Indian Conference on Life Cycle Management (ILCM 2014)

29-30 September 2014
FICCI, Federation House
New Delhi, India

Background

Life Cycle Thinking is playing an increasingly important role in guiding and shaping business operations worldwide. ILCM is a flagship event instituted by FICCI to promote Life Cycle Thinking among various stakeholder groups in India – government, industry, academia, as well as non government institutes. It brings together Indian and international Life Cycle Assessment/Management (LCA/M) experts and interested stakeholders to promote Life Cycle Approaches in India. ILCM is the only forum in India that focuses exclusively on Life Cycle related work of academicians, industry, policy makers and relevant stakeholders.

ILCM 2014 will demonstrate a balance of theoretical discussions, case studies and technical workshops. Colleagues across the world will debate on LCA/LCM; deliver lead sessions, workshops and present best practices.

Theme and Focus Areas

Conference sessions will be organized around the following focus areas:

- Case studies on incorporating LCA/M in Corporate Sustainability Policy/Strategy
- Regional approaches on inclusion of Life Cycle thinking into business/policy decisions
- Using Social LCA for leading towards inclusive growth and development

Preparation of Abstract

Content

- Abstract must be in English
- Abstract can be structured as follows: Introduction, Purpose/Aim, Materials and Methods, Results, Relevance, Conclusion, Discussion, Implications, Keywords. Please include these as relevant for your abstract. The structured abstracts should clearly state the aim, scope and conclusion of paper. In structured abstracts, paragraph headings should be typed in bold and each heading should be in a separate paragraph
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- The abstract should not exceed 300 words (excludes title of the abstract, authors' names and affiliations)
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01/07/2014
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01/08/2014