

## AI India Conclave 2024

“Embracing AI Revolution for Viksit Bharat”

Date: 19-September 2024

Venue: FICCI – New Delhi

### PROGRAMME

Timings	Agenda Item
10:00 AM - 10:20 AM	Registration and Welcome Tea / Coffee
10:25 AM - 11:15 AM	<p><b>Inaugural Session on Charting India's AI Future “IndiaAI Mission”: Vision, Innovation, and Leadership</b></p> <p><b>Session Brief:</b> <i>The Inaugural Session will set the stage by discussing the “IndiaAI Mission,” focusing on India's vision to lead in AI innovation. Key industry leaders and subject matter experts will discuss the strategic roadmap, emphasizing India's potential to harness AI for economic growth, societal impact, and global leadership, driving the nation towards a transformative AI future.</i></p>
10:25 AM - 10:35 AM	<p><b>Welcome Address &amp; Opening Remarks</b></p> <p><b>Ms. Roma Datta Chobey</b>, Chairperson, Technology Committee, FICCI and Manager, Google India Pvt Ltd.</p>
10:35 AM - 10:45 AM	<p><b>Industry Address</b></p> <p><b>Ms. Shalini Kapoor</b>, Chief Technologist, Asia Pacific Japan, Amazon Web Services</p>
<p><b>Release of FICCI-EY Report</b></p> <p><b>“Identifying AI Generated Content in the Digital Age: The Role of Watermarking” By Prof. Ajay Kumar Sood</b>, Principal Scientific Adviser, Government of India</p>	
10:45 AM - 11:00 AM	<p><b>Inaugural Address</b></p> <p><b>Prof. Ajay Kumar Sood</b>, Principal Scientific Adviser, Government of India</p>
11:00 AM - 11:10 AM	<p><b>Presentation on Findings of the Report</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Rajnish Gupta</b>, Partner, EY</p>
11:10 AM - 11:15 AM	<p><b>Vote of Thanks</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Chetan Bijesure</b>, Assistant Secretary General, FICCI</p>
<p><b>Conclusion of Inaugural Session</b></p>	

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11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	<p><b>CEOs Panel “Building a scalable AI Stack through partnerships”</b></p> <p><b>Session Brief:</b> <i>The Session will explore the importance of strategic partnerships in building a scalable AI stack in India. Industry leaders will discuss collaboration models that drive innovation, enhance AI infrastructure, and accelerate adoption, emphasizing how partnerships between various pivots can unlock new opportunities and ensure the successful deployment of AI solutions across various sectors.</i></p> <p><b>Session Chair:</b> <b>Shri S. Krishnan</b>, Secretary, Ministry of Electronics &amp; Information Technology, Government of India</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> <b>Mr. Hari Balaji</b>, Partner - Technology Consulting, EY</p> <p><b>Panellists:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Roma Datta Chobey</b>, Country Manager, Google India Pvt Ltd</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Manish Sharma</b>, Chairman, Panasonic Life Solutions India and South Asia</li> <li>• <b>Ms. Shalini Kapoor</b>, Chief Technologist, Asia Pacific Japan, Amazon Web Services</li> <li>• <b>Mr Gokul V Subramaniam</b>, India President &amp; Vice President Client Computing Group, Intel</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Tarun Chhabra</b>, Country Head, Nokia India</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Jason Oxman</b>, President and Chief Executive Officer, Information Technology Industry Council (ITI)</li> </ul>
12:30 PM - 01:45 PM	<p><b>Plenary Session on “Nurturing AI Talent: Education, Training, and Innovation”</b></p> <p><b>Session Brief:</b> <i>The session will explore strategies for nurturing AI talent through education, training, and innovation. Industry leaders and experts will discuss effective approaches to skilling, curriculum development, and fostering an ecosystem that encourages creativity, ensuring India remains at the forefront of AI advancements by building a robust talent pipeline for the coming years.</i></p> <p><b>Session Chair:</b> <b>Ms. Kavita Bhatia</b>, COO, India AI Mission &amp; Scientist G and Group Coordinator, Ministry of Electronics &amp; Information Technology, Government of India</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> <b>Mr. Ayush Gupta</b>, Partner, KPMG</p> <p><b>Panellists:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dr. Buddha Chandrasekhar</b>, Chief Coordinating Officer, All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE)</li> <li>• <b>Mr Kanishka Agiwal</b>, Head - Service Lines, Public Sector, India/South Asia, Amazon Web Services</li> <li>• <b>Ms. Shweta Khurana</b>, Senior Director – Asia Pacific &amp; Japan, Government Partnerships &amp; Initiatives, International Government Affairs, Intel</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Sunil Abraham</b>, Director - Public Policy, Meta India</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Amit Prasad</b>, Head - Talent Development, TCS India North</li> </ul>
<b>01:45 PM - 02:45 PM</b>	<b>Networking Lunch</b>
<b>02:45 PM - 04:00 PM</b>	<p><b>Plenary Session on “AI in Action: Revolutionizing Agriculture and Healthcare”</b>  <b>Session Brief:</b> <i>The session will delve into the transformative impact of AI in the agriculture and healthcare sectors. Experts will showcase real-world applications, discussing how AI-driven solutions are enhancing crop yields, improving disease detection, and revolutionizing patient care, ultimately driving innovation and efficiency in two of India’s most critical sectors.</i></p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> <b>Ms. Swati Jain</b>, Partner, Deloitte</p> <p><b>Panellists</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Amol Deshpande</b>, Group Chief Digital Officer   Head – Innovation, RPG Group</li> <li>• <b>Dr. Prakash Bakshi</b>, CEO, MedoPlus</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Harsh Dhand</b>, Research &amp; Core Partnerships Lead, Google APAC</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Bipul Das</b>, Senior Director, GE HealthCare</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Pushkar Limaye</b>, Founder and CTO, Carnot (Mahindra Group)</li> </ul>
<b>04:00 PM - 04:30 PM</b>	<p><b>Fireside Side Session on “Powering AI with Indian Data: The India AI Datasets Platform”</b>  <b>Session Brief:</b> <i>This session will unveil the importance of the “India AI Datasets Platform,” highlighting its role in powering AI innovation with diverse, high-quality Indian data. The discussions will explore how such platforms supports AI research, enhances data sovereignty, and fuels India’s journey towards becoming a global leader in AI technology.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms Deepshikha Sikarwar</b>, Associate Editor and National Editor (Economics), The Economic Times <i>In conversation with</i></li> <li>• <b>Shri Abhishek Singh</b>, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Electronics &amp; Information Technology, Government of India</li> </ul>
<b>04:30 PM - 05:45 PM</b>	<p><b>Plenary Session on “Outlining strategies for integrating ethical considerations into AI policymaking in India”</b>  <b>Session Brief:</b> <i>The session will explore strategies for embedding ethical considerations into AI policymaking in India. Experts will discuss frameworks to ensure AI development aligns with societal values, addresses biases, and promotes transparency, fostering responsible AI adoption that safeguards citizens’ rights while driving innovation and economic growth.</i></p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> <b>Mr Rahul Singhal</b>, Partner and Co-lead Cyber Assurance Practice, KPMG in India</p> <p><b>Panellists:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Gibson Michael Riungu</b>, Chief of ICT4D and Innovation, UNICEF, India</li> </ul>

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- **Mr Girish Dave**, Head - 5G, 6G & AI Product Management, Jio Platforms Limited
- **Ms. Garima Rathore**, Director, Government Affairs & Public Policy, Microsoft India and South Asia
- **Mr. Ajit Joshi**, Head - ISV Ecosystems, Red Hat India
- **Dr. Avik Sarkar**, Senior Research Fellow & Visiting Faculty, Indian School of Business
- **Mr Arjun Venkatraman**, Program Officer, Digital, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

05:45 PM Onwards

Programme Conclusion and Networking Hi-Tea