



Maharashtra Industry Dialogue 2025



25 June 2025 | Jio World Convention Centre, Mumbai

Event Programme

09:00 a.m. to 09:45 a.m.	Registrations and Breakfast			
09:45 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Main Hall</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sectoral discussion Anchoring India's silicon future in Maharashtra – a discussion on semiconductor sector in Maharashtra</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Ashok Mishra, Independent Technology Advisor, Icubalabs</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speaker Mr. Rajendra Chodankar, RRP Group of Companies Mr. Umesh Gayakwad, Irvan Technologies Mr. Ashish Bhattad, NXP Semiconductors Mr. Jitendra Chaddah, Global Foundaries</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Industrial Development Shaping a new industrial growth story – a discussion on regional industrial development of Marathwada.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Mukund Kulkarni, Director, Nishnat Solutions India Pvt. Ltd</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Mr. Bharat Gite, Taural India Mr. Kiran Jagtap, MASSIA Mr. Yogesh Mandhani, Varad Ferro Alloys Mr. Atharveshraj Nandawat, CMIA Mr. Sunil Raithatha, Vinodrai Engineering Pvt. Ltd.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ecosystem discussion Empowering the catalysts of growth – a discussion on the MSME ecosystem in Maharashtra</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Rishi Bagla, Chairman, BG Electricals and Electronics India Ltd.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Mr. Sunil Bohra, Uno Minda Dr. K Nandakumar, Chemtrols Industries Ms. Dhanashree Mandani, Salam Kisaan Mr. Chandrakant Salunkhe, SME Chamber of India, MIDA Mr. Santosh Patil, Patil Automation Ltd.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ecosystem discussion The next decade of Digital Maharashtra – a discussion on the datacenter ecosystem in Maharashtra</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Shubhojeet Chakravarty, Partner, PwC</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Mr. Sharad Agarwal, SiFY Technologies Limited Mr. Manoj Paul, Equinix Mr. Pratap Mane, Colt Datacentre Services Mr. Vipin Jain, Operations President, CTRLS Datacenters Ltd</p>
10:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Main Hall</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Industrial Development Role of Infrastructure in Industry Promotion</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Alpesh Kankariya, Partner PwC</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Mr. Bhushan Gagrani, MC, BMC Ms. Ashwini Bhide, MD, MMRCL Mr. Vijay Singhal, MD, CIDCO Mr. Shri P. Velrasu, CEO, MIDC Mr. Radhakrishnan B, MD, MAHAGENCO Mr. Shirish Sankhe, Mckinsey</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Industrial Development The engine of growth – a discussion on regional industrial development of Vidarbha.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Moderator - Mr. Rahul Dixit, Director, Dicksons Engineering Company Pvt Ltd Mr. Anil Kumar Singh, JSW Mr. Amitabh Sinha, Metlok Mr. Vishal Agarwal, VIA Dr. Amit Paithankar, Waree Energies Dr. Sandeep Shirkhedkar, Vardhaan Lithium</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ecosystem discussion Maharashtra's GCC crossroads – Legacy Hub or Future powerhouse</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Moderator - Mr. Rajesh Nambiar, President, Nasscom Ms. Surekha Shenoy, Russell Investment Ms. Monika Potharkar, General Mills Mr. Nilesh Biniwale, Pattern India</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sectoral discussion Maharashtra's textiles Renaissance – a discussion on textiles sector</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Moderator - Mr. Arindam Saha, Director, PwC Mr. Kapil Pathare, VIP Mr. Ganesh Kasekar, GOTS Mr. Charan Singh, Pal Fashion Mr. Ajay Arora, D'Decor</p>
11:45 a.m. to 12:15p.m.	Break			
12:15 p.m. to 01:15 p.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Main Hall</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Inaugural Plenary - Simplifying Growth for Prosperous Maharashtra- Discussion on Policy, Productivity and Prosperity.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Mohammad Athar Saif, Practice Leader, PwC</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Dr. P Anbalagan, Secretary, Industries Department Mr. Rajesh Nambiar, NASSCOM Mr. Raja Ram Pai, JSW Dr. Niranjan Hiranandani, Hiranandani Mr. Ashishkumar Chauhan, NSE Ms. Abanti Sankaranarayanan, Mahindra Ms. Arundhati Bhattacharya, Salesforce</p>			



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01:15 p.m. to 2:05 p.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Main Hall</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Inaugural Plenary</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Lighting of Lamp, National Anthem and Maharashtra Geet, Felicitation of Dignitaries by CEO MIDC, Shri P Velrasu Introductory remarks by Secretary Industries, Shri P Anbalagan Speech by Hon. Minister (Industries), Shri Uday Samant Speech by Hon. Dy. Chief Minister, Shri. Eknath Shinde Speech by Hon. Chief Minister, Shri Devendra Fadnavis Address by Hon. Governor, Shri. C.P. Radhakrishnan Vote of Thanks by CEO MIDC, Shri P Velrasu National Anthem</p>			
02:00p.m. to 03:00p.m.	Lunch			
03:00p.m. to 04:00p.m.	<p style="text-align: center;">Main Hall</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sectoral discussion Molecule to markets: Maharashtra's Pharma and Biotech edge – a discussion on pharma sector in Maharashtra</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Nitin Soundale, Partner, PwC</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mr. Satish Wagh, Supriya Lifesciences Mr. Dhananjay Singh, Merck Ms. Aditi Panandikar, Indoco Mr. Hitesh Maheshwari, IPCA Mr. Rahul Awasthi, Sun Pharma Ms. Archana Jatkar, Indian Pharmaceutical Association</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Industrial Development Cradle of tomorrow's industry – a discussion on the regional industrial development of Western Maharashtra</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Kush Agarwal, YelloSKYE</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mr. Shitalkumar Doshi, Sparkline Equipments Mr. Deepak Garg, Sany Dr. Rajesh Gharpure, Persistent Systems Mr. Sachin Shirgaokar, S B Reshellers Pvt. Ltd. Mr. Ravi Dollu, Mayura Steels Mr. Nitin Mane, Hindustan Feeds</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sectoral discussion Driving the value chain from Soil to Shelf – a discussion on food processing sector in Maharashtra</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Mandeep Ahuja, Director, PwC</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mr. Girish Chitale, Chitale Foods Mr. Hemant Gaur, SVAP Mr. Narinder Kocchar, KFPT India Mr. Anant Chordia, Suhana Pravin Masalewale, SV Agri Mr. Mukesh Mehta, Jubilant FoodWorks Limited Mr. Hemant Rathi, Empire Spices and Food Ltd.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sectoral discussion Engineering for frontlines – a discussion on Defense and aerospace sector in Maharashtra</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Captain Vishal Kanwar, MD, PwC</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mr. Arun Ramchandani, L&T Mr. Balakrishnan Swamy, Nibe Ltd Mr. Amit Mahajan, Paras Defence Mr. Surendra Vaidya, Godrej aerospace Retd. Rear Admiral Ashish Kulkarni, Artson Engineering</p>



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<p>04:00p.m. to 05:00p.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Main Hall</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sectoral discussion Auto 4.0: Maharashtra's role in mobility leadership – a discussion on the auto and EV sector in Maharashtra</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Kavan Mukhtyar, Partner, PwC</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Mr. Puneet Anand, Hyundai Mr. Vyankatesh Kulkarni, Mercedes Mr. Rubin Pather, Jio BP Mr. Pankaj Garg, Ather Energy Sandip Chaudhari, Greaves Cotton</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Industrial Development Pioneering the coastal & sustainable industrialization – a discussion on regional industrial development of Konkan.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Ninad Karpe, Partner, 100X VC</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Mr. Shashibhushan Upadhyay, JSL Mr. Anand Kadam, Pitambari Mr. Siddharth Mayur, H2E Ms. Mugdha Karambelkar, Yojak Foods Mr. Abhijit Talekar, COO, Gadre Fisheries</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">5th Annual CG Conclave Australia, Chile, Finland, Germany, Iceland, Indonesia, Ireland, Japan, Malaysia, Mexico, Singapore, South Korea, Switzerland, USA, Vietnam, Turkey, Argentina, Sweden, Brazil, South Africa, United Kingdom</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lotus 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Industrial Development Building tomorrow's Industrial landscape – a discussion on regional industrial development of Uttar Maharashtra.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Sandeep Karkhanis, Executive Director, AMT Skills Centre</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Mr. Vilas Shinde, Sahyadri Farms Mr. Sudhir Mutalik, Positive Metering Mr. Narendra Golia, Rishabh Instrument Mr. Vivek Gogate, NIMA, Gogate Electro systems</p>
<p>05:00p.m. to 05:15p.m.</p>	<p>Hi - Tea</p>			
<p>05:15p.m. to 06:15p.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Main Hall</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Closing plenary - Global Value Chain & Maharashtra – Seizing the geopolitical moment</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Moderator - Mr. Shardul Fadnavis, Partner, PwC</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Speakers Shri. Praveen Pardeshi, Chief Economic Advisor to Hon. Chief Minister Dr. Sanjay Mukherjee, MC, MMRDA Shri. P. Velrasu, CEO, MIDC Dr. Ajit Ranade, Eminent Economist Mr. B. Thiagarajan, MD, Blue Star Limited Mr. Piyush Doshi, Operating Partner, Convergence Foundation</p>			