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UNESCO, Cardinal Paul Poupard Foundation Chair  
Of Interreligious and Intercultural Dialogue at  
St. Andrew's College of Arts, Science and Commerce  
Mumbai, India

## ***St. Andrew's College of Arts, Science & Commerce***

*in association with*

*UNESCO and Cardinal Paul Poupard Foundation Chair (Italy)  
for Inter-Religious and Inter-Cultural Dialogue  
invite you to attend*

### ***The 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference***

**on**

***"The Role of Education to Foster Religious Harmony"***

*30 January 2018  
Conference Room,  
St. Andrew's College, Bandra  
9:00am - 5:00pm*

#### ***Chief Guest***

***H.E. Cardinal Oswald Gracias***  
*(Archbishop of Mumbai)*

#### ***Guest of Honour***

***Hon. Stefania Costanza***  
*(Consul General of Italy)*

***H.G. Archbishop Felix Machado***  
*(Bishop of Vasai)*

#### ***Keynote Speaker***

***Mr. Harsh Mander***  
*(Writer, Activist & Director of The Centre for Equity Studies)*

## *Programme*

- 9.00 a.m.: *Welcome and Introduction by Principal  
Dr. (Ms.) Marie Fernandes*
- 9.05 a.m.: *Prayer Song and Dance*
- 9.10 a.m.: *Lighting of the Lamp*
- 9.15 a.m.: *Presidential Address by H.E. Cardinal Oswald Gracias*
- 9.35 a.m.: *Guest of Honour: Consul General of Italy –  
Hon. Stefania-Costanza-“Refugees : A Challenge to Solidarity.”*
- 9.55a.m.: *Keynote Speech: Mr. Harsh Mander*
- 11.00 a.m.: *Guest of Honour: H.G. Archbishop Felix Machado*
- 11.20 a.m.: *Dr. Fr. Frazer Mascarenhas – “Education from a  
Principal’s Perspective”*
- 11.40 a.m.: *Break for Tea*
- 11.50 a.m.: *Mr. Jehangir Patel- “Resolving Religious Differences  
within Communities”*
- 12.10 p.m.: *Ms. Sameera Khan – “What are Our Children Learning?  
Role of Parents/Teachers in Fostering Religious Harmony”*
- 12:30 p.m. : *Ms. Carol Andrade - “Success and Failure of Inspiring  
Leaders to Overcome Religious Discrimination”*
- 12.50 p.m.: *Panel Discussion with Mr. Harsh Mander, Mr. Jehangir  
Patel, Dr. Fr. Frazer Mascarenhas, Ms. Sameera Khan and  
Mr. Mikael D’ souza (Student) ,  
moderated by Mr. Dilip D’ souza*
- 1.15 p.m.: *Prize Distribution*
- 1:30 p.m.-1:40 p.m.: *Vote of Thanks by Rector Fr. Magi Murzello*
- 1:40 p.m.-2:30 p.m.: *Lunch*
- 2.30 p.m.-2.45 p.m.: *Documentary Screening*
- 2.45 p.m.-5.00 p.m.: *Paper Presentations*