## 5<sup>th</sup> November 2022

International Seminar on the theme 'Sustainability Management - The way forward'





IndSearch on Saturday that is on 5th November 2022, organised an International Seminar on the theme 'Sustainability Management - The way forward" at it's bavdhan campus . Keynote Speaker Prof.John Skalbeck,Professor at Geosciences department at Wisconsin Parkside along with Dr.Ashok Joshi , Director General IndSearch, Dr.Aparna Tembulkar Director IndSearch, Dr Sunita Joshi,Dean IndSearch and Dr. Rupali Gupte coordinator for the seminar were present on the occasion.

Eminent speakers included Dr.Sanjay Basu Ex-Vice President and advisor Sandvick Asia, Dr.Supriya Sarkar, Head R&D Centre Alleima India Pvt. Ltd, Atul Kansal, MD Indus Enviro, Dr. Praveen Saptarshi, UGC Emiretus Professor at Department of Environmental Sciences, SPPU, Seemantini Khot, Sustainability Professor and Mohan Kulkarni, former VP Tata Motors.

The idea of the seminar was to create awareness about the need for sustainable management practices and it's tools in various functional and conceptual areas.

In his keynote speech Prof.John Skalbeck said that culture of waste, disregard for resources and bio resources has created this challenging situation we are in today. Continuous wealth is just not sustainable. We need to take what is enough and put back the rest for mother earth. Extracting

limitlessly from mother earth is just not sustainable. We need to imagine our planet differently as our lives depend on it. We need to think about earth as a partner and have to function within what it can give us. Behavioural change is a key to this.

India has taken up renewable energy projects at a rapid pace which gives a lot of hope he said, hailing the energy conservation culture developing in the country.

In his opening remarks Dr Ashok Joshi, Director General IndSearch said that this program is dedicated to Dr.Laxminarayan Ramkrishnan who was the Distinguished Professor of Environmental Management at IndSearch and pioneered environmental management movement in our country.