

Media Briefing

Challenges of Air Quality and Mobility Management in South Asian Cities

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Lecture Hall, Nepal Tourism Board, Kathmandu

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Agenda

9.30 AM: Registration

10:00 AM: Welcome remarks by Nepal Forum of Environmental Journalists (NEFEJ)

10:10 AM: CSE and its media programme -- Souparno Banerjee, programme director-Media Resource Centre, CSE

10:15 AM: Air quality and mobility management: a regional perspective -- Anumita Roychowdhury, executive director-research and advocacy, CSE

11.00 AM: Keynote address -- Keshav Sthapit, commissioner, Kathmandu Valley Development Authority*

11.20 AM: Tea/coffee

11:35 AM: Panel discussion

Panelists:

 Tulasi Prasad Sitaula, secretary, Ministry of Physical Planning and Works

Bhushan Tuladhar, regional technical advisor-South Asia, UN-Habitat
 Kamal Raj Pande, professor, Nepal Engineering College (former joint secretary, Ministry of Physical Planning and Works)

Anumita Roychowdhury, CSE

12:45 PM: Open house discussion and conclusion

1:30 PM: Lunch