ROUNDTABLE WORKSHOP

ROLE OF UNIVERSITIES IN DEVELOPING SKILLS FOR SMART CITIES

6 December 2018
PRIA Conference Hall

10.00-10.15   **Welcome and Introduction**
- Dr. Rajesh Tandon, President, Participatory Research in Asia (PRIA)

10.15-10.30   Overview of the Project on **"Role of Universities in Developing Skills for Smart Cities"**
- Dr. Srabani Maitra, Lecturer in Sociology of Education, School of Education, University of Glasgow

10.30-11.00   **Setting the Stage**
Chair: Dr. Rajesh Tandon, President, Participatory Research in Asia (PRIA)
Introduction to the Indian Conception of Smart Cities
- Dr. Kaustuv Kanti Bandyopadhyay, Director, Participatory Research in Asia (PRIA)

Understanding Learning City
- Prof Michael Osborne, Chair of Adult & Lifelong Education (Social Justice, Peace & Lifelong Education), University of Glasgow

Skills Required in Smart Cities
- Ms. Soma Sharma, Deputy Head, Market Analytics-Impact & Innovation, National Skill Development Council (NSDC)

11.00-11.30   **Role of Universities in Developing Skills for Smart Cities**
Chair: Prof Ajit Kaliyath, Sushant School of Art & Architecture, Ansal University
- Dr. Manju Singh, Joint Secretary, University Grants Commission
- Prof Ashok Kumar, Head of the Department, Department of Housing, School of Planning & Architecture (SPA), New Delhi

11.30-12.30   **Open Discussion**

12.30.01.15   **Discussion on the Next Steps**

01.15   Lunch