

SDM-IMD to host global OD summit

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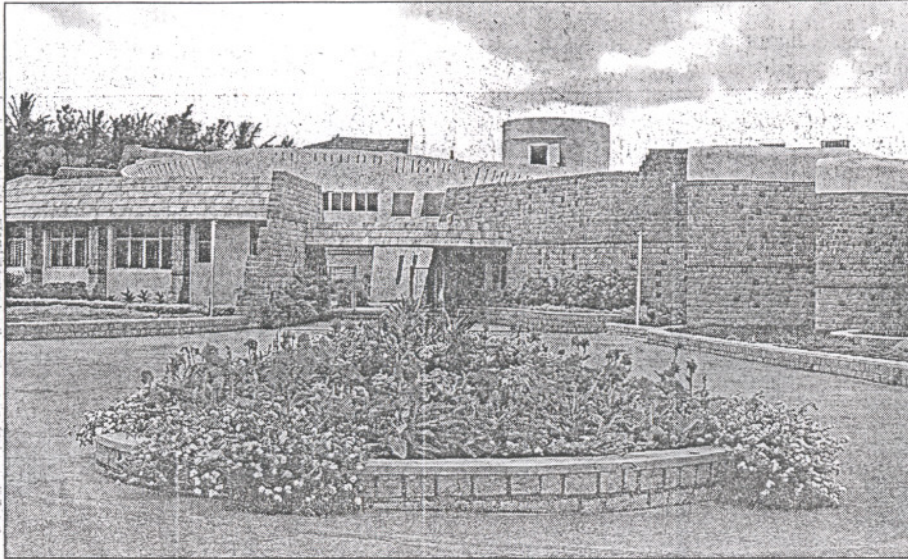
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MYSORE: SDM Institute for Management Development (SDM-IMD) is hosting the first ever summit on Organisation Development (OD) in Asia, at its campus here from September 18 to 21.

The summit, titled Global Organisation Development Summit (GODS), has been organised in association with Indian Society for Applied Behavioral Science (IS-ABS) and Infosys Leadership Institute (ILI).

The summit will bring together corporate executives, consultants and academicians from across the globe on a common platform to share new developments, practices and challenges on Organisation Development. The goal of the summit is 'Networking for knowledge sharing'.

Announcing this at a



A view of SDM-IMD Institute where the summit will be held.

press conference here, Dr Mohan Krishnan, President, GODS said the summit will

address best practices for OD for client impact, ethical issues of corporate gover-

nance, current status of OD knowledge and future focus of OD to evolve a framework

for global network of OD professionals.

He said OD stalwarts Roland Sullivan, Peter Kostanbaum and Anne Litwin from the US, Udai Pareek from India, Michael Beer from Harvard Business School and David Bradford from Stanford Business School will speak at the three-day summit. Prof Pareek will deliver the keynote address. Dr Veerendra Heggade, Dharmadhikari of Dharmasthala and President of SDM Educational Trust will address the delegates on September 19, which will be followed by a presentation on Dharmasthala's rural development initiative. Corporate leaders Venu Srinivasan of TVS Group, L Laxman of Rane Group and Baba N Kalyani are among the speakers. Visit www.odsummitindia.org for details.