarkar
 Chair: Atul Kohli
 Commentary: Pratap Mehta
- 11:00am Coffee Break
- 11:15am The Federal Design and Institutional Responsiveness - Jyotirindra Dasgupta
 Chair: Wolfgang Danspeckgruber
 Commentary: Sten Widmalm
- 12:15pm Lunch
 Senate Room, Whig Hall
- 2:00pm The Constitutional Design - Lloyd and Susanne Rudolph
 Chair: Richard Falk
 Commentaries: Richard Falk and R. Sudarshan
- 3:15pm Coffee Break
- 3:30pm Communal Politics - Amrita Basu
 Chair: Gyan Prakash
 Commentaries: Partha Chatterjee and Ashutosh Varshney
- 6:30pm Conference Dinner
 Prospect House
 Dinner Speaker: Shekhar Gupta

Saturday, November 1, 1997

- 9:00am Managing Center-State Relations - James Manor
 Chair: Summit Ganguly
 Commentary: Sir Arthur Watts
- 10:00am Coffee Break
- 10:15am Caste in Indian Politics, 1947-1997 - Myron Weiner
 Chair: Vivienne P. Shue
 Commentary: Marshall Bouton
- 11:15am Coffee Break
- 11:30am Social Movements - Mary Katzenstein
 Chair: Kamalesh Sharma
 Commentaries: Patrick Heller and Rakha Ray
- 12:30 pm Lunch
 Prospect House
 Luncheon Speaker: The Hon. T.N. Seshan
- 2:15pm Equity Politics - Pranab Bardhan
 Chair: John Lewis
 Commentary: Devesh Kapur and Prakash Shah
- 3:15pm Coffee Break
- 3:30pm Making Local Politics Work - Subrata K. Mitra
 Chair: Karen McGuinness
 Commentaries: Hans Blomkvist and Akhil Gupta
- 4:30pm Reception
 Conference Adjourns