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66 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT, ASISC



"Education is what remains after one has forgotten what one has learned in school". – CAlbert Einstein.

Mr. S. Vethanayagam

PRESIDENT - ASISC

As we bring the curtains down on yet another year of celebration of the Annual Conference of ASISC, I would like to begin (my message to you) on a note of gratitude to God Almighty. "The world makes way for the man who knows where he is going" said Ralph Walde Emerson. We need to give life a direction if we are to make it meaningful. Education has a key role to play in this context.

This year, we are celebrating education's powerful influence in support of the four **P**s on which our future depends: Education for People, Planet, Progress and Peace.

Only Education has the power to sustainably change societies' behavior as necessitated by the challenge of global warming. "If we are to teach real peace in the world, we shall have to begin with children"–Mahatma Gandhi. Education can catalyse and buttress peace, especially when access to it is equitable. Through quality education for all, by promoting education for peace, young minds can be the voice of change and peace. I believe it is our responsibility to help each student to discover his/her "inner self" and to unmask the potential that lies within him/her. This, in turn, will help our students to develop core skills such as communication, critical thinking, problem–solving, creativity and leadership qualities.

Students are the world's wealthiest resource and teachers are the only persons who have the ability to capture, imbue and inspire the thoughts of these children who are the masters of tomorrow's world. I believe that it is our responsibility to help each student grow with a self-belief that they can make a difference to their community and environment. I convey my best wishes and success in all the programs planned for the Annual Conference of ASISC.



66 MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY-TREASURER, ASISC



Secretary – Treasurer ASISC

Esteemed members of the ASISC family,

Greetings from the office of the Secretary - Treasurer! We have begun in all earnestness the preparations for the 66th AGM and Annual Conference of ASISC. It gives me immense pleasure to extend a warm welcome to one and all for the forthcoming AGM and Conference in Hyderabad and I wish all the best to the host region – Andhra Pradesh & Telangana.

This year will be a very special year for all of us as the much-awaited inauguration of the Regional Institute of CISCE at Habsiguda, Hyderabad will take place on the 29th November. After the formal inauguration of the Conference, the first day will be dedicated to the Council for the Indian School Certificate examinations with Derozio Awards and the Council time in the pre-lunch sessions and the inauguration of the Regional Institute of CISCE at Habsiguda, Hyderabad in the evening. I hope to see all our Principals and well-wishers attending this important event in the history of CISCE.

The theme suggested by the host region for the Conference this year is

Education for People, Planet, Progress and Peace.

This theme could easily be understood in what Confucius once said,

"Education breeds confidence. Confidence breeds hope. Hope breeds peace."

Education no doubt is universal that gives confidence and hope to people to live in a peaceful atmosphere where progress is automatic, and prosperity is natural to everyone. I believe that gathering at a beautiful Convention Centre at Gachibowli, Hyderabad for our three-day Conference would give us more opportunities to reflect and take away important lessons as heads of CISCE affiliated Schools on this theme.



66 MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN, CISCE



Greetings!

I would like to extend my warmest congratulations on the theme "Education for People, Planet, Progress and Peace" (Education for 4Ps) for the 66th Annual conference.

This theme encapsulates the crucial role education plays in fostering holistic development and sustainable progress in our society.

I am very sure "Education for 4Ps" underscores the interconnectedness of People, Planet, Progress and Peace, highlighting the need to integrate these dimensions into our educational systems. It's wonderful to see ASISC emphasizing these essential values.

As educators, it is our responsibility to integrate these essential values into our educational systems. Best wishes for a successful and impactful ASISC meetings.

Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to hose who prepare for it today.

- Malcolm X



66 MESSAGE FROM FROM THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE & SECRETARY, CISCE



Gerry Arathoon

Former Chief Executive & Secretary - CISCE It gives me great pleasure to pen a message to the Heads of Schools on the occasion of the ASISC conference. The theme chosen this year is of special significance in the light of the vast changes sweeping across the world. Our society is in the throes of change and education must take centre stage at this critical moment. Education is the single best investment that countries can make to build prosperous, healthy equitable societies.

Thus, education has to be available, accessible, acceptable and adaptable. At the CISCE, we are committed to achieve these goals and we wish to sensitise our schools, so that they too may embark on this mission with us.

A child's gender, economic class, location and ethnic identity largely define the type of school he or she will access, the kind of experiences he will have in school and the benefits he will reap from being educated. With the great diversity of learners in today's classrooms, there comes the responsibility to provide equitable education to every child.

Ensuring equity and excellence by delivering equitable, quality education in formal schooling lies at the very core of any country's educational system. Over the years, awareness about the need to ensure that quality education reaches children from all social backgrounds has been on the rise. A sustainable future for all is about human dignity, social inclusion and environmental protection. This is the most important step towards education for people and prosperity. It is a future where economic growth does not heighten inequalities but builds prosperity for all. Sustainable development is a belief that human development cannot happen without a healthy planet. All of us need to reflect upon the ultimate purpose of learning throughout life. If practised with conviction and passion, education has the power to nurture empowered, reflective, engaged and skilled citizens who can chart the way towards a safer, greener and fairer planet for all.



66 MESSAGE FROM FROM THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE & SECRETARY, CISCE

CISCE embarked on this mission long ago with the introduction of Environmental Studies and Environmental Science.

Education for peace, acknowledges the goal of promoting a culture of peace as the purpose shaping the enterprise of education. If implemented with vigour and vision, education for peace can make learning a joyful and meaningful experience. The need to introduce education for peace in the school curriculum is vital today as we live in an increasingly unsafe and hate ridden society. The pivotal role that educators play in learning is envisaged in education for peace and the need to turn schools into nurseries for peace is the need of the hour. This will include the need to live in harmony and peace orientation in our educands. The CISCE actively propagates the 'peace as a lifestyle movement'. The main emphasis here must be on promoting an attitude of respect for diversity and difference. Students also need to be made aware of the various hindrances to unity and ways to overcome them. Our Curricula therefore is built on the principles of finding commonalities and building bridges. Our schools are also largely heterogeneous in nature thus teaching our students the need to accept and respect differences of all kinds.

Teaching — learning today has to be transformative. For this we need proactive school leaders and educators. Education for people, peace, planet and prosperity has to be a constantly evolving process wherein we need to reorient and up skill ourselves. We must think critically and creatively. CISCE is with you every step of the way, constantly pushing boundaries and breaking barriers. Empowerment and collaboration is the way forward.

> **Gerry Arathoon** Chief Executive & Secretary - CISCE



66 MESSAGE FROM FROM THE HOST, AP & TELANGANA ASISC



Mrs. T.A.Sundari

Secretary AP & Telangana Region ASISC The Region of AP and Telangana deems it an honour to welcome and host all the ICSE and ISC educationists across the country. I believe it's fitting that the theme of the Conference is " Education for People, Planet, Progress & Peace" because Hyderabad at its core resonates deeply with these values. With it being a major global IT hub in the country, there was an inevitable migration of a diverse workforce to the city.

The peaceful co-existence of these culturally varied individuals perfectly represents how we embrace and celebrate diversity.

The modern skyline of Cyberabad juxtaposing the ornate architecture of the old city and a lush green cover all over the city redefines what progress is for the region.

The establishment of T-Hub, the future-ready innovation ecosystem, and having the largest campuses in the world of some of the renowned MNCs, Hyderabad is on a trajectory to become a global city.

The initiative of massive afforestation in the city by way of very dense plantations, street plantations and restoration of lakes has improved the green cover in the city.

Nobody celebrates culture as magnificently as Hyderabadis. Decking the old city with numerous lights for Eid or the city going into a floral frenzy for Bathukamma, the people of Hyderabad go all out to celebrate their traditions.

Where traditions meet innovation, and rich history intertwines with modernity,

Hyderabad marches towards a progressive tomorrow while holding dearly onto its culture, rooted in tradition.

I hope you experience the best of Hyderabad during this three-day Conference and part with stories of a lifetime.

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Online Regiseration

Delegates are reminded that the registration fee is only

Rs. 2000 + gst

On the spot registration fee will be

Rs. 10,000 + GST for Delegates.

Visitors registration fee will be **Rs. 10,000** + GST

Notes

We are expecting many Principals to attend the conference this year. The delegates / members, who would like to attend the conference in

Hyderabad, are to register online on our website.

THERE SHALL BE NO REGISTRATION ON THE SPOT.

ID card is mandatory to enter the campus due to security reasons.

Contact support for assistance



Accommodation has to be arranged by delegates and visitors themselves. Hyderabad has a variety of hotels. However, all are reminded that early bookings will assure you comfortable stay.

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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF THE CONFERENCE 2023

SUNDAY, 21ST JANUARY		
2.00 pm to 6.00 pm	Registration for delegates & visitors	
3.00 pm to 6.00 pm	Registration for exhibitors & publishers	
Venue: Anvaya Convention Centre, Gachibowli		
DAY 1 – MONDAY, 22ND JANUARY		
09.30 am	Delegates assemble inside the Convention centre	
10.00 am	Arrival of Chief Guest	
	Prayer Dance, Welcome Song, Cultural Program	
	Welcome Address	
	Address by the Chief Guest	
	Derozio Awards	
11.45 am	Coffee Break	
12.30 pm	Council Time	
02.30 pm	Lunch & departure for inauguration of CISCE Regional Institute	
Dinner at St. Joseph's School Habsiguda (Evergreen)		

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DAY 2 – TUESDAY, 23RD JANUARY		
09.30 am	Prayer & Cultural Program	
10.00 am	Keynote Address	
11.00 am	Coffee Break	
11.30 am	Guest Speaker	
01.00 pm	Lunch	
02.30 pm	Guest Speaker	
03.30 pm	AGM	
04.30 pm	Tea Break	
Dinner to be hosted by Kirsten Publications Pvt Ltd		
DAY 3 – WEDNESDAY, 24TH JANUARY		
09.30 am	Prayer & Cultural Program	
10.00 am	Address by Chairman CISCE	
10.45 am	Coffee Break	
11.15 am	Guest Speaker	
12.00 pm	Guest Speaker	
12.45 pm	Vote of thanks	
01.00 pm	Lunch & departure	