

***The 2nd meeting of
India Global Innovation Connect
Bengaluru, The Conrad Hotel, 1st -2nd June 2023
Striving for Leadership and Sustainability***

List of Confirmed Speakers

As of 2 June 2023

Names listed by alphabetical order

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

Gaurav Agarwal, Co-Founder, Tata 1MG, India
Gaurav Agarwal, Co-Founder, Gamezop, India
Sandeep Alur, Director, Microsoft Technology Centre, India/USA
Rajiv Anand, Deputy Managing Director, Axis Bank, India
Siddhartha Anand, Vice President start up and innovation, Karnataka Digital Economy Mission, India
Maria Anselmi, Head of Start-ups and Next-Generation Innovators Division, Innosuisse, Switzerland
Ravi Arora, Vice President, Group Innovation, Tata Sons, India
Kumaar Bagrodia, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, NeuroLeap, India
Pulkit Baldev, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Metalbook, India
Tammy Ben-Haim, Consul General of Israel to South India, Israel
Ravi Bhola, Managing Partner, K&S Partners, India
Jonas Brunschwig, Chief Executive Officer, Swissnex in India & Consul General of Switzerland
Satya Chakravarthy, Co-Founder, The ePlane Company, India
Saraswati Chandra, Co-Founder, Cranberry.fit, India
Amitabh Chaudhry, Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer, Axis Bank Ltd, India
Woosuk Kenneth Choi, International Editor Future Planning Department, Chosun Ilbo Group, Republic of Korea
Vishal Chopra, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, WeRize, India
Brijesh Damodaran Nair, Founding Partner, Auxano, India
Naganand Doraswamy, Founder & Managing Partner, Ideaspring Capital, India
Viswanadham Duppatla, Vice President, Bio-Pharma Innovation & Head, Life Science Incubator, India

Srinivasan Dwarakanath (Dwaraka), Strategic Advisor in Aviation and Aerospace, Adjunct Faculty Indian Institute of Science, India
David Glazer, Chief Executive Officer, 3R-T, Israel
Prashant Gokhale, Managing Director, Bühler India, Switzerland
Ashish Gupta, Chief Investment Officer, Axis Mutual Fund, India
Pankaj Gupta, Founder, EthAum Venture Partners, Singapore
Vivek Gupta, President, Head Wholesale Banking Products, Axis Bank, India
Renju Harikumar, Director Global Innovation Protection, Accenture, India/USA
Anandi Iyer, Director Fraunhofer Office India, Germany
Mitesh Jain, Co-Founder & Chief Technology Officer, Symbo, Singapore
Shivi Jain, Senior Program Manager, German Entrepreneurship, Germany
Aishwarya Jaishankar, Co-Founder, Hyperface Technologies, India
Sujit John, Deputy Resident Editor, The Times of India, India
Derick Jose, Co-Founder, Flutura Decision Sciences and Analytics, India
Jose Jacob Kalayil, Director & Curator, The India Advantage Summit & Future ICT Forum, India
Pascal Kaufmann, Founder & Group Chief Executive Officer, Mindfire, Switzerland
Michael Jan Kendzia, School of Management and Law, Department International Business, University of Zurich, Switzerland
Manuj Khurana, Vice President, Ather Energy, India
Katy Knight, Associate, Covington & Burling LLP, United Kingdom
Nilesh Kothari, Co-Founder & Managing Partner, Trifecta Capital Partners, India
Vishal Krishna, Founder, Editor and Head of Content & Media, UpStream Life, India
Rishikesh T. Krishnan, Director, Indian Institute of Management Bangalore (IIMB), Ram Charan Chair Professor in Innovation and Leadership, India
Sanjay Krishnan, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Lithium Urban Technologies, India
Nakul Kukar, Chief Executive Officer, Cell Propulsion, India
Sumit Kumar, Chief Business Officer, TeamLease Education Foundation, India
Nikhil Kurele, Co-Founder, Noccarc Robotics, India
Francisque Lebrunie, Venture Partner India, Super Capital, France
Yossi Levi, Chief Executive Officer, Todos Tech, Israel
Geraldine Lüdi, Founder, Josei Health, Switzerland
Leela Maitreyi, Director, Collaborations and Business Development, Bugworks Research, India
Geetha Manjunath, Founder, Chief Executive Officer & Chief Technology Officer, Niramai Health Analytix, India
Mahima Marin (Retd), General Manager Administration and finance, Karnataka Digital Economy Mission (KDEM), India
Ben Mathias, Managing Partner, Vertex Ventures SEA & India, Singapore
Nidhi Mathur, Venture partner, Axilor Ventures, India
Ankit Mehta, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, ideaForge Technology, India

Yaacov Michlin, CEO Biolight Life Sciences Ltd. Israel Advanced Technologies Industries (IATI) Co-Chair, Israel

Raja Mukherjee, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, The GAIN, India

Florin Müller, Head of Swiss Business Hub India, Switzerland

Noa Muzzafi, Founding Partner & Israel Director, Asia Bridge, Israel

B V Naidu, Chairman, Karnataka Digital Economy Mission, India

Manu Nair, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Synthara, Switzerland

Peter Nguyen, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, BuyMed, Vietnam

Yasuhiro Nose, Co-Founder, I'mbesideyou Inc, Japan

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Mohandas Pai, Chairman, Aarin Capital, India

Pranav Pai, Founding Partner & Chief Investment Officer, 3one4 capital, India

Pratik Pal, Chief Executive Officer, Tata Digital, India

Abhishant Pant, Founder, The Fintech Meetup, India

Salil Pitale, Joint Managing Director & Co-Chief Executive Officer, Axis Capital, India

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

Rajashree R, Chief Marketing Officer, Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) India

Raghuveer B K, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Nivetti Systems, India

Madanmohan Rao, Research Director, YourStory Media, India

Sanjana Rao, Co-Founder & Scientific Communications lead, Miyara, Switzerland

Shruthi Rao, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Adapt ready, USA

Sudhir Rao, India Managing Partner, Celesta Capital, USA

Gadhadar Reddy, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Nopo Nanotechnologies, India

E V Ramana Reddy, Additional Chief Secretary Department of Electronics, IT & BT, Science & Technology, Gvt of Karnataka, India

Miriam Reiner, Professor Israel Institute of Technology (Technion), Founder & Chief Executive Officer, VRNeurocogLab, Technion, Israel

Rohit M A, Co-Founder & Managing Director of Cloudnine Hospitals, Managing partner at PeerCapital, India

Paul Saffo, Technology Forecaster, Professor in the School of Engineering, Stanford University, USA

Ishan Sahgal, Chief Executive Officer, Anavia AG, Switzerland

Amitabh Saran, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Altigreen Propulsion Labs, India

Prasanta Sarkar, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Newtrace, India

Guruprakash Sastry, Associate Vice President, Climate Action Head, Infosys, India

Manish Saxena, Fund Manager, PineBridge Investments, USA/India

Eli Schwartz, Research Scientist, IBM Research AI, Israel

Aruna Schwarz, Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Stelae Technologies India/United Kingdom

Chinnu Senthilkumar, Managing Partner, Exfinity Venture Partners LLP, India

Sanjith Shetty, Founder, Miror, India

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

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Kunal Shrivastava, Co-Founder, SUIND, Switzerland
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Akshay V. Singhal, Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Log9 Materials, India
Claude Smadja, Chairman, Smadja & Smadja Strategic Advisory, Switzerland
Patricia Sosrodjojo, Partner, Seedstars, Switzerland
Vivek Srivatsa, Head of EV Sales and Marketing Strategy, Tata Motors, India
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