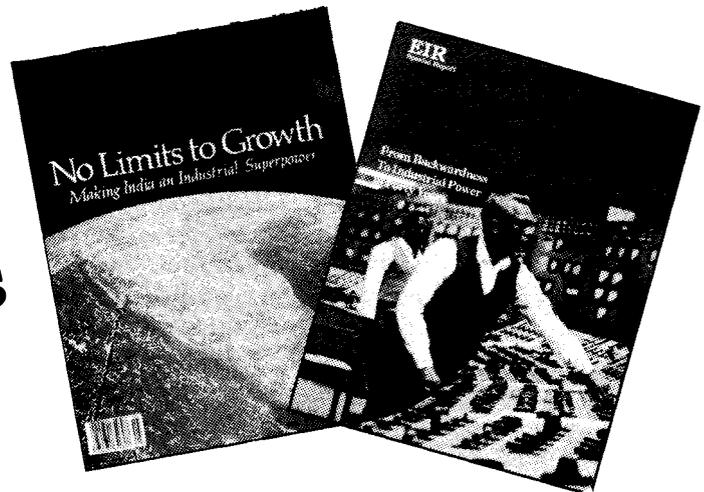


# EIR-FEF India conference draws world attention

by Daniel Sneider



*EIR* and the Fusion Energy Foundation have finalized preparations for an international conference on "The Industrial Development of India—Its Potential, Its Necessity," in Frankfurt, West Germany May 5-6.

The conference program featuring speakers from top political, scientific, and industrial layers in both India and Western Europe, is focused around a new 40-year development program for India, the combined effort of economic experts, scientists, engineers and political analysts from the *EIR*, FEF, and India itself. The FEF-*EIR* team developed the Indian program utilizing the computerized Riemannian Model, a breakthrough in economic science. The model was designed by the noted economist Mr. Lyndon LaRouche who also supervised its computer application. That application will also be a major topic of discussion at the conference.

The significance attached to the conference in India and Europe is indicated by the fact that the mayor of Frankfurt will hold a special reception for conference participants. The conference's opening session, "The Significance of the Industrialization of India in the Framework of a Global Development Policy," will begin with a welcoming address by the Embassy of India and the reading of a message of greeting from India's Prime Minister, Mrs. Indira Gandhi.

In addition to the two-day meeting in Germany, seminars on the India program will be held in Milan, Italy at the site of the major industrial fair being held there, on April 23; in Washington D.C., on April 23; and in Paris, France on April 29. The Frankfurt conference is expected to provoke broad-ranging discussion on an international scale of the core issues of development policy and technology transfer, not only for India but for the entire developing sector.

The same *EIR*-FEF team is currently working on a development program for Mexico, applying the Rie-

mannian model in collaboration with the Mexican Association for Fusion Energy.

## The impact of the program in India

The India program has already had significant impact on India itself where it has been presented by the Committee for Democratic Action, a nonpartisan association of Indian political and scientific leaders, including Ganesh Shukla of the weekly newspaper *New Wave*, and Mr. K.R. Ganesh, former minister of state for finance and for petroleum and chemicals in the previous Gandhi government.

The attention being given to the ideas and proposals of the program, which argues strongly for a technology intensive high-growth policy for India, is reflected in a significant article in the widely circulated, respected Asian economic weekly, *Far Eastern Economic Review*. In its March 28 issue the *Review* covers the program and the influence of its ideas in an article entitled "Land of Plenty in 2020?" by correspondent Ho Kwon Ping.

Mr. Ho reports in detail the major features of the program and cites sources in India on the impact the program may have on the current economic policies of the Gandhi government and the new Five-Year Plan. Says Ho: "Though its projections are long term, its basic thrust may well be included in the new plan as sources say the new Planning Commission may include Committee for Democratic Action members or supporters."

The *Review* article also notes the political thrust of the program, its opposition to the deindustrialization policies of the World Bank and International Monetary Fund, and its call for economic alliance with West Europe, the Arabs, and the Soviet Union. Ho comments: "To finance the ambitious industrial program, India

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## MAY 5

*Morning Reception at the invitation of the Mayor of Frankfurt*

### Session I

*Indian Industrialization & Global Development*

**Speakers:** *The Embassy of India, Bonn; Hans Bandmann, European Director, FEF; Michael Liebig, European Research Director, EIR; Ganesh Shukla, Publisher, New Wave, New Delhi.*

### Session II

*A Blueprint for the Industrialization of India*

**Speakers:** *Chairman, Mark Tritsch, EIR; Uwe Parpart, Director of Research, FEF (New York); Daniel Sneider, Editor-in-Chief, EIR; K. Raghunath Reddy, Member of Parliament, former Indian Union Minister for Labor, specialist, Indian Corporate Affairs, former Minister of State for Industrial Development; K.D. Malaviya, former Indian Union Minister for Petroleum and Chemicals, founder, Indian Oil and Natural Gas Commission, Editor, Future India; Dr. Ranadev Banerji, Economist, GATT, Geneva.*

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### Session III

*The future of Indian-European cooperation: large scale industrial projects*

**Speakers:** *Chairman, Laurent Murawiec, EIR; Vinod K. Khanna, Resident Director, Indian Investment Centre, Düsseldorf; Tata Industries, executive board member; Dr. Thomas Geer, Chief Economist, Fried. Krupp GmbH; Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry, a representative; Dr. Schmolzer or a representative, Voest Alpine AG, Austria.*

### Session IV

*Nuplexes: Seed-crystals for India's industrialization*

**Speakers:** *Chairman, Ralf Schauerhammer, FEF; Prof. Dr. Gottfried Kneuper, Generalbevollmächtigter, Saarberg-Interplan; Dipl.-Ing. Hubert Shafer, Department Chief, Mining Consulting, Saarberg-Interplan, Saarbrücken; Prof. Dr. W. Seifritz, Eidgenössisches Institut für Reaktorforschung, Würenlingen, Switzerland; Dr. R. Chawla, Eidgenössisches Institut für Reaktorforschung, Würenlingen, Switzerland; Prof. Dr. S. Biswas, University of Calcutta.*

### Panel

*Development based on technology-transfer in the 1980s*

**Panelists:** *Chairman, Anno Hellenbroich, EIR; Dr. Bernd J. Stecher, Institut für Weltwirtschaft; R.K. Mishra, Editor-in-Chief, The Patriot; Dr. Robert Zinser, Director, BASF Ludwigshafen; Ganesh Shukla; Uwe Parpart.*

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would depend on external capital—but not from the World Bank, IMF or from the U.N., which is seen to be controlled by the 'London-Washington-Peking axis'."

Among those scheduled to participate in the conference, are Dr. Uwe Parpart, director of the FEF in the United States; Mr. Daniel Sneider, editor in chief of the *EIR*; K. Raghunath Reddy, a member of the Indian parliament, former minister of labor, and former minister of state for industrial development and company law affairs; Freddy Metha, a member of the Executive Board, Tata Industries and former president of the Indo-Ger-

man Chamber of Commerce; Dr. Thomas Geer, chief economist, Krupp GmbH; Prof. Dr. Gottfried Kneuper and Dipl.-Ing. Hubert Schafer, experts on coal mining and related technology for one of Germany's largest coal producers, Saarberg-Interplan; and Prof. Dr. W. Seifritz, a leading physicist from the Eidgenössisches Institut für Reaktor-forschung in Switzerland and an expert on the development of the high temperature gas-cooled reactor.

Among the countries represented at the conference will be the United States, West Germany, India, Switzerland, Austria, and Mexico.