



## Invitation



# India Celebrates World Values Day on

Thursday, 21 st October, 2021 | 4:30 – 6:00 pm | IST

**Topic : Reconnecting with Nature**



**Dr H.P. Kanoria**

Chairman, Universal Spirituality  
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**Paul Palmarozza**

Author-Cultural Cycles & Climate Change



**Matthew PYE**

Author and Founder of the  
Climate Academy



**Kirsty Gogan**

Co-founder of TerraPraxis, Managing  
Partner of LucidCatalyst



**Satish Kumar**

Editor Emeritus, Resurgence & Ecologist



**Dr Rahul Varma**

President, Srei Foundation

### To Join the Session

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## Meet the Speakers



**Paul Palmarozza** who has worked in management positions for 51 of his 56 year business career in the US and Europe. In the 1980s he founded an e-learning company which in 2001 became publicly listed on the London AIM Stock Exchange. For 48 years Paul has been a member of an education charity offering programmes in Economics and Philosophy, based on both the teaching of the both western and eastern spiritual traditions. He has taught classes there since 1975. From 2012 until 2019 he was the Director of a charitable operation, Sanskrit @ St James. In 2013 he founded If I Can...CIC, a Community Interest Company, which provides the free If I can... values app offering daily reminders about fine natural values and Ethical Entrepreneur an E-Book about values in business. He is currently a Guest Lecturer at Regents University in London. He has written five books with the latest being Cultural Cycles & Climate Change.



**Matthew Pye** has been a teacher for over 20 years, first in the UK, then Germany and now for 14 years in Brussels. For over a decade, he has worked with leading scientists in sustainability, with a focus on climate change. Most notably, in collaboration with Michael Wadleigh (Oscar Winner, dir. 'Woodstock' (1970) and Birgit van Munster (IPPC Expert Reviewer) he established the Climate Academy in 2011. This innovative work to hothouse gifted and talented students in the science and social realities of climate change was recognized by the offer of Full Membership to the Club of Rome (EU Chapter) in 2016. The Academy organized the first climate protest in the world to number more than one person - an example of the social entrepreneurial skills that are fostered. Their latest project, "The Writing's on the Wall" aims to go viral - to bring clarity and depth to media reporting on the climate crisis. The focus of this artistic project is the concept "cut11percent", a climate change index that has been endorsed by the world's most eminent climate scientists.



**Kirsty Gogan** a highly specialised international consultant offering thought leadership, strategy development and techno-economic expertise focused on multiplying and accelerating zero carbon technology options available for large-scale, affordable, market-based decarbonization of the global economy over a wide range of future scenarios. Kirsty is also co-founder, with Eric Ingersoll, of TerraPraxis, a new non-profit organisation working with an extensive global network to define, incubate and initiate scalable strategies that fulfil the twin missions of prosperity and decarbonisation. Kirsty's volunteer work includes chairing the UK Government's Nuclear Innovation Research and Advisory Board (NIRAB) Cost Reduction Working Group. She also co-founded and is now a board member of Energy for Humanity (EFH), an environmental NGO focused on large scale deep decarbonisation and energy access. Kirsty also sits on the Board of the US NGO, Nuclear Innovation Alliance and French NGO, Voices of Nuclear The US National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine recently appointed her to serve on a new committee to identify opportunities and barriers to the commercialization of new and advanced nuclear energy technologies over the next 30 years.



Peace-pilgrim, life-long activist and former monk, **Satish Kumar** has been inspiring global change for over 50 years. Aged 9, Satish renounced the world and joined the wandering Jain monks. Inspired by Gandhi, he decided at 18 that he could achieve more back in the world and soon undertook a peace-pilgrimage, walking without money from India to America in the name of nuclear disarmament. Now in his 80s, Satish has devoted his life to campaigning for ecological regeneration, social justice and spiritual fulfilment. Satish founded Schumacher College as well as The Resurgence Trust, an educational charity that seeks a just future for all. To join Satish in protecting people and planet, become a member of Resurgence (with 20% off), entitling you to this charity's change-making magazine, Resurgence & Ecologist.

## Programme Flow

4:30 pm

Introduction by **Dr Rahul Varma**

Address by **Dr H. P. Kanoria**

Address by **Paul Palmarozza**

Inauguration of the Book "Cultural Cycles and Climate Change"

Author - **Paul Palmarozza**

Address by **Matthew Pye**

Address by **Kirsty Gogan**

Address by **Satish Kumar**

6:00 pm

End of Session