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What is SDG Shocks?

Systemic disruptions—environmental degradation, geopolitical uncertainty, public health crises, evolving regulations, and supply chain vulnerabilities—significantly influencing progress toward UN Sustainable Development Goals.

ESG integration has emerged as a critical framework for ensuring long-term resilience, responsible governance, and sustainable economic growth.

Our Goal



Accelerate ESG Adoption

Strengthen leadership engagement and collaborative action aligned with SDG resilience.



Knowledge Exchange

Facilitate meaningful discussions on ESG implementation and SDG-aligned development.



Build Partnerships

Strengthen collaborations that accelerate sustainable transformation across industries.

Key Objectives

01

SDG Shocks & ESG Risks

Enhance understanding of emerging ESG risk landscapes.

02

Compliance Readiness

Strengthen readiness for evolving national and global ESG frameworks.

03

Industry Strategies

Promote ESG implementation tailored to diverse sectors.

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Innovation Showcase

Feature enabling technologies and financing mechanisms.

05

Collaborative Action

Foster academia–industry–government partnerships.

Summit Agenda

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09:00 AM – 03:00 PM

SDG Project Expo — Showcase of student-led innovations addressing SDG challenges.

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09:30 AM – 10:30 AM

Inauguration Ceremony — Distinguished dignitaries and industry leaders set the summit tone.

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11:00 AM – 01:00 PM

Parallel Panels — SDG Game 2030 | Green Finance & Climate Investments | Leadership for Sustainable Future.

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02:00 PM – 03:00 PM

Round Table Discussion — Practical Pathways for ESG implementation and Policy Alignment.

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03:00 PM – 04:00 PM

Classroom Sessions — ESG Compliance & PRME integration in education.

Why to Attend?



Regulatory Alignment

Understand evolving ESG mandates including India's BRSR Core, and global disclosure standards.



Resilient Supply Chains

Learn to build ESG-resilient networks minimizing operational and reputational risks across your value chain.



Stakeholder Trust

Discover how ESG transparency boosts investor confidence, consumer loyalty, and organizational trust.



Technology Integration

Explore digital tools for ESG compliance, risk mitigation, and real-time enterprise monitoring.



Futureproof Models

Engage with case studies enabling long-term sustainability and profitability beyond compliance.



High-Value Networking

Connect with India's top ESG champions—board directors, fund managers, regulators, and innovators.

Who Should Attend?

Business Leaders

CEOs, COOs, CFOs, CSOs driving organizational ESG strategy.

Supply Chain Heads

Procurement and operations leaders managing value chain ESG integration.

ESG & Compliance

Risk, audit, and compliance officers ensuring regulatory alignment.

Regulators & Policymakers

SEBI, MCA, MoEFCC representatives shaping ESG frameworks.

Investors & Fund Managers

ESG-focused investors and fund managers driving capital allocation.

Academia & Think Tanks

Researchers, educators, civil society organizations and learners advancing ESG knowledge.

Key Sessions

Green Finance, Just Transition & Climate Investments

📍 VRR Hall, Sri Sairam Engineering College

Explore sustainable finance pathways, climate investments, and financial mechanisms supporting low-carbon economy transitions. Experts discuss mobilizing capital, supporting MSMEs, and enabling equitable climate action.

Leadership for a Sustainable Future

📍 SRR Hall, Sri Sairam Engineering College

Focus on leadership, governance, ethics, and collaboration in advancing ESG adoption. Emphasize responsible leadership, youth engagement, and academia-industry partnerships driving innovation.

Classroom Sessions

📍 VRR Hall, Sri Sairam Engineering College

ESG and Regulatory Compliance

Transforming Corporate Governance and Operational Systems

Industry leaders explore how ESG frameworks reshape corporate decision-making, regulatory compliance, and operational practices for sustainable value creation.

Principles of Responsible Management Education

Embedding Sustainability Principles For a Resilient Academic and Business Ecosystem

Discuss integrating responsible management principles, ethics, and climate consciousness into curricula, research, and institutional practices through PRME initiative.



REGISTRATION

Registration & Contact

Secure Your Seat

Limited seats available on first-come basis. Complete registration to secure your place at this landmark Chennai event.

Group Registrations

Available for teams and organizations. Contact for partnership enquiries and customized packages.

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Partnership Opportunities

Strategic partnership packages— from presenting sponsors to exhibitor packages— maximizing visibility among India's top ESG decision-makers, regulators, and institutional investors.

"This summit is a landmark opportunity for India's business community to move beyond compliance and genuinely embed sustainability into the DNA of how we do business - accelerating action toward resilience in an era of SDG shocks."