Final Agenda for MFC Mid-Annual

August 8 and 9, 2014

Hyderabad

8 August 2014

9.30 AM

Welcome

Informal introductions

10 AM to 5 PM

Chairs: Prabir and Jenny (pre and post lunch sessions)

Review of possibilities for Annual and proposals for background papers. Discussants give informal talks (about 10-15 minutes each) – no need for written presentations, no OHP, etc. Discussions (about 15 minutes each) enrich the presentation’s perspective. Reporters should give a brief one or two page report of the discussion and proposed directions, papers, etc.

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Issues missing: minority, gender

5.30 – 7:30 PM – Summary of what can be done and strategies for Annual 2015. Clearing doubts about annual – venue, special invitees. One important agenda is discussion of how to merge the MHIndia and MFC discussions so that the Annual meet participants are up to speed.

Chair: Anant Bhan, Reporter Srivats
9 August 2014

9 AM – Any announcements, other sub-agendas for the 2015 Annual Meet. Refer to 2014 Minutes and our plans for older members (retrospective of their work), younger members (enhanced participation), etc.

Chair Anant Phadke, Reporter Sunil

10 AM to Lunch: Tentative Planning of the 2015 Annual discussion on Mental Health

Chair: Veena, Kaaren, Reporter Lakshmi

1. What are the sessions likely to be?
2. What are the Background Papers for each session, who will write them?
3. What is the structure of the session – individual presentations, landscape papers followed by discussion, film, etc.

Post Lunch: Any spill over discussions (the administrative meeting originally planned is cancelled)
Fees for Mid Annual Meet*

**Room and Board**
(Bed, Breakfast, Coffee at 11:00, Lunch, Tea at 4:00, Dinner)

One day of stay (7th night or 8th morning to 8th evening)

Double Occupancy: Rs 600

Single Occupancy: Rs 700 (only four rooms available, allotted on first preference)

Two days of stay (7th night or 8th Morning to 9th afternoon)

Double Occupancy: Rs 1200

Single Occupancy: Rs 1400

Ask about staying till 10th Morning at venue

**Day charges only**
(Breakfast, Coffee at 11:00, Lunch, Tea at 4:00): Rs 200 per day

Dinner on 8th: Rs 100 extra

*Note: May change a bit one way or another.*