



Regional Convention - South

“Advancing Sustainable India: Driving Change with Forward Faster 2030”

15th December 2023, ITC Gardenia, Bengaluru

PROGRAMME AGENDA

TIME	SESSION
0830 Hrs. – 0915 Hrs.	REGISTRATION
0915 Hrs. – 0925 Hrs.	Video on UN GCNI & Forward Faster 2030 Bringing the floor to order & Introduction to the day’s programme
0930 Hrs. – 1030 Hrs.	INAUGURAL SESSION Welcome Address Prashant Tiwari , Vice President - Southern Region, UN GCNI, & Chief Sustainability Officer, Amara Raja Energy & Mobility Ltd Regional Convention Overview & Theme Address Dr. Ashwin Mahalingam , Head of School of Sustainability, IIT Madras Video address Shombi Sharp , UN Resident Coordinator in India Special Address Cynthia McCaffrey , UNICEF Representative in India Video address Punit Renjen , Deputy Supervisory Chairman of SAP SE Special Address Sivaramakrishnan Ganapathi , Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Gokaldas Exports Limited Keynote Address Sindhu Gangadharan , SVP & MD, SAP Labs India, Head, SAP User Enablement Inaugural Address Hari K Marar , Managing Director & CEO, Bangalore International



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	<p>Airport Limited (BIAL)</p> <p>Presidential Address Arun Kumar Singh, President, UN GCNI & Chairman & CEO, ONGC Group</p> <p>Vote of Thanks Ratnesh, Executive Director, UN Global Compact Network India</p>
1030 Hrs. – 1100 Hrs.	Tea Break
1100 Hrs. – 1200 Hrs.	<p>PLENARY SESSION I <i>Accelerating Change: Forward Faster 2030 for Climate Action</i> “Empowering Sustainability: Uniting for Climate Action”</p> <p>Moderator Thakur Pherwani, Chief Sustainability Officer, TVS Motors</p> <p>Panelists Abhishek Ranjan, Senior Director & Global Head – Administration, ESG, EHS, CSR and D&I at Brillio Technologies Pvt Ltd and Managing Trustee, Brillio Foundation Nirbhay Lumde, Director – ESG, CGI Asia Pacific Global Delivery Centers of Excellence Pawan Mulukutla, Executive Program Director - Integrated Transport, Clean Air And Hydrogen, WRI Sunila Sahasrabudhe, Head ESG, Corporate, Biocon Limited Venkat Garimella, Vice President- Sustainability, Schneider Electric, India Zone</p>
1200 Hrs. – 1300 Hrs.	<p>PLENARY SESSION II “Advancing Water Resilience for Forward Faster 2030” Launch of Water & WASH White Paper and Compendium Case Study Presentations & Remarks from Experts/Practitioners</p> <p>Presentation 1: 'Science Serving Society': Implementing Eco-Friendly HDC Technology at the Historic Bindusagar Lake (7th century AD) near Lingaraj Temple' Presenter: Siddharth Chaudhury, CSR Manager, Indian Oil Corporation Limited</p> <p>Presentation 2: 'Restoring Traditional Water Harvesting Systems in Rajasthan' Presenter: Manoj Agarwal, General Manager, Ambuja Cement</p> <p>Presentation 3: 'Achieving Sweet-Water Positive Power Generation via Rainwater Harvesting'</p>



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	<p>Presenter: Shankar Periketi, Deputy Manager (Chemistry/EMG), NTPC Ratnagiri</p> <p>Keziah Gerosano, Chief Executive Officer, Dholakia Foundation</p> <p>Rajul Mehrotra, Director- Growth & Strategy- Growth Markets, Accenture</p> <p>Ramakrishna Mukkawali, Managing Director, Maithri Aquatech</p> <p>Rishi Chawla, Vice President Corporate Affairs, Carlsberg Group & Member - Governing Council, UN GCNI</p> <p>Salauddin Saiphy, Director Water Management, SM Sehgal Foundation</p>
1300 Hrs. – 1415 Hrs.	Lunch Break
1415 Hrs.– 1515 Hrs.	<p>PLENARY SESSION III <i>Fostering Prosperity: Sustainable Finance and Investment for Forward Faster 2030</i> "Financial Resilience for a Sustainable Future: Unlocking Sustainable Finance and Investment"</p> <p>Moderator Ratnesh, Executive Director, UN Global Compact Network India</p> <p>Panelists Carol Furtado, Chief Business Officer, Ujjivan Small Finance Bank</p> <p>Dr. Lovneesh Chanana, Sr. Vice President & Regional Head of Government Affairs (Asia Pacific and Japan), SAP</p> <p>Khyati Shah, EVP, Corporate Marketing & Social Governance, Kinara Capital</p> <p>Richa Natarajan, Partner, UC Impower</p>
1515 Hrs. – 1530 Hrs.	Tea Break
1530 Hrs. – 1615 Hrs.	<p>PLENARY SESSION IV <i>Economic Empowerment: Paving the Way for Living Wages for Forward Faster 2030</i> "Empowering Living Wages for building a Path to Sustainable Livelihoods"</p> <p>Moderator Sunita Sule, Vice President-Western Region, UN GCNI & Director, Country Development and Government Relations, BASF India Limited</p>



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	<p>Panelists</p> <p>Dr. Rahul Suresh Sapkal, Assistant Professor, Ashank Desai Centre for Policy Studies, IIT Bombay</p> <p>Gopaldass M, Sr. Sustainability Specialist, Quality & Sustainability Compliance Team, Supply Area – South Asia, IKEA Services India Pvt Ltd</p> <p>Ranjit Prakash, National Coordinator, Setting Adequate Wages (SAW) Project, International Labour Organization (ILO) Decent Work Team for South Asia and Country Office, India</p>
1615 Hrs. – 1645 Hrs.	<p>VALEDICTORY SESSION</p> <p>Special Address</p> <p>Prof. Rajeev Gowda, Vice Chairperson, Karnataka Policy & Planning Commission, Former Member of Parliament, Rajya Sabha, Former Professor at IIM Bangalore and Former Director on Central Board of RBI</p> <p>Key Takeaways & Way Forward</p> <p>Indumathi M. Nambi, Professor & Researcher, IIT Madras</p> <p>Valedictory Address</p> <p>Sanil C. Namboodiripad, Managing Director, ONGC Tripura Power Company</p> <p>Closing Remarks</p> <p>Sridhar L, Head - Sustainability, Bangalore International Airport Limited (BIAL) & Member - Governing Council, UN GCNI</p> <p>Vote of Thanks</p> <p>Ganesh Reddy, Joint Secretary, UN GCNI and Founder, Citizens Foundation</p>