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About AIMA



The All India Management Association (AIMA) is the Voice of India's Leaders and Managers, and the apex body of the management profession in India. AIMA is a not for profit, non-lobbying organisation, and works closely with Industry, Government, Academia, and students to further the cause of the management profession in India.

AIMA has a membership base of over 38000 members and close to 6000 corporate / institutional members, through 67 Local Management Associations affiliated to AIMA. The Association is represented on a number of policy making bodies of the Government of India and national associations.

Established in 1957, AIMA has contributed immensely to the enhancement of management capability in the country over the years. AIMA offers various services in the areas of testing, distance education, skill development & training, research, publications, executive education and management development programmes and special Forums for Young Leaders, Vice Chancellors and women leaders and managers.

Over the past six decades, AIMA has evolved as times have changed and catered to the growing needs of today's management community. Apart from its flagship Post Graduate Diploma in Management, AIMA offers topical and industry-oriented programmes and initiatives to help management professionals and students keep in step with times, while offering state of the art business solutions for organisations and institutions.

As the pioneer of Distance Education, AIMA has always been an early starter, even in the digital space. AIMA was amongst the first organisations to offer Internet Based Remote Proctored Tests on a national level; and among the first to shift its service offerings online. AIMA quickly built digital expertise and now has the capability to offer its management programmes and business solutions in the physical, virtual and hybrid mode, as required.

AIMA also brings to the Indian managers, the best management practices, and techniques through numerous foreign collaborations with professional bodies and institutions. AIMA is an important and long-time member of the Asian Association of Management Organisations (AAMO), which promotes professional management in the Asia Pacific region. In addition, AIMA has developed close associations with several leading international Universities and Institutions including the UC Berkeley, UC Santa Cruz, St Gallen Symposium, Horasis, The World Bank to name a few.

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Agenda

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CONCLAVE AGENDA

0830 – 0915 hrs	Registration / Arrival of Delegates
0915 – 0930 hrs	Opening Session Lighting of the Lamp
Introductory Remarks	Rekha Sethi Director General, AIMA
Address	Nikhil Sawhney President, AIMA and Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Triveni Turbine Ltd

0930 – 1015 hrs	Fireside Chat: - Unshackling Leadership in the Age of AI
Session 1	<p>Digitalization of everyone and everything is yielding data in a volume and at a rate that can be processed and utilized only by applying AI. With AI changing productivity, creativity and competitiveness dynamics rapidly, leaders need to enhance themselves with AI knowhow and tools to keep up. Anyway, it is risky to leave critical thinking, creativity and responsibility to what are essentially pattern learning, remixing, predicting and activating algorithms. AI can potentially automate social polarization and segregation, and in a digitally stratified world, AI can become a new force of inequity. The AI-led governance models need constant scrutiny and correction and the AI developers, regulators, users, and researchers need to collaborate to balance the risks and benefits of this extreme technology.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can companies keep up with the rapid pace of AI development? • How do we avoid the mistakes of globalization and ensure that AI does not create more inequity in societies? • How can the industry, academia and government partner in balancing the benefits and risks of AI?

Welcome **Nikhil Sawhney**
 President, AIMA and
 Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Triveni Turbine Ltd

Speaker **Pradeep Khosla**
 Chancellor, University of California, San Diego

Interaction with Audience

1020 – 1105 hrs

Session 2

Hard power: Modernizing forces through self-reliance

India's security needs are changing as it emerges as one of the poles in a new multipolar world. The Indian Army has to play a decisive role not only in national security but also in regional security. However, with the global supply chains for war machines and technologies threatened by sudden disruptions, India cannot rely on imported weapons alone. The army needs self-sufficiency in critical systems for India to have a credible hard power. The challenge is made harder by not having mutually accepted borders with its two largest neighbours, which are allies. The Indian Army needs radical enhancements to win potentially multi-front, multi-dimensional wars, and it needs a strong production and innovation base at home to enforce its will in a border or a regional conflict.

- How is the army changing to meet the new demands of national and regional security?
- What role would technology play in determining the length and outcome of future wars in the subcontinent?
- What is the army leadership doing to ensure that Indian companies develop indigenous alternatives and also entirely novel weapons?

Welcome **Sanjay Kirloskar**
 Past President, AIMA and
 Chairman & Managing Director, Kirloskar Brothers Ltd

Speaker **General Manoj Pande, PVSM, AVSM, VSM, ADC**
 Chief of the Army Staff, India

Interaction with Audience

1110 – 1155 hrs

Session 3**Panel Discussion: Reinventing legacy: Leading change with continuity**

In the old world, typically, the founder of a family business created, the second generation built, and the third generation frittered it away. Now, as the economy and the opportunities change fast, family businesses face greater internal and external challenges in each generation. However, family business legacy remains an important source of capital, recognition and influence, and those who can manage change with continuity tend to enjoy lasting competitive advantage. However, the legacy can sometimes be a burden and a constraint on the next generation. A living legacy needs to evolve in purpose, scope and story to align with the new economy, technologies, competition, values, and socio-political realities. Legacy is not something to be preserved. The challenge is to maintain its potency through continuous extension and invention.

- Why does family legacy matter in this age of disruptive entrepreneurship?
- How can successive generations turn the legacy into an asset and not allow it to become a liability?
- What kind of inter-generational power sharing is needed to achieve legacy's longevity and upgrade?

Moderator**Harshavardhan Neotia**

Past President, AIMA and
Chairman, Ambuja Neotia Holdings Pvt. Ltd

Panelists**Piruz Khambatta**

Group Chairman, Rasna Private Limited

Vineet Agarwal

Managing Director, Transport Corporation of India Ltd

Shiv Siddhant Kaul

Managing Director, Nicco Engineering Services Ltd

Interaction with Audience

1200 – 1245 hrs

Session 4**Panel Discussion: Smart Money Moves: Pathways to Financial Freedom**

India is transforming from a nation of savers to investors. The share of retail investors in the stocks listed on the National Stock Exchange has reached an all-time high. This change can be attributed to several factors, such

as emergence of internet penetration, new trading platforms, lower tax regime, and growing role of financial influencers who educate their followers on financial markets and guide their investment decisions through social media platforms. Young Indians have a higher appetite for risk and look for ways of adding to their income and wealth. The recent IPO euphoria, a booming entrepreneurship culture, and the rise of retail market investors are a testimony to it. Building on this trend requires the influencers to assure verified information, transparency of interest, and accountability of advice.

- How to set clear financial goals and what does financial freedom mean to you?
- How can Indians become more financially literate and invest wisely?
- With share markets reaching all-time high, how should young investors plan future investing?

Moderator

Vikram Chandra
 Founder, Editorji Technologies Ltd

Panelists

Rachana Ranade
 Founder, Rachana Ranade and Associates; FinFluencer, Entrepreneur, Teacher

Ankur Warikoo
 Founder, WebVeda; Content creator, WariCrew, Speaker, Author

Neha Nagar
 Chief Executive Officer, Taxationhelp.in;
 Finance content creator

Interaction with Audience

1245 – 1345 hrs

Networking Lunch

1345 – 1430 hrs

Session 5

Fireside chat: - Meat of the matter: The making of India's first D2C unicorn

They exited flourishing careers and were socially disowned by their families when they decided to venture into one of India's most underserved markets - home delivered raw meat and seafood. Driven by rising demand for more diverse food in a prospering India, and backed by global investors, the co-founders of Licious

built India's first direct-to-consumer unicorn in just six years. They made meat and seafood more accessible to India's aspirational consumers through their e-commerce platform and built supply chains that allow trust in safety and quality in a sensitive food category. Their success has inspired other innovators and they are leading formalization of a predominantly unorganized market. While meat and seafood services are gaining from the shift in the market's structure, they still need to overcome challenges in a vegetarian-first India.

- Coming from anti-meat households, how tricky was it for you to risk not only your savings but also your family and social ties?
- What kind of challenges did you face in developing the supply chain and how resilient is your supply chain?
- What kind of innovations do you have in the pipeline to remain the leader?

Moderator

Sumita Kareer

Anchor, Deputy Editor, ET Now

Speakers

Vivek Gupta & Abhay Hanjura

Co-Founders, Licious

Interaction with Audience

1435 – 1530 hrs

Session 6

Panel Discussion: - Navigating geopolitics: Managing global risks to growth

Indian economy is in a good spot with a GDP growth rate that is twice the global average, and its potential is growing as it integrates more with the rich world. India is the new favourite destination for global companies and investors because of its huge young population with immense work and consumption potential, its increasing technological sophistication, and its pragmatic foreign policy. Indian companies have new opportunities to join the global supply chains and expand their global footprint. While things look rosy for India, there are significant risks to its prospects from geopolitical volatility. Escalating tension between major powers is rocking the global economy and things could get worse before they get better. India's CEOs need to factor that in and devise strategies and capabilities to manage global risks to growth.

- How does Indian economy stand to gain from the ongoing geopolitical shake up?
- What are the geopolitical risks to India's economic growth?
- How can Indian CEOs grab new global opportunities while managing geopolitical risks?

Release of AIMA – KPMG Women Leadership in Corporate India 2024 Report

Introduction of the report

Yezdi Nagporewalla

Chief Executive Officer, KPMG in India

Moderator

Raj Chengappa

Group Editorial Director (Publishing), India Today Group

Panelists

Nikhil Sawhney

President, AIMA and

Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Triveni Turbine Ltd

Suneeta Reddy

Senior Vice President, AIMA and

Managing Director, Apollo Hospitals Group

T V Narendran

Vice President, AIMA and

CEO & Managing Director, Tata Steel Ltd

Yezdi Nagporewalla

Chief Executive Officer, KPMG in India

Vishal Kampani

Non-executive Vice Chairman JM Financial Ltd.

Interaction with Audience

1530 – 1600 hrs

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1600 – 1645 hrs

Fireside Chat : - Making magic, breaking taboos: My story

Session 7

A prodigious film maker, show host and entrepreneur, Karan Johar has entertained Indians for more than 25 years. Best known for creating urban and edgy love on screen with glamour and banter in ample measure, he

has also handled family drama and moral debate with aplomb. His talk show 'Koffee with Karan' is the most viewed English show on Indian television and streaming platforms. A savvy producer and a generous mentor, he has nurtured the next generation of directorial talent. He has marked his silver jubilee in the entertainment industry by producing and directing 'Rocky Aur Rani Kii Prem Kahaani', a film that has not only achieved great box office success but also critical acclaim. He is not only a legendary artist, he is also a model entrepreneur and business leader.

- Did you feel any pressure in the making of 'Rocky and Rani' which marked your silver jubilee year in the industry?
- How have you evolved as a director and producer since your debut movie 25 years ago?
- How do you balance your commercial and reformist instincts when you put the spotlight on taboos in your movies?

Moderator**Avarna Jain**

Vice Chairperson, Saregama & Chairperson, RPSG Lifestyle Media

Speaker**Karan Johar**

Producer, Director, Talk Show Host and Entrepreneur

Interaction with Audience

1645 – 1730 hrs

*9th National Leadership Conclave concludes
Tea / Coffee will be served at Shahjehan Hall*

1745 - 1950 hrs

Managing India Awards Ceremony



Speaker Profiles

**General Manoj Pande**

PVSM, AVSM, VSM, ADC

Chief of the Army Staff, India

General Manoj Pande, PVSM, AVSM, VSM, ADC an alumnus of the National Defence Academy, was commissioned in December 1982 in the Corps of Engineers (The Bombay Sappers). The General Officer has commanded an Engineer Regiment during Operation PARAKRAM in sensitive Pallanwala Sector of Jammu and Kashmir, along the Line of Control. The General Officer is a graduate of Staff College, Camberley (United Kingdom) and attended the Higher Command (HC) and National Defence College (NDC) Courses.

In his four decades of distinguished military career, he has tenanted important and challenging command and staff appointments in different operational environments which include command of an engineer Brigade in the Western Theatre, as part of Strike Corps, and Infantry Brigade along Line of Control in Jammu and Kashmir, a Mountain Division in the High Altitude Area of Western Ladakh and command of a Corps, deployed along the Line of Actual (LAC) and in Counter Insurgency Operations area of Eastern Command. His staff exposures include Brigade Major of a Mountain Brigade in the North East. Assistant Military Secretary (AMS) in Military Secretary's Branch, Colonel Q of a Mountain Division In High Altitude Area and Brigadier General Staff (Operations) at Headquarters Eastern Command. The General Officer has served as Chief Engineer in the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea. He has also tenanted the appointments of Additional Director General in the Military Operations Directorate at Army Headquarters, Chief of Staff Headquarters Southern Command and Director General Discipline Ceremonial & Welfare at the Army Headquarters. He was Commander-in-Chief Andaman & Nicobar Command (CINCAN) from June 2020 to May 2021 and General Officer Commanding-in-Chief Eastern Command Jun 2021 to Jan 2022.

For his illustrious service he has been conferred with the award of Param Vishisht Seva Medal, Ati Vishisht Seva Medal and Vishisht Seva Medal. The General Officer is the Colonel Commandant. The Bombay Sappers. He held the appointment of Vice Chief of Army Staff before assuming the appointment of the Chief of the Army Staff on 30 Apr 2022.

**Nikhil Sawhney**

President, AIMA and
Vice Chairman & Managing Director
Triveni Turbine Ltd

Nikhil Sawhney is the Vice Chairman and Managing Director of Triveni Turbines and a Director of Triveni Engineering. The Companies occupy leadership positions in their respective businesses of sugar manufacturing, distillation of alcohol, renewable energy generation, industrial turbines and gears, and water and wastewater treatment solutions, spanning 22 manufacturing locations in India. Triveni Turbines is one of the largest global manufacturers of industrial steam turbines as well as the global leader for renewable energy-based applications. The company has over six thousand installations in over 80 countries. The Company is leading the Energy Transition with the development of several innovation products and solutions, especially utilizing CO₂ as a working fluid. Nikhil is the President of the All India Management Association. He has helped found the CII- Triveni Water Institute and is an active trustee of the Tirath Ram Shah Charitable Hospital and the Emmanuel College India Trust, as well as the Ananta Aspen Center, of which he is a fellow. Nikhil is also a member of the Trilateral Commission and a member of various Government of India-led bilateral CEO forums. Nikhil is the Co-Chair of the Ananta Aspen-led India-Israel Forum. Nikhil has been voted one of India's forty 'hottest' business leaders under 40 by The Economic Times in 2015. He has a BA and MA from Emmanuel College, University of Cambridge, and an MBA from The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania. Nikhil resides in New Delhi with his wife Zia and their son Zahan.

**Abhay Hanjura**

Co-Founder, Licious

Abhay Hanjura is the driving force behind India's most loved food brand - Licious - as the Co-Founder of the company. With a bold vision to reshape the meat & seafood industry and erase the stigma associated with the category, Abhay embarked on a mission that would forever change the way people perceive and enjoy meat in the country. Prior to founding Licious, Abhay had a five-year stint with Futurisk Insurance Broking Co. Pvt. Ltd., where he developed a knack for strategic thinking and data-driven decision-making through his different roles as Head of Business Intelligence and Senior Vice President. Braving the initial skepticism and industry challenges, Abhay, along with Co-Founder and friend Vivek, remained steadfast in his commitment to delivering premium, safe and hygienic meat products to consumers. Abhay's entrepreneurial spirit and relentless pursuit of excellence have been instrumental in shaping Licious into an industry leader. Abhay has been a finalist at Ernst & Young Entrepreneur of the Year in 2022 and has featured in GQ's illustrious 40 Under 40 list in 2021. His inclusion in the Economic Times 40 Under 40 list in the same year underscores his profound impact and influence in the business world. A foodie at heart, Abhay enjoys cooking as well as relishing different cuisines. In addition to food, travel and exploring new destinations is also something that Abhay enjoys.

**Ankur Warikoo**

Founder, WebVeda;
Content creator
WariCrew, Speaker, Author.

Ankur Warikoo is an entrepreneur based out of India and is one of India's top content creators. He runs WebVeda, an online school for young professionals. He is also a bestselling author. Warikoo is an angel investor and in his spare time loves to mentor entrepreneurs. Presently, warikoo splits his time as a Content creator (where he engages a community of 10Mn+ followers across YouTube, LinkedIn, Instagram, Twitter and Facebook), Running his education startup WebVeda.com (an online school aimed to help young professionals around entrepreneurship, career management and personal growth. Over 380,000+ students have attended his courses so far.) And as a mentor/investor to startups (where he loves spending time with first-time entrepreneurs hoping he can help them not make the same mistakes he made when he started up).

He is also a bestselling author. His first book "DO EPIC SHIT" released in December 2021 and has been the top seller in India of 2022. His second book 'GET EPIC SHIT DONE' released in December 2022 and hit the #1 chart again. Previously, Warikoo founded nearbuy.com, India's No.1 Lifestyle App. He was its CEO from its inception in 2015 until 2019. Prior to that, Ankur was the founding CEO of Groupon's India from 2011-15, and head of Groupon APAC from 2013-15. Warikoo started his entrepreneurial journey in 2008 when he co-founded Accentium Web along with 2 other batch-mates from ISB that ran websites such as Gaadi.com & Secondshaadi.com. Thereafter, Ankur launched Rocket Internet's India business and was part of the founding team of Jabong.com. Before becoming an entrepreneur, Ankur was a Management Consultant with Kearney for 3 years. He worked in Delhi, Dubai and New York during this time. Warikoo holds an MBA degree from the Indian School of Business (Class of 2006) where he was awarded the Young Leader Award. He also has an MS degree in Physics from Michigan State University (where he dropped out of the PhD program) and a BS degree in Physics from Hindu College, Delhi University. Ankur was part of Fortune Magazine's 40 under 40 List for India, Forbes Top 100 Digital Creators list 2022, LinkedIn India's Top Voices for 2018, 2019 and 2020, LinkedIn India's Spotlight List and India's Top Executives under 40 by Business Today.

**Avarna Jain**

Chairperson Editorial Board
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Vice Chairperson
Saregama

Avarna Jain is the Vice Chairperson of the Billion dollar music company Saregama , part of the 7 Billion dollar RPSG Group. The 130-year-old music company has the largest trademarked collection of songs and owns close to 50% of Indian Music ever recorded. Avarna has steered the legacy company into the digital world. She was responsible for launching the clutter breaking, iconic Music Player Carvaan which has the most memorable pre-recorded songs of Indian Musical greats. She was instrumental in launching a Carvaan variant in every major Indian language. The company has also forayed into the OTT film segment with multiple films on Netflix, some of which have won National awards.

Avarna Jain is also the Chairperson of RPSG Lifestyle Media which publishes celebrity magazine Hello!; in the pipeline are prestigious Mens magazine Esquire and The Hollywood Reporter, India. She has received an award for Female Entrepreneur of the year from the Indian Council of United Nations, and the Sanmarg Aparajita Young achiever Award. She was listed as the 100 young achievers by India Today in 2021. Avarna is also part of the India Today top 100 women achievers in India in 2023. She recently won the 2024 YFLO Young Achiever Award. She was also declared the Ficci FLO entrepreneur of the year at the Financial express awards in 2024. At 27 she became the youngest ever chairperson for YFLO Delhi. She graduated from the University of Pennsylvania with a degree in communication.

**Harsh Pati Singhania**

Chairman & Managing Director
JK Paper Ltd.

Harsh Pati Singhania, 62, an MBA from University of Massachusetts and alumnus of Harvard Business School, USA, belongs to one of India's largest industrial groups – J.K. Organisation which operates in diverse businesses like Paper, Cement, Tyres, Auto Engineering, Hybrid Seeds, Dairy/Food, Defence, Textiles etc. having a turnover of around USD 6.0 billion. Mr Singhania is Chairman & Managing Director of JK Paper Ltd., one of the leading companies of the Group.

He is currently a Vice-Chair and Member of Executive Board of International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), Paris which is the apex body for all Chambers of Commerce globally. He also serves as a Member on the Board of Governors of International Management Institute (IMI), Board of Management of JK Lakshmiipat University (JKLU) and Pushpawati Singhania Hospital & Research Institute (PSRI).

He is known for his contribution to various industry and Government bodies in international joint business forums and councils. He has led various Industry bodies as President of Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI), All India Management Association (AIMA), ICC-India, Indian Paper Manufacturers Association (IPMA) etc.

He was conferred an honorary Doctoral degree by the Board of Governors of Xavier Institute of Management, Bhubaneswar.

**Harshavardhan Neotia**

Past President, AIMA and
Chairman, Ambuja Neotia Holdings Pvt. Ltd

Harshavardhan Neotia is an Entrepreneur, and presently Chairman of Ambuja Neotia Group.

The Group operates across four business verticals: Real Estate, Hospitality, Healthcare and Education. Headquartered in Kolkata, the group's projects are mostly located in Eastern India.

Did schooling from La Martiniere for Boys, Kolkata. He graduated with a B.Com (Hons.) degree from St. Xavier's College, Kolkata, and went on to complete the Owner President Management Programme (OPM) from Harvard Business School, USA.

For his work in social housing Harshavardhan Neotia was conferred with Padma Shri from the hon'ble President of India in 1999. He is also a recipient of the YPO Legacy of Honour Award. He recently received D.Litt. (Honoris Causa) by the Vidyasagar University, West Bengal. Awarded Banga Bibhushan – Highest civilian honour from Government of West Bengal.

He is an active Member and Past President of FICCI and also Past President of AIMA. He is presently member Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA), Chairperson of Board of Governors of National Institute of Technology (NIT) Mizoram, Council Member of the National Culture Fund, Govt. of India and former Chairman of National Institute of Technical Teachers' Training & Research (NITTTR).

He has formerly been on the board of IIM Kolkata, IIT Kharagpur, and on The Court of Jawaharlal Nehru University.

He heads Jnana Pravaha, a Centre for Cultural Studies and Research in Varanasi and is one of the trustees of Shree Somnath Trust.

He is the Honorary Consul of Israel in West Bengal.

**Karan Johar**

Producer, Director
Talk Show Host and Entrepreneur

Producer, director, talk show host and an entrepreneur - Karan Johar is one of the most notable Indian filmmakers today with the honour of being a Padma Shri awardee. The multi-faceted Karan wears many caps with ease. Besides being an acclaimed director in the Indian film industry for the past 25 years and one of the most influential men today - Karan is also a television personality, a talk show host and a mentor to new talents across the spectrum. His talk show 'Koffee With Karan' has the distinction of being the most watched English talk show on Indian television and is now ruling over the OTT space as well. In addition to personal success and accomplishment, Karan Johar has also been a mentor to many successful directors in India. Directors have flourished under his guidance and support as a producer, releasing both commercial blockbusters like Agneepath, Dostana and Yeh Jawaani Hai Deewani, Shershaah (a national award winning film) & the recent blockbuster, Brahmastra - as well as critical successes like Wake Up Sid, Kapoor & Sons & Gehraiyaan. Marking his 25th anniversary year as a director, he released his directorial 'Rocky Aur Rani Kii Prem Kahaani' which within thirty days of its release became the highest grossing romantic-comedy Hindi film overseas. He also successfully built three branches of the Dharma empire - Dharmatic Entertainment, Dharma 2.0 and Dharma Cornerstone Agency.

The name Karan Johar is synonymous with prestige, elegance, versatility and success. He is amongst a prolific group of Indian filmmakers who have brought about a fresh and modern outlook to Indian commercial cinema and has contributed greatly to the transformation of Hindi cinema from his very first film.

**Neha Nagar**

Chief Executive Officer

Taxationhelp.in; Finance content creator

Neha Nagar stands out as one of India's foremost finance content creators, boasting a substantial following across multiple platforms: 1.5 million on Instagram, 85,000 on LinkedIn, 80,000 on Twitter, and 350,000 on YouTube.

Her influence extends beyond social media; Nagar graced the cover of Forbes in 2022. Additionally, she holds the esteemed title of Cultural Ambassador of India, appointed by the Ministry of Culture. She has lent her expertise as a speaker at notable events, including the Rajasthan Digifest, Entrepreneur India, and the I Cubewire Influencer Conclave, among others. Her speaking engagements also encompass prestigious platforms such as Tedx and Josh Talk, as well as various radio shows like Redeem and Radio City.

Recognition for her contributions to the finance industry includes being named Finance Influencer of the Year 2023 and receiving the Shesparks of Creators 2023 award from YourStory. Nagar has been featured in renowned publications such as Femina, Zee Business, CNBC, and Forbes.

Looking ahead, Neha is poised to expand her impact through upcoming endeavors, including books, courses, and masterclasses aimed at empowering others in the realm of finance.



Piruz Khambatta
Group Chairman
Rasna Private Limited

After completing his Degree in Biochemistry and Bachelor Degree in Law Mr. Khambatta has attended several Management courses at Wharton School, Philadelphia, IIM Calcutta etc. and recently he has been awarded Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) in Entrepreneurship by Newport University, USA.

Currently from the day of taking over as MD in 1997 he has ensured that Rasna becomes a Make in India brand and ensures that whatever we do follows the philosophy of an Indian brand that too with an idea of ensuring inclusive growth with the rural initiatives. Not only that by ensuring that establishment of 9 factories spread across the country Rasna group is giving huge employment directly and indirectly to thousands, which helps him make the common man's affordable drinks available in 1.8 million outlets with more than 90% market share in our category and presence in more than 53 countries. He is recipient of various awards for his company and at personal level including, Dadabhai Naorji Award, WZCC Outstanding Zarathushti Entrepreneur 2021, Mother Teresa Award for Corporate Citizen 2022. He is Founder Trustee and Chairman of the CSR arms of his Company Areez Khambatta Benevolent Trust and Rasna Foundation giving yeoman services in the field of Education and Health care of needy underprivileged poor people.

He also finds time to be associated with various Industry Organization such as Confederation of Indian Industries, All India Food Processors' Association. He is Hon. Consul General South Korea, Gujarat, Ambassador Make In India, Director in NIFTEM National Institute of Technology Entrepreneur Marketing etc. to name a few, Past Chairman – CII Western Region, He is Chairman - Atmanirbhar Bharat Benevolent Foundation, Chairman - CII National Committee on Special Abilities, Past Chairman – CII Gujarat Council, Past President – All India Food Processors Association, Member MICA-EDC Advisory Council member Advisory Council, IIT Gandhinagar, Member Advisory Council Vibrant Gujarat, Government of Gujarat, a bi-annual event being organized by Government of Gujarat to attract foreign investments in India and potential collaboration with foreign companies, Member Food Processing Education Council, Government of India, Chairman CII National, Chairman - CII Task Force on Affirmative Action, to name a few.

**Pradeep K. Khosla**

Eighth Chancellor
University of California San Diego

Pradeep K. Khosla assumed leadership as the eighth Chancellor of UC San Diego in 2012. Overseeing a campus of more than 43,000 students across eleven academic divisions and eight undergraduate colleges, Khosla has propelled UC San Diego to global recognition as a top research institution. Under his guidance, UC San Diego has achieved annual revenues of \$6.9 billion and garnered over \$1.64 billion in sponsored research funding.

Khosla's tenure has been marked by transformative initiatives, including UC San Diego's inaugural Strategic Plan and the groundbreaking \$2 billion Campaign for UC San Diego, which surpassed its target, raising \$3.05 billion. This historic achievement has facilitated substantial campus growth and innovation, expanding access to education, fostering interdisciplinary research, and enhancing community partnerships.

With a distinguished background in Robotics, AI, and Cybersecurity, Khosla previously served as Dean of Engineering at Carnegie Mellon University. He holds memberships in prestigious academic societies and has received numerous accolades for his contributions to academia and industry, including the Light of India Award and recognition as one of the 100 most influential academics by Apolitical.

Beyond his academic pursuits, Khosla is actively involved in corporate governance, serving as an Independent Director of Tata Consultancy Services and Chair of the Board of Internet2 LLC. He also engages in advisory roles for government organizations and universities, exemplifying his commitment to advancing education and innovation globally.

A recipient of honorary Doctor of Science degrees from SRM University and IIT Kharagpur, Khosla continues to make significant contributions as a Distinguished Professor at UC San Diego, further enriching the academic landscape in fields of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Computer Science, and Data Science.

**Rachana Ranade**

Founder, Rachana Ranade and Associates;
FinFluencer, Entrepreneur, Teacher

Rachana became a Chartered Accountant in the first attempt and chose teaching as a career at a very young age wherein she taught CA and MBA students for a period of 10 years. She started her YouTube journey in 2019 and today, she is one of India's leading Finance Influencers. She has achieved the milestone of more than 4.7 million subscribers on YouTube and more than 1.1M followers on Instagram in a span of 5 years. She has also listed 7 courses related to stock market and personal finance on her website with more than 236k enrolled learners. Her competence in explaining difficult concepts in an easy, simplified and fun-filled manner attracts professionals and beginners alike. She focuses on teaching the basics of stock market and helps an aspiring investor to become a pro- investor. On 1st May 2022, on the occasion of Maharashtra Day, she ventured on to her ambition of spreading financial literacy in her mother tongue, 'Marathi'. She has achieved the milestone of 939k subscribers on her Marathi channel within a span of 1.9 years. Inspired by the 'Har Ghar Tiranga' initiative on the occasion of 75 years of India's Independence, she has taken up the 'Har Ghar Investor' campaign with an objective of taking financial Literacy to every household of India.

Rachana is the winner of YouTube next-up 2019. She has appeared in the Top most position of an Official YouTube Blog titled "9 Women bosses who inspire us on YouTube" in 2020. She was chosen by YouTube for their "Creating For India" campaign in 2022. Rachana was invited as a speaker at the '1 Billion Followers Summit' - Dubai, held in Dec 2022. She received the 'Mata Sanman: Youth Icon for the year 2023' award from the Hon'ble Chief Minister and Deputy Chief Minister of Maharashtra. She was ranked #2 in the Favikon list of Top 200 LinkedIn creators in India in 2023 in the category "Financial Markets" She was awarded first place in CA Women Value Creator Award category in CA Women Excellence Award 2023 organized by WYMEC ICAI.

**Raj Chengappa**

Group Editorial Director (Publishing)
India Today Group

Raj Chengappa is a veteran journalist of over 40 years' standing. He is currently the Group Editorial Director (Publishing) of the India Today Group and Editor, India Today magazine. Prior to his current assignment, Raj was Editor-in-Chief of The Tribune Group of Newspapers. Raj has varied interests and is a specialist in political analysis, foreign affairs, security, nuclear weapons, the environment and development. He also does a weekly podcast and YouTube show for India Today called Nothing But The Truth. He chronicled India's nuclear weapons history in his best-selling book 'Weapons of Peace, The Secret Story of India's quest to be a Nuclear Power.' An award-winning journalist, Raj was a Nieman Fellow at Harvard University in 1991-92, a Stimson Centre Fellow on Security Affairs in Washington DC in 1995 and a Harry Brittain Fellow (partly at London and Oxford University) in 1985.

**Rekha Sethi**

Director General
All India Management Association (AIMA)

Rekha Sethi is the Director General of All India Management Association. Since she took charge in 2008, she has established AIMA as a preferred platform for discussions on management and has deepened AIMA's relationship with the Government of India and India Inc. Ms Sethi is also on the Boards of leading Indian companies as an Independent Director including CESC, Firstsource, Samvardhana Motherson International Ltd, SMP Germany, Spencer's Retail, Hero Steels Ltd and Kirloskar Brothers Limited. She has also served on the Boards of Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd and Sun Pharma Laboratories Ltd. She also represents AIMA on the Board of the Asian Association of Management Organizations. She has earlier worked for the Confederation of Indian Industry, UDI Yellow Pages and Center for Development of Telematics.

**Sanjay Kirloskar**

Past President, AIMA and
Chairman & Managing Director, Kirloskar Brothers Ltd

Sanjay C. Kirloskar is the Chairman and Managing Director of Kirloskar Brothers Ltd since 1998. Under his leadership, KBL became India's largest pump manufacturer and exporter. Along with 8 factories in India, KBL owns manufacturing facilities in Netherlands, South Africa, Thailand, United Kingdom, and the United States. The company's three design centres create products for global markets, making KBL a leader for sustainable factories, processes and products. The company has delivered Indian designed and manufactured products under the Kirloskar brand, resulting in creation of Brand India for engineering goods. Sanjay Kirloskar is the Chairman of the Advisory Council of Savitribai Phule Pune University and a member of the board of management of Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics. He has served on the Board of Trade, Government of India, and as Vice President of the Governing Council of the Central Manufacturing Institute. He is associated with Symbiosis and various other educational institutions. He is a director on DCM Shriram Industries Ltd. Kulkarni Power Tools, Kirloskar Brothers International BV, SPP Pumps Ltd. and the National Skill Development Corporation. Earlier he has served as President of All India Management Association, Chairman CII Western Region and Vice President of Maharashtra Chamber of Commerce Industry and Agriculture. Sanjay C. Kirloskar is a fourth-generation industrialist. He graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from the Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago USA in 1978.

**Shiv Siddhant Kaul**

Managing Director
Nicco Engineering Services Ltd

Shiv Siddhant Narayan Kaul is Managing Director, Nicco Engineering Services Ltd & Honorary Consul General, Republic of Korea, Kolkata. Nicco Engineering Services Ltd is one of India's leading providers of speciality maintenance engineering providers and received the 2020 CII award for India's top innovative service company. He currently serves as Chairman of Confederation of Indian Industry (Eastern Region) and as a member of the National Councils of FICCI and All India Management Association. Mr. Kaul has previously served as the President of the Indian Chamber of Commerce. He is currently enrolled in Harvard Business School's Owner President Management Program and has received his MsE in Operations Research & Financial Engineering from Princeton University and his BA (summa cum laude), with majors in Economics and Computer Science, College of Wooster. His academic research has been published in The Journal of Alternative Investments. Prior to starting his career in India, he was Vice President of fixed-income trading at the Bank of America in New York. Mr Kaul serves in volunteer roles as the President of the Princeton Club of India and as a member of Princeton University's Alumni Committee Executive Council. He is a Governing Board member of St. Xavier's School Kolkata Alumni Association and the Indian Institute of Cerebral Palsy.



Sumita Kareer

Anchor, Deputy Editor
ET Now

At the threshold of a decade-long professional journey, Sumita Kareer, so far, has anchored, reported on a wide gamut of shows on some of India's biggest networks including NDTV and the Times Group, besides founding member of digital-only properties for the Times group. An anchor and reporter, she is covering technology, start ups, policy and related sectors, at present for ET Now.

**Suneeta Reddy**

Senior Vice President
AIMA and Managing Director
Apollo Hospitals Group

Suneeta Reddy is the Managing Director of the Apollo Hospitals Group. A member of the founding family, she joined the enterprise in 1989. Since then, as the Finance Director of the company, she has spearheaded several fund-raising and investment decisions, which have played a key role in the Group's sustained growth and profitability. As Managing Director, she now steers Corporate Strategy, Acquisitions and Operations, while continuing to oversee Finance. She serves on the Board of several Apollo Hospitals' Group companies. She is a member of the South Asia Advisory Board, Harvard Business School. She is a Director on the Board of Chennai International Centre (CIC), a platform for free thought and expression on a diverse set of topics; a patron member of ICC (India International Chamber of Commerce) served as a Vice President for the year 2021-22; a member of the CII National Council and Healthcare Council and part of its Family Business Council. She is a member of the PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry. Ms. Suneeta Reddy is a member of the Governing Board of Sai University, a private university to promote, conceptualize and bring about a paradigm shift through development of outstanding leadership, research, knowledge and ideas for education. She is a member of CNBC International's Global Sustainability Forum, one of only two members from India. She also represents Apollo Hospitals as a founding member of the Global Parity Alliance of the World Economic Forum in India, working for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion. In 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 & 2022 Ms. Suneeta Reddy was featured among the top ten in Fortune India's list of Most Powerful Women, which recognises women in business who are making an impact by virtue of their business acumen and social and cultural influence. She is also the recipient of Business Today's Most Powerful Women in Indian Business Awards 2019 & 2022. She received the Businesswoman of the Year Award 2020 from the Economic Times. She is also the recipient of Best CEO award from Business Today in 2023. Ms. Suneeta Reddy received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Public Relations, Economics and Marketing from Stella Maris College in Chennai. She holds a Diploma in Financial Management from the Institute of Financial Management and Research, Chennai and has completed the Owner / President Management Program at Harvard Business School (HBS), Boston, USA.

**T V Narendran**

Vice President AIMA
CEO & Managing Director
Tata Steel Ltd

T V Narendran is the CEO & Managing Director of Tata Steel Limited. As the CEO & MD, he has overseen the organic and inorganic growth of Tata Steel over the last few years. He has over 35 years of experience in the Mining and Metals industry.

Narendran is currently on the Board of Tata Steel Limited and he is the Chairman of Tata Steel Europe. He is the Chairman of the Board of Governors of XLRI Jamshedpur and IIT Kharagpur. He is also a member of the Council of Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore. He is a member of the Executive Committee and the Board of the World Steel Association. He was the co-chair of the Mining & Metals Governors Council of the World Economic Forum from 2016 to 2018. He is a fellow of the Indian National Academy of Engineering. He served as the President of the Indian Institute of Metals from 2021 to 2022. He also served as the President of the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) from 2021 to 2022.

Narendran is a Mechanical Engineer from the National Institute of Technology (NIT) Trichy and did his MBA from the Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Calcutta. He is a recipient of Distinguished Alumnus Awards from both NIT Trichy and IIM Calcutta. He is a Chevening Scholar and has also attended the Advanced Management Programme at INSEAD, France.

**Vikram Chandra**

Founder
Editorji Technologies Ltd

Vikram is the founder of Editorji Technologies - a start-up that seeks to transform video news through innovation in user experience, using artificial intelligence. Editorji provides personalised video newscasts on mobile phones and can be downloaded at editorji.com/download. In his earlier avatar, Vikram was one of India's best-known TV news anchor, presenting shows like 'The Big Fight', 9 o'clock News and Gadget Guru together with programmes for social transformation such as the Cleanathon, Greenathon and 'Save our Tigers'. He has helped pioneer innovations such as news on mobile phones, the live streaming of video on the internet and the first major news app in India. Vikram has been named 'Global Leader for Tomorrow' by the World Economic Forum in Davos; and has won the Indian Television Academy Award for 'Best Anchor for a Talk Show', the Hero Honda Award for Best Anchorperson and the Teacher's Achievement Award for Communication, along with featuring in the top 20 on the Impact list of the Digital Power 100. He was educated at Oxford University and St Stephen's College, before attending the Mass Media Institute at Stanford University.

**Vineet Agarwal**

Managing Director
Transport Corporation of India Ltd

Vineet Agarwal is the Managing Director of Transport Corporation of India Ltd. (TCI), one of India's largest logistics companies. He graduated from Carnegie Mellon University and the Owner President Management program from Harvard Business School. Vineet is the Past President of ASSOCHAM, a leading chamber of Commerce in India. He is also the founding National President of Young Leaders Council at the All India Management Association. He served as an elected director on Young President Organization's (YPO) International board and on the boards of National Skills Development Corporation (NSDC), National Start up Advisory council and at many other institutions. He is involved in various social initiatives from education & skilling, climate action, sports and health through his family's foundation.

**Vishal Kampani**

Non-executive Vice Chairman
JM Financial Ltd.

Kampani joined the JM Financial Group in 1997 in Investment Banking and subsequently worked with Morgan Stanley Dean Witter & Co. in New York. Upon his return to India in the year 2000, Mr. Kampani joined JM Morgan Stanley (Joint Venture between JM Financial Group and Morgan Stanley) and headed Corporate Finance within the Investment Bank. Post 2008, Mr. Kampani played an instrumental role in identifying new growth opportunities and further diversifying the business of the JM Financial Group. He launched the distressed credit business through JM Financial Asset Reconstruction Company Limited and also led JM Financial Group's foray into corporate, promoter and real estate financing. In 2014, he played a pivotal role in forging a strategic partnership with a global fund led by Mr. Vikram Pandit (ex-CEO of Citigroup) for real estate financing through JM Financial Credit Solutions Limited. Mr. Kampani was appointed as Managing Director of JM Financial Limited in 2016 and was subsequently appointed as non-executive Vice Chairman in 2021. He also strategized JM Financial Group's foray into the housing finance business through JM Financial Home Loans Limited in 2017. Under his leadership, JM Financial Limited successfully raised equity funds in 2018 and 2020 from marquee domestic and global investors. In a career spanning almost two and a half decades, Mr. Kampani has played a defining role in ideating and consummating several landmark and transformational M&A, fund raising and restructuring transactions. In addition, he has strategized JM Financial Group's expansion across the spectrum of financial services. Mr. Kampani was awarded The Economic Times "40 under 40" in 2016.

**Vivek Gupta**

Co-Founder
Licious

Vivek Gupta is credited with bringing the left-brain elements to the table as CoFounder of India's most loved food brand - Licious. His leadership style is marked by an unwavering dedication to sustainable growth, all the while maintaining a sharp focus on providing outstanding value to customers. Prior to Licious, Vivek spent close to a decade at Helion Ventures, where he played a pivotal role closely collaborating with portfolio companies of the fund, gaining valuable insights into operational strategies. Another stint he had was as the Non-Executive Director with MobiCom America LLC, a B2B mobile & web commerce products and solutions provider for dedicated commene verticals. In 2019 Vivek was honoured as part of Fortune India's 40 Under 40, celebrating India's young and brightest entrepreneurs. Further underscoring his influence, he was included in The Economic Times' prestigious list of Most Promising Asian Business Leaders in the same year. In 2018, his disruptive entrepreneurial spirit earned him a spot on Business World's list of 40 Most Disruptive Entrepreneurs. That same year, he was featured in GQ's prestigious list of 50 Most Influential Indians. In 2013, Vivek was among the Top 100 Indian Future CFOs, showcasing his financial expertise. Beyond his entrepreneurial endeavours, Vivek Gupta is a passionate badminton player who relishes a good, competitive game every morning. His passion for the game has brought him accolades in prestigious corporate badminton tournaments as well. He has been the reigning champion at the Bertelsmann Badminton 2023 Championship for 3 years in a row.

**Yezdi Nagporewalla**

Chief Executive Officer
KPMG in India

Yezdi is an accomplished and visionary leader, serving as the Chief Executive Officer at KPMG in India. He has an illustrious career spanning close to 35 years out of which he has dedicated two and half decades to KPMG. Over the years, Yezdi has garnered expertise in diverse areas, including client relations, market expansion, strategy, business improvement, transformation, and governance and regulatory matters. At KPMG, Yezdi continues to provide visionary leadership, guiding the firm through dynamic market shifts and technological advancements. His strategic foresight, combined with a focus on talent development and diversity, has fostered a culture of innovation and excellence within the organization. He spends a great proportion of his time on ESG activities at KPMG and is an advocate of ESG for KPMG's clientele. Yezdi's influence extends beyond the executive suite in India, and he holds key leadership positions at the global level contributing significantly to the firm's growth and success. Currently, he is a member of KPMG India, KPMG Global and KPMG EMA Boards where his strategic insights and global perspective are appreciated. In addition to his internal leadership roles, Yezdi serves as a board member of the US-India Strategic Partnership Forum (USISPF), a prestigious organization fostering economic ties between the United States and India. His strategic vision and global business acumen make him a valuable contributor to this influential platform. Yezdi is actively engaged in fostering corporate governance standards. He is a member of the Corporate Governance Council of the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII), where he contributes to the development and promotion of sound corporate governance practices within the Indian business landscape. He also serves as a council member of All India Management Association (AIMA) which is a significant body playing a crucial role in shaping the policies, strategies, and activities at the country level for the advancement of management practices. Yezdi is a paragon of leadership in the Global Consulting landscape and is committed to client success, operational excellence, ethical business practices, and active participation in global and local platforms. His enduring legacy reflects a remarkable journey of continuous growth, adaptability, and achievement, both within and beyond the corporate boardroom.



Sponsor Profiles



Apollo Hospitals – Pioneering Healthcare for over 4 decades

Since its establishment in 1983 under the visionary leadership of Dr. Prathap Reddy, Apollo has embarked on a transformative odyssey in the realm of healthcare. Evolving into a colossal global healthcare entity, Apollo now proudly stands with 71 hospitals, a capacity exceeding 10,000 beds, a network of nearly 6000 pharmacies, upwards of 200 clinics and diagnostic centers, and an impressive array of 150 telemedicine hubs. Acclaimed for its unparalleled expertise in cardiac care, Apollo has successfully conducted over 300,000 angioplasties and 200,000 surgeries, setting remarkable standards in the medical domain.

Over the course of four decades, Apollo has remained steadfast in its dedication to integrated healthcare, placing paramount importance on patient-centric methodologies. The relentless pursuit of excellence is palpable within our world-renowned facilities, staffed by highly skilled medical professionals. With an unwavering focus on clinical and service excellence, we consistently introduce state-of-the-art technologies, ensuring that our patients receive nothing less than the utmost quality of care.

Our commitment extends beyond geographical boundaries, exemplified by initiatives like Apollo 24/7, which provides digital healthcare solutions such as medicine delivery, consultations, and diagnostics, accessible round the clock from any corner of the globe. With a workforce comprising 100,000 individuals, Apollo remains steadfast in its mission to enrich lives and foster a healthier global community.

Continuing to invest significantly in research, Apollo endeavors to incorporate the latest advancements in technology, equipment, and treatment methodologies to ensure that our patients receive world-class care. The 100,000-strong Apollo family is dedicated to delivering unparalleled care while leaving a positive impact on the world.

A cornerstone of Apollo's success lies in its multidisciplinary collaboration across its Centers of Excellence. Each Center of Excellence serves as a hub of knowledge and innovation, tirelessly striving to address complex medical challenges and deliver exemplary care to patients worldwide. The seamless integration of various specialties ensures that patients benefit from a comprehensive and holistic approach to treatment, whether it pertains to cardiac care, oncology, neurology, orthopedics, or any other medical discipline.

Furthermore, Apollo's unwavering commitment to research and ongoing education is unparalleled. The Centers of Excellence not only provide world-class care but also significantly contribute to medical research, propelling innovation and fostering breakthroughs with a global impact. This steadfast commitment to advancing medical knowledge has earned Apollo Hospitals international acclaim and positioned India as a premier destination for cutting-edge medical treatment.

Apollo's Centers of Excellence also underscore the transformative potential of technology in healthcare. Leveraging state-of-the-art medical equipment and innovative technologies, our hospitals enhance diagnostic accuracy, improve treatment outcomes, and minimize recovery times. By embracing digitization and telemedicine, Apollo ensures that patients, regardless of their geographical location, can access the expertise of renowned specialists, thereby revolutionizing the delivery of healthcare services.



FOSTIIMA Business School

Having known and experienced the value of quality education at IIM-A ,seven alumni came together and set up FOSTIIMA Business School in 2007 to provide IIM-A education to those who could not make it to IIM-A. FOSTIIMA is an acronym for “Friends of Seventy Three Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad.” This was an unwavering commitment on their part to repay to the society by raising the human capital of the nation.

FOSTIIMA records with pride that almost 2000 of its alumni are in important positions in the corporate world.

Over the years FOSTIIMA has developed into a movement where several IIM &IIT alumni have contributed to the learning and growth of budding managers. The knowledge and experience they acquired at these premium institutions are shared with the new generation of MBA aspirants. Today, more than 35 IIM Alumni are directly providing inputs at FOSTIIMA, at its campus in Delhi – in Management, Curriculum Design, Content Development and as Faculty.

FOSTIIMA has extended its reach to the deep interiors and EWS students to ensure that no aspiring student is deprived of management education because of finance. It helps the students in procuring Bank loans. FOSTIIMA also encourages single girl child to attain higher education. FOSTIIMA has an Entrepreneurial Development Cell which has encouraged students to start their own venture and become job creators.

In its journey towards excellence, FOSTIIMA Business School has always paid deep reverence to the founding faculty of IIM-A. FOSTIIMA will always revere this solemnity through MARGDARSHAK AWARDS instituted in their memory. These Awards honour the HR fraternity which has taken India Inc. to the world center stage.



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Kirloskar Brothers Limited

Kirloskar Brothers Limited (KBL) is a world-class pump manufacturing company with expertise in the engineering and manufacturing of fluid management systems. Established in 1888 and incorporated in 1920, KBL is the mother company of the Kirloskar Group. KBL manufactures industrial, agriculture and domestic pumps, valves and hydro-turbines.

Over the years, KBL has developed innovative products, which have enabled it to carve a niche globally. It is a global conglomerate and is equipped with the best technologies in the world. It is also India's largest centrifugal pump manufacturer with nine manufacturing facilities in India along with other international subsidiaries and operations in the Netherlands, South Africa, Thailand, the United Kingdom, and the United States of America. KBL has over 16,000 channel partners globally and is supported by best-in-class Pan-India network of authorised service and refurbishment centres.



Tata Steel

Tata Steel is among the top global steel companies with an annual crude steel capacity of 35 million tonnes. Established in Jamshedpur in 1907, the Company is today one of the world's most geographically diversified steel producers, with operations and commercial presence across the world. The group recorded a consolidated turnover of ~US\$30.3 billion in the financial year ending March 31, 2023.

A Great Place to Work-Certified™ organisation, Tata Steel Limited, together with its subsidiaries, associates, and joint ventures, is spread across five continents with an employee base of over 77,000.

In India, Tata Steel operates an end-to-end value chain that extends from mining to finished steel goods, catering to an array of market segments such as automotive, construction, general engineering etc. The Company's manufacturing facilities are in Jamshedpur and Gamharlia in Jharkhand, Kalinganagar (including NINL) and Meramandali in Odisha.

In Europe, Tata Steel is one of the largest steel producers with two operating steel manufacturing facilities – one based in the UK and the other in Mainland Europe (the Netherlands). Tata Steel (Thailand) Public Company Limited (TSTH) is the Company's South-East Asian operating unit.

Focussing on Innovation, Technology, Sustainability & People, Tata Steel strives to be the global steel industry benchmark for value creation and corporate citizenship. The Company has set a target of achieving Net Zero Carbon by 2045.

Tata Steel has received the World Economic Forum's (WEF) Global Lighthouse recognition for its Jamshedpur, Kalinganagar and IJmuiden Plants. The Company has also been recognised with the WEF's Global Diversity Equity & Inclusion Lighthouse 2023.



Triveni Turbines Limited

Over the last 50 years, Triveni Turbines has been offering Industrial steam turbines solutions globally. The range of steam turbines comprises of Backpressure and Condensing that are easily customized to suit the segment-specific and customer-specific needs. Our products are equipped with a choice of the impulse and reaction technology, these turbines can work across a wide range of pressure and flow applications.

Triveni Turbines is one of the largest manufacturers of industrial steam turbines of up to 100 MWe and has emerged as one of the market leaders in the sub-30 MWe range. With more than 1 billion operating hours of turbine fleet, it has installed over 6,000 steam turbines (generating more than 16 GW power generation capacities) in 20 plus industries.

We are present in over 80 countries around the world, and the steam turbines are manufactured at our world-class facilities located in Bengaluru, India. Our products are used in diverse industries for power generation and heating applications in segments like Sugar, Distillery, Cement, Steel, Pulp & Paper, Textiles and Palm Oil to Food Processing, Petroleum Refineries, Chemicals, Petrochemicals, Fertilizers, to Biomass and waste to Energy, among others.

Triveni Turbines with its global expertise and local manufacturing excellence has helped its customer by understanding their requirements in detail and offer its robust API 611 and API 612 steam turbines. Triveni's API compliant steam turbine products are also prequalified with globally reputed National Oil Companies, Original Equipment vendors and EPC/PMC companies.

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KPMG entities in India offer services to national and international clients in India across sectors. We strive to provide rapid, performance-based, industry-focussed and technology-enabled services, which reflect a shared knowledge of global and local industries and our experience of the Indian business environment.

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Dempo Group of Companies

The name Dempo is bound - up with Goan history for half a millennium. The Dempos were then renowned for agriculture, trading, imports and underwriting besides social responsibility.

Today, Dempo moves ahead, a confident, caring conglomerate, reaping the practice of business tempered with ethics in each of their existing lines of activity, while staying wedded to their coral values as they ventured into planned lines of industrial activity, new and emerging businesses. The group firmly believes in ethical and transparent Corporate Governance which is critical to the long-term success and ability to create value for the stakeholders.

The group is committed to creating a more sustainable enterprise. Beside business performance, the group also makes a significant investments in community engagements through the implementation of various meaningful philanthropic programmes. Corporate governance and ethical management have always been the guiding principles of carrying out the business at Dempo.



Transport Corporation of India Limited

Founded in 1958, Transport Corporation of India Limited (TCI) is a premier provider of integrated multi-modal logistics and supply chain solutions in India, with a global presence. Headquartered in Gurugram, Haryana, TCI operates a vast network of over 1,500 branches nationwide. The company manages 6 Ships, 3 AFTO Trains, 12,000 trucks and over 14 million square feet of warehousing space. Growing with the nation, it annually moves freight equivalent to 2.5% of India's GDP by value.

TCI was established by Mr. P. D. Agarwal and has grown into a respected industry leader over six decades, supported by a robust board of directors from diverse sectors. Holding prestigious certifications like ISO 9001:2008 and IATA, TCI maintains high standards in quality and safety. The company is committed to environmental sustainability and workplace safety, striving for zero accidents and promoting energy conservation. Listed on both the BSE (532349) and NSE (TCI), TCI has consistently been recognized for its financial robustness, upholding top-tier credit ratings from CRISIL and ICRA. Through TCI Foundation, the company has been engaged in nation building by contributing to causes of Women empowerment, Rural education, Youth upskilling, Community healthcare, Driver training and safety etc.

With a workforce of over 5,500, TCI continues to innovate and lead in logistics, skillfully adopting technology for enhancing customer and stakeholder engagement through exceptional service. With over six decades of operational excellence, TCI continues to lead in offering diverse domestic and international logistics & supply chain solutions, emphasizing sustainable and responsible business practices in every facet of its operations



Vodafone Idea Limited

Vodafone Idea Limited is an Aditya Birla Group and Vodafone Group partnership. It is amongst India's leading telecom service provider. The company provides pan India Voice and Data services across 2G, 3G and 4G platforms. Company holds large spectrum portfolio including mid band 5G spectrum in 17 circles and mmWave 5G spectrum in 16 circles. To support the growing demand for data and voice, the company is committed to deliver delightful customer experiences and contribute towards creating a truly 'Digital India' by enabling millions of citizens to connect and build a better tomorrow. The company is developing infrastructure to introduce newer and smarter technologies, making both retail and enterprise customers future ready with innovative offerings, conveniently accessible through an ecosystem of digital channels as well as extensive on-ground presence. The company's equity share are listed on National Stock Exchange (NSE) and the BSE in India. The company offers products and services to its customers in India under the TM Brand name "Vi". For more information, please visit: www.MyVi.in

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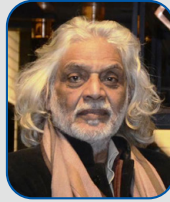
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- 05:45 pm Arrival of Award winners, Citation readers and AIMA Office Bearers at Vazir Hall
- 06:15 pm Arrival of Chief Guest – Shri Jagdeep Dhankhar, Hon'ble Vice President of India and Dr. (Smt.) Sudesh Dhankhar
- To meet with the Award winners, celebrities and AIMA office bearers
 - Group Photograph
- 06:25 pm Proceed towards Durbar Hall for the award ceremony
- 06:26 pm MC to announce for all present to stand up for the National Anthem
National Anthem
- 06:27 pm Welcome Address by Nikhil Sawhney, President, AIMA and Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Triveni Turbine Ltd
- 06:30 pm Introduction of the Managing India Awards by Suneeta Reddy, Senior Vice President, AIMA & Managing Director, Apollo Hospitals Enterprise Ltd
- 06:32 pm Awards Distribution
- Indian MNC of the Year – Asian Paints Ltd (to be received by Manish Choksi, Non-Executive Vice Chairman)
Citation to be read by Anil Somani, Chairman, FOSTIIMA Business School
 - Outstanding PSU of the Year – Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (to be received by C.B. Ananthkrishnan, Director (Finance) & CFO with Addl. Charge of Chairman and Managing Director)
Citation to be read by P Balaji, P Balaji, Group Head – Governance Risk Compliance and Corporate Affairs, Air India
 - Director of the Year – Karan Johar, Producer, Director, Talk Show Host and Entrepreneur
Citation to be read by Sanjay Kirloskar, Chairman & Managing Director, Kirloskar Brothers Ltd
 - Entrepreneur of the Year – Vivek Gupta & Abhay Hanjura, Co-Founders, Licious
Citation to be ready by Sonal Mansingh, Indian Classical Dancer



- Emerging Business Leader of the Year - Ashish Bharat Ram, Chairman & Managing Director, SRF Limited
Citation to be read by Shekhar Gupta, Founder & Editor-in-Chief, The Print
- Transformational Business Leader of the Year – Gopal Vittal, Managing Director & CEO, Bharti Airtel Limited
Citation to be read by Yezdi Nagporewalla, Chief Executive Officer, KPMG in India
- Outstanding Institution Builder – M B Parekh, Chairman, Pidilite Industries Ltd
Citation to be read by Shovana Narayan, Kathak Guru & IAAS (Retd)
- Lifetime Contribution to Media – N Ram, Director, THG Publishing Private Limited and Former Editor-in-Chief of The Hindu
Citation to be read by Rajiv Makhni, Technology Journalist and Founder, RM Media Ltd
- Business Leader of the Year – Sanjiv Puri, Chairman & Managing Director, ITC Limited
Citation to be read by Sonal Kalra, Chief Managing Editor (Lifestyle & Entertainment), Hindustan Times
- Lifetime Contribution Award – Onkar Kanwar, Chairman, Apollo Tyres Ltd
Citation to be read by Muzaffar Ali, Indian Film Maker, Fashion Designer, Artist, Poet,

06:42 pm Address by the Chief Guest – Shri Jagdeep Dhankhar, Hon’ble Vice President of India

07:14 pm MC to announce for all present to stand up for National Anthem
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07:15 pm Departure of the Hon’ble Vice-President of India

07:20 pm Stand-Up Comedy by Atul Khatri

Atul Khatri is a leading stand up comedian in India and a Mumbai based businessman. An Indian Computer Engineer and a British Management Scholar, he was rated among the top Indian comedians by CNN-IBN and has performed at various prestigious comedy festivals like Hong Kong International Comedy Festival, Utrecht International Comedy Festival in Netherlands, Dubai International Comedy Festival and Just For Laughs Comedy Festival in Australia. He was also the winner of the CEO's Got Talent Season 1 and numerous other awards. He has performed in over 1000 shows at venues all over India and the world and has acted in commercials, both digital and TV including in a trending music video for SONY Music.

07.50 pm Dinner



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