

Dr Karan Singh - Chairman
Auroville Foundation
& the Members of Auroville
invite you to

THE AUROVILLE FESTIVAL

City for Transformation

September 14 – 21, 2012
in collaboration with
India International Centre
Conference Building
40, Max Muller Marg
New Delhi 110003



September 14

OPENING OF THE AUROVILLE FESTIVAL

Multipurpose Hall : 5 pm

Welcome Address : Dr. Karan Singh
Chief Guest's Address : Kumari Selja
India and Auroville : Dr. Aster Patel
Greetings from Auroville: Frederick
Transformative Power of Art: Dr. Vishakha Desai
Word of Thanks : Deepti Tewari

TEA : 6.15 pm

Art Gallery : 6.30 pm

Inauguration of Art Exhibition: Transformation

Introduction: Sebastian Cortes
Special Guest: Kumari Selja

Multipurpose Hall : 7 pm

Film : CITY OF THE DAWN (Delhi Premiere)

September 15

INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR:

Multipurpose Hall

AUROVILLE: CITY FOR TRANSFORMATION

1. INAUGURAL SESSION: 10 – 11.30 am

Convened by Dr. Aster Patel

Inaugural Address : Dr. Karan Singh
Guest Speaker : Smt. Ambika Soni
Key Address : Dr. Kapila Vatsyayan
Shri Soli Sorabjee
Mr. Shigeru Aoyagi

TEA : 11.30 – 12 pm

2. AUROVILLE ROUND TABLE : 12 – 1 pm

Introduced by Dr. Aster Patel

Chair: Dr Kavita Sharma

Panel : Anu Majumdar, Deepti Tewari,
Hemant Lamba, Jean-Yves Lung,
Joss Brooks & Uma Haimavati

September 15

INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR:

LUNCH : 1 – 2 pm

3. PANEL SESSIONS:

Introduced by Dr Aster Patel

World in Transition & Auroville: 2.10 – 3.30 pm

Chair: Dr. M.S. Swaminathan

Panel: Sir Mark Tully, Dr. Marc Luyckx Ghisi,
Dr. Vishakha Desai,
Dr. Malini Parthasarathy, Ameeta
Mehra, Dr. Makarand Paranjape,
Julian Lines

Sustainable & Ecological Living: 3.30 – 4.30pm

Chair: Dr. B.V. Doshi

Panel: Dr. Mallika Sarabhai, Dr. Aromar
Revi, Dr. Harjit Anand, Sanjay Prakash,
Suhasini Ayer, Toine van Megen

4. CONCLUDING ROUND : 4.30 – 5 pm

Chair: Shri Soli Sorabjee

Closing Remarks :Dr. Karan Singh

Word of thanks : Shri N.Bala Baskar,
Secretary, Auroville Foundation

Suryanamah : an audio-visual meditation
by Nadaka, Gopika & Giorgio

TEA : 5.15 pm

Kindly **RSVP** for Seminar Participation :
email: auroville.iicevent@auroville.org.in

September 16

THE AUROVILLE TALKS

Multipurpose Hall : 10 am – 1.30 pm

Presented by Dr. Mallika Sarabhai:

City of the Future:

Dr. B. V. Doshi & Toine van Megen

Remembering the Future Gardens:

Joss Brooks

Is there an Economy Beyond Money?

Jean-Yves Lung & Uma Haimavati

TEA : 11.45 am

A Site of Material & Spiritual Researches:

Hemant Lamba

An Education for Self-finding :

Deepti Tewari

Towards Integral Healing :

Dr. Sumeet Kumar, Dr. Jacques Verre,
Suryagandhi

Garbology 101 :

Ribhu Vohra

Multipurpose Hall : 5.30 pm – 6.45 pm

Presented by Dr. Mallika Sarabhai:

Auroville Film Festival: Marco Feira

Creative Expressions: Vimal Bhojraj

Writing in Colour : Pierre Legrand

TEA : 6.45 pm

WRITER'S FORUM : 7 - 8 pm

The Written Word in Auroville

Moderators :

Shantum Seth & Vikram Kapur

Panel:

Akash Kapur, Claude Arpi,
Anu Majumdar, Sebastian Cortes

September 17 - 21

DAILY ON GOING EVENTS:

The Art Gallery : **Daily : 10 am to 7 pm**
AUROVILLE ART EXHIBITION

Seminar Hall 1 : **Daily : 10 am to 7 pm**
SCREENING OF FILMS

September 21

CLOSING OF THE AUROVILLE FESTIVAL :

Seminar Hall 1 - **4 pm**

Japanese Tea Ceremony
conducted by: Jyoti Naoki Eri

Word of thanks : Dr. Aster Patel

*At present mankind is undergoing an evolutionary crisis
in which is concealed a choice of its destiny...*

Sri Aurobindo