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List of Confirmed

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Names listed by alphabetical order

Names of the country where the principal HQ of the company is located

Ankit Anand, VP - Software and India Business, Switzerland
Anand Anandkumar, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Bugworks, India
B.J. Arun, Chairman, The Indus Entrepreneurs (TiE) Global Board, USA
Sauvik Banerjee, Chief Technology Officer, Tata Digital, India
Umang Bedi, Co-Founder Dailyhunt, India
Ilan Ben-David, Co-Founder & Chief Technology Officer, Zooz Power, Israel
Zaran Bhagwagar, Investment Director, Anthill Ventures, Singapore
Shereen Bhan, Managing Editor CNBC-Tv18 India
Tanea Bhardwaj, Director & Head of Consumer Business, Nium, Singapore
Jonas Brunschwig, Chief Executive Officer, Swissnex in India & Consul General of Switzerland
Achim Burkart, Consul General of Germany, Germany
Satyanarayanan Chakravarthy, Founder, ePlane, India
Arun Chandru, Co-Founder & Director, Pandorum Technologies, India
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Peter Y. Choe, Chief Executive Officer Contents Holdings, Republic of Korea
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Shaili Chopra, Founder, Gytree & SheThePeople, India
Neeraj Kumar Dasila, Co-Founder & Chief Technology Officer, SmartHelio, Switzerland
Neils Delore, APAC Head, Flyability, Switzerland
Gururaj "Desh" Deshpande, Co-Founder Sycamore Networks, Founder the Deshpande Center for Technological Innovation, MIT, Founder Deshpande Foundation, USA (live online)
Oded Distel, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Tal-Ya, Israel
Menaka Doshi, Managing Editor, BloombergQuint
Raj Gandhi, Co-founder, DollarBull, India
Akshima Ghate, Managing Director, RMI- India, India
Anandhi Gokhale, Investment Manager, Emerald Technology Ventures, Singapore

Jagadeesh Gopalan, Senior Professor Aerospace Engineering, Chairman, Center of Excellence in Hypersonics, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, Co-Founder Ykrita Life Sciences, India

Manoj Gopalkrishnan, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Algorithmic Biologics, India

Ramkumar Govindarajan, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Wizfreight, India

Jitendra Gupta, Founder & Chief Executive Officer Jupiter Money, India

Sanjeev Gupta, Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer, Lahari, Chief Executive Officer, Karnataka Digital Economy Mission (KDEM), India

Vaibhav Gupta, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Udaan, India

Anandi Iyer, Director, Fraunhofer Office India, Germany/India

Henning Heppner, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, ELO Mobility, Germany

Hwang Kyu-jong, Founder & President, waiker.It, Republic of Korea

Derick Jose, Co-Founder & Chief Data Scientist, Flutura Decision Sciences and Analytics, India/USA

Amit Kalra, Managing Director, Head Global Business Services, Swiss Re, Switzerland/India

Akshaya Kamath, Member of the Board & Chairman India, Innoterra, Switzerland/India

Sumit Keshan, Managing Partner, Wipro Consumer Care Ventures, India

Nikhil Khattau, Managing Director, Mayfield India, India/USA

Katy Knight, Associate, Corporate Practice, Covington & Burling, USA

Thomas Krapf, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Riskwolf, Switzerland

Nakul Kukar, Co-founder and CEO, Cell Propulsion, India

Alexandre Lazarow, Partner Cathay Innovation, Adjunct professor, Middlebury Institute of International Studies at Monterey, USA (live online)

Kanika Mayor, Partner Vertex Ventures, Singapore/India

Jonathan Medved, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, OurCrowd, Israel (live online)

Hari Menon, Chief Executive Officer, BigBasket, India

Nao Murakami, Founder & General Partner, Incubate Fund, Japan/India

N.R. Narayana Murthy, Founder of Infosys Limited, Founder & Chairman, Catamaran Venture, India

Satoshi Nagata, Executive Director India, Japan/India

B.V. Naidu, Chairman, Karnataka Digital Economy Mission (KDEM), India

Alexander Nitsch, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Oxyprem, Switzerland

Madan Padaki, President, TiE Bangalore, India

Mohandas Pai, Co-Founder & Partner Aarin Capital, India

Pranav Pai, Founding Partner, 3one4 capital, India

Pratik Pal, Chief Executive Officer, Tata Digital India

Liya Palagashvili, Senior Research Fellow, Mercatus Center, George Mason University, USA (live online)

Anirudh Pandita, Founder, Pocket Aces, Founder, Loco, India

Alex "Sandy" Pentland, Media Lab Entrepreneurship Program Director, MIT Media Lab, USA (live online)

Prashanth Prakash, Co-Founder & Partner, Accel, India

Nithya Rao, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Heart it Out, India

GNV Subba Rao, Global Head of Quality & Operation Centers, Process Automation Director, ABB Innovation Center, Switzerland/India

Aneesh Reddy, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Capillary Technologies, India

Yuval Regev, Vice-President, MyOr, Israel

Juliane Renz, Director Business Development, Elo Mobility GmbH, Germany

Paul Saffo, Technology Forecaster, Professor in the School of Engineering, Stanford University on the future of engineering and the impact of technological change on the future, USA ([live online](#))

Ankit Sarwahi, Managing Director, Middle East Investment Partners, United Arab Emirates

Nitin Sharma, Co-Founder & General Partner Antler India, India

Sharad Sharma, Co-Founder, Indian Software Product Industry RoundTable (Isprit), India

Hemanth Sheelvant, Head, Corporate Innovation with Startups Bosch GMBH, Germany/India

Shreyas Shibulal, Founder & Director, Micelio - Micelio - Electric Vehicles, India

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Prashant Tandon, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Tata 1MG, India

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Ganapathy Venugopal (VG) Co-founder & Chief Executive Officer, Axilor Ventures, India

Ralph Voltmer, Partner, Head of India Practice, Covington & Burling, USA

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