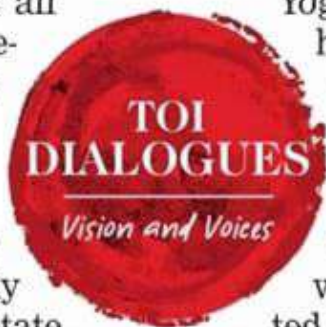


'Kanpur has all elements to reclaim supremacy, thrive as economic hub'

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Kanpur: The industrial city of Kanpur has the potential to reclaim its economic supremacy and needs a leap of transformation to make significant contributions to UP's growth story, according to experts who participated in the Kanpur edition of TOI Dialogues on Monday.

Delivering the keynote address, advisor to the Chief Minister, Awanish Awasthi, said: "Kanpur has all the elements to reclaim its economic supremacy and importance in the development of India. A lot of things are already being done by the state govt but a lot more needs to be



(L-R) Maneesh Mansingka, Mayur Maheshwari, Sudeep Goenka, Prof Sanjay Kumar Singh and Manoj Gupta

envisioned and undertaken." Citing the example of CM Yogi Adityanath, Awasthi added that a total commitment to the cause was required.

A series of panel discussions was held during the event in which experts deliberated on the steps needed to transform Kanpur into a thri-

ving economic hub. Chief executive officer, Uttar Pradesh State Industrial Development Authority (UPSIDE), Mayur Maheshwari said that new businesses and sectors need to be developed for Kanpur to achieve the transformational leap or else growth would come in instalments.

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