

## FOREWORD

The setting up of the W3C India Office at Department of Information Technology, New Delhi is symbolic of India's expanding role in global standards for the internet and exemplifies our commitment to shaping the future of the internet.

In this effort it is critical to make the web more inclusive for all Indians irrespective of language barriers. Exploiting the web to its full potential and enabling it in Indian Languages is the mandate of W3C India.

Ahead of the 1st Meeting of W3C National Advisory Committee, it is my pleasure to release this compilation of papers on a range of topics from Web Design and Applications, Web architecture, Machine translations and Language technologies, Mobile Phone technologies, and 3G Applications. The technologies and ideas expressed in these papers will be the subject of discussions in the W3C Conference in May 2010.

I thank all those that have made these contributions and hope that this initiative will draw experts from academia, government and business on a common platform for exchange of views.

I wish the W3C conference 2010 all success.

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