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PROBING THE FUTURE PROSPECTS OF CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY IN SRI LANKA UNDER THE BELT AND ROAD INITIATIVE

Abstract

Though there are many challenging issues with regards to the construction industry in Sri Lanka, many local players, are very optimistic about future developments. Indeed, the sector invested primarily in developing infrastructure since 2009 after the civil war; however, still, there is a long way to go. Given that the increasing per capita income and growing population, Sri Lanka now demands the sustainable and affordable building and infrastructure developments, by offering more prospects for contractors as well as for the economy. Recent developments of 'Colombo Port City', 'One Galle Face', 'Colombo Light Rail Transit', and industrialized construction projects lead the industry towards a better tomorrow. On the other hand, several construction projects are now nurturing under the five key objectives of BRI, namely, policy coordination, connectivity, unimpeded trade, financial integration, and people-to-people bonds, seeking more industrial advancements. Therefore, it is the high-time to probe the prospects targeting the boom in the construction industry, expecting a sustainable future.



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About the Speaker

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Venue

Online Workshop

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