



ObserveNow Media Group Digital Bharat Summit, New Delhi

ObserveNow Media has successfully executed 'Digital Bharat Summit' on 28th July 2023 in New Delhi. The Summit has focused on the digital transformation and growth of India's economy is experiencing with the exponential rise of technology. This full day Summit aims to bring together government officials, industry leaders, technology experts, and stakeholders to discuss and explore various aspects of digital transformation in India.

Key Discussion Points

- ❖ Decoding Vision for Digital India
- ❖ Building Digital India through Technology Modernization
- ❖ State Success Stories on Good Digital Governance New Age Regulations,
- ❖ Frameworks and Standards for Cybersecurity in India
- ❖ Creating a Sustainable Energy Ecosystem: The Way Forward for India
- ❖ Digitally Resilient Indian Smart Cities of Tomorrow

Key Metrics:

- ❖ **Speakers:** 40+
- ❖ **Delegates:** 200+
- ❖ **Partners:** kore.Ai, Acer, HP, CISCO, MongoDB, ESRI, Dassault Systems



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- ❖ Taniya Tikoo, Co-founder & Editor - in- Chief, ObserveNow Media
- ❖ Faiz Ahmad Kidwai, IAS, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India
- ❖ Vaibhav Anand Director - Sales, APAC Director - Sales, APAC Kore.ai
- ❖ Amod Kumar, IAS, Dy. Director General, Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI)
- ❖ Lt. General Vinod G. Khandare, Principal Adviser, Ministry of Defence, Government of India



- ❖ Keynote Address by Lt. General Vinod G. Khandare, Principal Adviser, Ministry of Defence, Government of India



- ❖ **Keynote Address** : Abhishek Singh, IAS, President & CEO, National e-Governance Division (NeGD), Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, Government of India



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Inaugural Session: Decoding Vision for Digital India :

Decoding Vision for Digital India: India has undergone a digital revolution with over 800 mn Internet users in urban and rural areas. With innovations in the field of AI, VR, Gaming and metaverse there is a lot of work to be done to safeguard the interests of Indian citizens and yet advance with the changing world, for India to be a dominating force at a global level. In this session experts will deliberate on the Digital India Act, the set of checks and balances that it must incorporate and the Pandora's box of opportunities it will create for the Indian Economy.



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- ❖ Daniela Sezonov Tane, Ambassador of Romania to India
- ❖ Ajitabh Sharma, IAS, Chairman & Managing Director, Jaipur City Transport Services Limited Government of Rajasthan
- ❖ Per-Arne Wikström, Counsellor, Innovation and Science Office of Science and Innovation, Embassy of Sweden New Delhi
- ❖ Konrad Duda, Economy Secretary Political and Economic Section, Embassy of the Republic of Poland in New Delhi
- ❖ Vaibhav Anand Director - Sales, APAC, Kore.ai ·

Panel : State Success Stories on Good Digital Governance

Thought leaders and experts from Cybersecurity, Power and Energy, IT infrastructure, Smart Cities will have a deep thought exchange to discuss their success stories with each other and the audiences to learn and imbibe.



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- ❖ Dr. Seema Joshi, Vice President, Esri India
- ❖ Sameer Verma, IAS, Special Secretary, (Finance) & Registrar, Firms & Societies, Government of Uttar Pradesh
- ❖ S. K. Varshney, Adviser & Head International Cooperation, Department of Science & Technology, Government of India
- ❖ Dr R K Arora, Border Security Professional, Prof., IIT Delhi and Advisor, IIT Bombay
- ❖ Suneel Wattal, Joint Chief Information Technology Officer, Department of IT, Government of Haryana
- ❖ Somenath Kundu, DGM & Alternate CISO, NTPC
- ❖ Rajat Bhasin, Lead Solutions Architect, India, MongoDB

Panel 2: Building Digital India through Technology Modernization:

With more than half a billion internet subscribers, India is one of the largest and fastest-growing markets for digital consumers, but adoption is uneven among businesses. As digital capabilities improve and connectivity becomes omnipresent, technology is poised to quickly and radically change nearly every sector of India's economy. That is likely to both create significant economic value and change the nature of work for tens of millions of Indians. In this session experts will discuss best strategies and importance of tech transformation for India. And how government intervention can be a game changer.



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- ❖ Taniya Tikoo, Co-founder & Editor - in- Chief, ObserveNow Media
- ❖ Sanjay Kumar Das, Joint Secretary, IT & Electronics and State Information & Security Officer & Managing Director, WEBEL, Government West Bengal
- ❖ Ashutosh Sharma, Vice President and Head of Sales, Kore.ai
- ❖ Aditya Singh, IAS Deputy Secretary Department of Science & Technology Government of Madhya Pradesh
- ❖ Vinit Goenka, Spokesperson, BJP Delhi Former Member Governing Council- CRIS, Ministry of Railways, Government of India

Panel 3 : Building Digitally Resilient Smart Cities:

With an explosion in the adoption of ICT infrastructure to make cities smarter, governments will have to plan the collection, management, application and analysis of data to make smarter decisions for the cities of tomorrow. Big data has the power to unlock improvement in all areas including public health, transport, security, waste management, disaster planning, smart governance etc. Experts will discuss the challenges and opportunities in this space.



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- ❖ Pralhad Rode, Chief Executive Officer, Smart Kalyan Dombivli Development Corporation Limited
- ❖ Jaspreet Singh, Trusted Advisor - Partner, Grant Thornton
- ❖ Dr Sanjay Kolte, IAS, Chief Executive Officer, Pune Smart City Limited
- ❖ Rajat Bhasin, Lead Solutions Architect, India, MongoDB

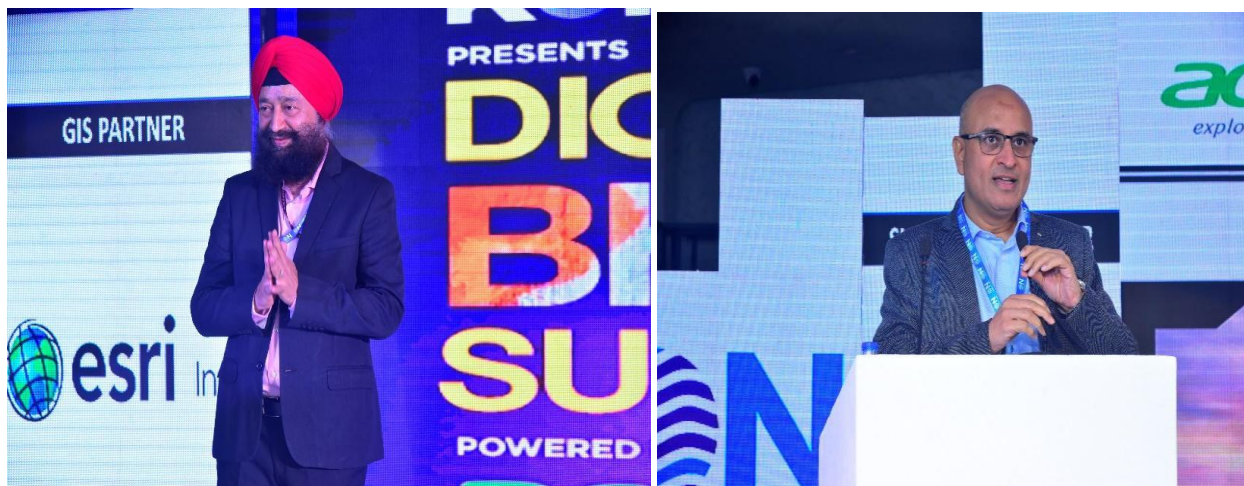
Panel 4 : Cybersecurity and Data Privacy

The Indian Government has been trying to enact a Data Privacy bill since 2006 (this has gained momentum in recent years). However, Indian consumers (i.e., data subjects) are largely unaware of the importance of safeguarding privacy or the possible harmful impact of indiscriminate personal data processing.



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- ❖ Amit Dubey, Author, National Security Expert
- ❖ Namrita Mahindro, Chief Digital Officer at Aditya Birla Chemicals, Filaments and Insulators (CFI) and CIO, Viscose Filament Yarn
- ❖ Pravin Kumar, Group CISO, Paytm
- ❖ Ravinder Arora, Global CISO & Data Protection Officer, Infogain
- ❖ Baidyanath Kumar, CISO & Data Protection Officer, JK Lakshmi Cement
- ❖ Amit Sharma, CISO, InfoEdge



- ❖ Special Address by IPS Sethi, Deputy Director General, NIC
- ❖ Hitesh Vaidya, Associate Director - Head Govt and BFSI Biz, Acer

Exhibition & Expo Area:

