

## Cultural Colloquium

## A cartoonist's perspective of the India we live in

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India presents herself with huge opportunities for a cartoonist. There are more than a billion people waiting to be drawn, their stories waiting to be told and heard! Through this talk, I would like to present my humble attempt at documenting current day India seen through the "eyes of a cartoonist" Isn't it time to celebrate the people and the crowds of India?

**About the Speaker:** Phani Tetali works as Professor at the Industrial Design Centre (IDC), Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Bombay. He coordinates the Animation Program at the IDC, IIT Bombay. He is an animator, animation educator, designer, a passionate cartoonist and illustrator with more than 28 years of experience. He chose to join the academic field in 2009 after 18 years of work in the Animation/Gaming Industries. During those 18 years, he was involved in setting up and running some of the biggest animation and gaming studios in India.

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