

Conversations on Gurugram

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Roads of
Gurugram
Boon or
Bane?

Roads - Much More than Mobility

The development of a city requires the synchronization of a number of critical variables including housing, transportation, energy, sewerage, and jobs. And yet, nothing symbolizes the urban aspiration for growth and the potential for empowerment as much as a road. A road is a microcosm of the entire paradigm of development, of choices made and paths not taken.

In this conversation we plan to discuss what roads mean to citizens of Gurgaon, the modes of mobility that they promote or inhibit, their spillover effects on the environment and social inclusivity, and the connections they facilitate and tear apart.

Speakers Include...

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Agenda For The Day

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Timing	Event
09:30 – 09:45	Registration and Tea
09:45 – 11:00	Introduction: Roads – Much More than Mobility
11:00 – 11:15	Tea
11:15 – 13:00	Public Transport in Gurgaon – Options, Innovations, Pricing, and the Last Mile
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:30	Social and Environmental Consequences of Transport Infrastructure
15:30 – 15:45	Tea
15:45 – 16:45	A Study in Contrasts - The 16 Lane Golf Course Road and the Road through the Aravalli Biodiversity Park
16:45 – 17:15	Sum up and The Road Ahead



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