

# Review of: "Diversity and Inclusion for Innovation-Led Growth"

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The topic selected by the authors is a relevant topic for India especially when the projected growth of her economy is as it stands today. However, the article does not do justice to the topic or academic writing. An academic writing requires a standard lay out and hence the current article can be best called as a newspaper article. While the authors have laid out the prerequisites for future growth and development, how will these be achieved is something that eludes discussion in the article. This said, it is important to mention that the growth of a nation from a low income to high income group is not a straight line affair but one that involves a cusp which takes quite an effort to emerge from and usually many countries striving to become high income nations loose steam in the cusp and remain middle income group for ever. For a nation like India to actually get out of the cusp requires self driven innovation to sustain its growth which in return requires an all out effort and an environment for innovation. This unfortunately does not find mention in the work of the authors.

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