

## INDIA : Business & Tax Deloitte Academy seminar

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We are pleased to announce you that the Deloitte Indian Services Group is organizing a seminar on doing business in India with a focus on India's economy and tax rules. The seminar will be chaired by Mr. Jan Deboutte, Honorary Ambassador of Belgium.

The Union Budget of 2013-14 held special importance this year as it was announced in the backdrop of a challenging macroeconomic environment where India had achieved its lowest GDP growth in a decade. Characterized with a depressed global economic outlook and prevalence of domestic policy bottlenecks, the year started with news that the previous fiscal's fourth quarter GDP had dropped to 5.5%. That coupled with low growth, macro-economic issues such as high fiscal deficit, expansionary subsidies and worsening current account balance has added to the slowdown. However, according to the Indian government, there is no reason for gloom or pessimism. Of the large countries, only China and Indonesia grew faster in 2012-2013. In 2013-2014 only China is projected to grow faster than India.



Business practices, accounting and tax rules can vary decisively between Belgium and India. Belgian businesses with operations in India or which are considering investing in India urge to comprehend the other party's approach. Like any other system, Indian tax and finance laws continue to develop and to evolve to its economic climate and priorities.

During the seminar the following themes will be elaborated on: state of the economy, the Indian budget 2013-2014, selected tax topics and some Belgian tax aspects for companies investing in India. Mr. Filip Goris, Regional Manager China & India of Recticel Flexible Foams will share his practical experiences on doing business in India.

The seminar will be organized in collaboration with the Belgian-Indian Chamber of Commerce & Industry (BICC&I) at the Deloitte premises in Diegem on **April 25, 2013 from 14:30 until 17:30**, followed by a network cocktail. An introduction will be given by Baron Philippe Vlerick, Chairman of BICC&I. A selective choice of other speakers will conduct you through the various subjects.

Mr. Erwin Vandervelde, Chairman of Deloitte Indian Services Group, Mr. Philippe Vlerick, Chairmain of BICC&I and Mr. Jan Deboutte, Honorary Ambassador of Belgium are proud to invite you for this seminar and hope to welcome you on April 25, 2013 on the Deloitte campus.

To register for this event complete the attached form and send it back to Deloitte Academy by e-mail ([academy@deloitte.be](mailto:academy@deloitte.be)) or by fax (+32 2 600 67 01) **before April 15, 2013**.

You are cordially invited to attend the network cocktail after the seminar.

## Programme

- 14:00 - Registration  
14:30
- 14:30 - Welcome and chair  
14:35 **Mr. Jan Deboutte – Honorary Ambassador of Belgium to India**
- 14:35 - Introduction  
14:45 **Mr. Baron Philippe Vlerick – Chairman BICC&I**
- 14:45 - Indian budget 2013-2014  
15:20
- › State of the Economy
  - › Direct Taxes
  - › Indirect Taxes
- Mr. N.C. Hegde – Partner Deloitte Mumbai**
- 15:20 - Impact Indian budget on the business with Europe  
15:40 **Mr. Rajgopal Sharma – Embassy of India to Belgium**
- 15:40 - Break  
16:00
- 16:00 - Tax issues relating to income flows from India  
16:30 **Mr. N.C. Hegde – Partner Deloitte Mumbai**
- 16:30 - Belgian corporate tax aspects related to investing in India  
17:00 **Mr. Johan Gysen – Director Deloitte Belgium**
- 17:00 - Testimony  
17:25 **Mr. Filip Goris – Regional Manager China & India, Recticel Flexible Foams**
- 17:25 - Closing  
17:30 **Mr. Erwin Vandervelde – Partner Deloitte Belgium**
- 17:30 - Network cocktail  
18:30

## Target Group

This seminar focuses on CEO's, CFO's, tax managers, etc. from Belgian companies that invest in India or that are planning to invest in India.

Start date and time

April 25, 2013 2:30 PM

End date and time

April 25, 2013 5:30 PM

Time zone:

(GMT+01:00) Brussels, Copenhagen, Madrid, Paris

Venue

Deloitte Diegem  
Berkenlaan 8A  
Diegem 1831  
Belgium

Registration options

External registration

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- 60 Euros for Members VOKA - Kamer van Koophandel Oost-Vlaanderen, Leuven, Mechelen
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