Linkages between Trade, Development and Poverty Reduction

Gender and Trade

How to engender the National Foreign Trade Policy of India?

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Agenda

Inaugural Session

1000 – 1015 Introduction of the TDP Project
    Rebecca Band, CUTS CITEE

1015 – 1045 The importance of research on gender and trade
    Shahid Ahmed, UNCTAD India

1045 – 1100 Tea/Coffee

Session 1: Gender and trade capacity building

1100 – 1300 Sarojini Thakur, Acting Head of Gender Section, Commonwealth Secretariat

1300 – 1400 Lunch

Session 2: Engendering the National Foreign Trade Policy

1400 – 1430 National Foreign Trade Policy and gender dimensions
    R.S. Ratna, Director, Regional & Multilateral Trade Relations, Department of Commerce

1430 – 1500 Women, poverty and trade
    Shubha Chako, Singamma Sreenivasan Foundation

1530 – 1545 Discussion

1545 – 1600 Tea/coffee

1600 – 1630 Trade liberalisation and women in the handloom/handicrafts sector
    Dr. Narasimha Reddy, Consumer Guidance Society

1630 – 1700 CUTS gender and trade project: what is to be researched, why and how?
    Rebecca Band, CUTS CITEE

1700 – 1800 Discussion