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**S. B. PATIL INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT**  
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# National Conference

## Role of SME in Future Economic Development

14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> March 2014

The 5<sup>th</sup> National Conference was conducted by PCET's S. B. Patil Institute of Management, Nigdi, Pune, With the collaboration of Savitribai Phule Pune University, on 13th & 14th Jan. 2017. The title of conference was "World Economic Turmoil – Challenges and Opportunities for India"

*Dr. Daniel  
Penkar -  
Director -  
SBPIM  
Welcoming  
delegates*





Welcome speech delivered by Dr. Daniel Penkar – Director – SBPIM, during his speech he covered the entire history of world economic turmoil that took place globally since 18<sup>th</sup> century and its effects over the world. He highlighted how famine affected economy of world during the past century. To protect our world from such economic turmoil he suggested that, our policies should be with clear vision supported by proper goals, clarity and ethical approach. So many rules and complexity in the governance may also spoil the economic environment.

Hon. Bhajan Kazi- Trustee, Pimpri Chinchwad Education trust addresses the participants at the conference with his very satirical and humorous tone. He said that such events on economic talks may help the scholars and MBA aspirants to understand the importance and significance of the subject in the business world.



The Guest of Honor was Mr. Sumedh Gupte, Regional Manager; Business Standard addressed the students and suggested students to retain in a first job atleast for 5 years for better career growth, and to be strong to cope with economic crisis.

The chief guest for inaugural session and key note speaker was Dr. Sanjay Bhayani, Saurashtra University, Rajkot, Gujrat during his speech / presentation he said that the better economic policies may be practiced by considering the ground realities, productivity in every aspect, work culture, better use of resources, innovation, so as to establish better economic environment.



In the Inauguration program the Conference Proceedings and edited book entitled **“RURAL DEVELOPMENT- TRENDS, OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES IN 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY”** was inaugurated with the auspicious hands of guests.



*Release of Conference Proceedings and Edited Book Entitled “Rural Development- Trends, Opportunities And Challenges In 21<sup>st</sup> Century”*

Post lunch technical session chaired by Dr. Mahadappa Gonda, Principal, Sterling College, Navi Mumbai & Dr. Gour Gopal Banik, Guwahati University, Assam, who observed the papers presented by the participants.





On second day of the conference began with expert lecture by Dr. Rajendra Biradar, Director, School of Commerce and Management Studies, S.R.T.M.U- Nanded, in his lecture he inspired the participant by focusing on self-management approach to cope with financial crisis. He make a point that self-development will lead to the national development which will result into world development.

Dr. Filipe Rodrigues E- Melo from St. Xavier's College, Goa University, he delivered his expert lecture on Crisis Management, in his lecture he focused on the causes of various crisis like technological crisis, production crisis, natural crisis, sudden crisis and suggested preventive measures. The expert lectures followed by question and answers.

Post lunch technical session chaired by Dr. Kishor Nikam from Incharge Principal, D.Y. Patil Arts, Commerce & Science College, Pune who observed the papers presented by the participants.



Chief Guest for valedictory programme was Dr. Vijayalaxmi Nambiar, Principal, M.U. College, Pimpri, Pune. 180 research scholars participated in the conference and 40 researchers contributed research papers. The research papers were published in the conference proceeding with ISBN: 978-81-922746-6-9.

This program was anchored by Prof. Pranita Burbure, Dr. Dipti Sharma, Shruti Rao and Akshata Chandankar. With the help of teaching and non-teaching faculties of SBPIM Research Head Dr. Hansraj Thorat organized this 2 days fifth national conference 2016-17.

**Dr. Daniel Penkar**  
**Director, SBPIM**