The BRICS Civil Forum was organised on 3-4 October 2016 in New Delhi jointly by Ministry of External Affairs, Forum for Indian Development Cooperation (FIDC) and Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS).

The 2-day event was organised with the objective to ensure a constructive dialogue between civil society and decision makers in the main social spheres of healthcare, food security, human security, poverty, etc as well as sustainable development, urbanisation and financial issues.

The event was organised around panel discussions and parallel sessions: (i) Quality of Economic Growth; (ii) Global Governance and Development Finance; (iii) Inclusive Multilateralism; (iv) Health and Malnutrition; (v) Youth Livelihood, Skills and Quality Education; (vi) Human Security, Peace and Justice; (vii) Sustainable Urbanisation; (viii) Climate Change and Vulnerabilities; and (ix) Sustainability and Science-Society Balance.