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Possibility of Cooperation in Skills Development, Potential Areas and Renewable Energy Cooperation

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Possibility of Cooperation in Skills Development

- India has a young population and human resource needs to be developed
- Germany has a dual vocational training system where the students are taught for two days a week and they work in the industry for next three days.
- In 2008, the German and Indian Governments set up a bilateral working group on Vocational Education and Training (VET) .
- Germany is world's second largest exporter (after China)
- Part of G-4
- India-Germany non-permanent members of UNSC right now
- 2011 is the 60th anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations with Germany

Potential Areas

- Technology
- Education

Renewable Energy Cooperation

- Germany promotes investments in renewable energy by providing sustainable financing through the Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency (IREDA)
- In Anta, a 15 MW solar thermal power station is being established by NTPC with help from Germany

Germany and India

Infinite opportunities – a 15 month long collaborative celebration marking the 60 years of Indo-German diplomatic relations began from Sept 2011.