



The COC-09 ended with a lively Panel Discussion to bring forth the salient features of various presentations of the two days.



The Panel Discussion was moderated by Mr. B.P.Pandey, Jt. Secretary, Dept of Chemicals & Petrochemicals, Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers, Govt. of India.

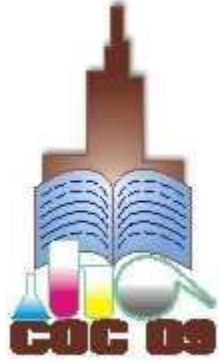
The other members of the panel were Prof. V.R.Kanetkar, Prof. Heinz Langhals, Mr. P.R.Rustogi, Dr. U.T.Nabar and Mr. Janak Mehta.



Prof. V.R.Kanetkar Emeritus Fellow and Adjunct Professor at Institute of Chemical Technology Mumbai.,summed up the philosophy of COC from the academic point of view.



Prof. Heinz Langhals, LMU Munich, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry Butenandtstr.13, D-81377 Munich, Germany., gave an international perspective to COC.



Mr. P.R.Rustogi, Ex-Vice President & Managing Director, Clariant Chemicals (India) Ltd. , explained the importance of product innovation, improvement and development of new technology in meeting Customer needs.



Dr. U.T.Nabar, Vice president Clariant Chemicals (India) Ltd. highlighted the role of COC in improving R & D in a successful Corporate.



Mr. Janak Mehta, Chairman, COC-09, gave an overview of the benefits derived from COC for Industry & Academia through collaborative approach of DMAI & ICT.



The Panel Discussion concluded after a very inter-active Questions & Answers session from the delegates.

