India Innovation Summit
2005 to 2015
A Recap of Eleven Editions
**Inaugural Theme**: ‘Innovation: An imperative, not a luxury’

**Keynote**: Dr P S Goel, Director, ISRO Satellite Centre

**Topics:**

1. Context Setting: ‘What does it take to succeed with a Paradigm shifting idea?’
2. Combating Gravity
3. Innovation impacting Rural Lives
4. Innovation Through “Incubation”
5. Innovation in Telecommunications
6. Innovations in Media/ Entertainment
7. Innovation in Technology
8. Innovation in Services
9. Institutionalising Innovation
Inaugural Theme: ‘Innovating for Emerging India’

Keynote: Dr Vijay Mallya, Chairman, The UB Group

Topics:

2. Innovations to Create Global Benchmarks
3. Managing Innovations in IT Services
4. Multinationals Innovating in India
5. Innovating to take on giants
6. Workshop - for Participants: ‘INNOVATION LEARNING LAB’
7. Innovations for the Bottom of the Pyramid
8. Technology Led Innovations
9. Innovations in Governance
10. Innovations to revitalize established organizations
Theme: ‘Innovation in India’

Keynote: Prof. C N R Rao, National Research Professor & Honorary President & Linus Pauling Research Professor, Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research

Topics:

1. Context Setting: ‘Innovation in India – The orbit shifting way’
2. Leadership Approaches and Role in creating and nurturing the Innovation Culture
3. Stimulating Innovation in Large Organizations
4. Funding Innovation
5. Commercializing Innovation
6. Innovation Tools, Systems and Structures
7. Innovation Networks and Partnerships
8. Talk Show on ‘India – the Fountainhead of Global Innovation’
Theme: ‘Innovation in the 21st Century’

Keynote: Dr Shekhar Mitra, Global R&D Vice President–Beauty Care, P&G

Topics:

1. Innovation in Emerging Markets
2. Services Innovation
3. Systematic Innovation for the Competitive Edge
4. CSR Driven Innovation
5. Banquet Session: Innovation Challenge Contest “Innovative Solutions to Bangalore’s Urban Issues”
6. Innovations for Rural India
7. Leveraging & Nurturing the Indian Innovation Ecosystem
8. Innovation in Public Sector / Government
Theme: ‘Role of Innovation in an Economic Downturn - The India Advantage’

Keynote: Mr Azim Premji, Chairman, Wipro Ltd

Topics:
1. Economic cycles & innovations
2. Current downturn and innovative solutions to the dominant concern
3. Indian innovations and global footprints
4. Beyond business: Innovations in art & Culture
5. Open innovation & co-creation
6. Bangalore as an innovation network / cluster / hotspot
7. Funding innovation in the downturn
8. “New think” Innovations
9. Targeted IT investments for business innovation
10. Panel Discussion on Role of Innovation in an Economic Downturn
Theme: Innovation – “Making a difference in an Emerging Economy”

Keynote: Mr Ravi Venkatesan, Chairman, Microsoft Corporation (I) Pvt Ltd

Topics:
1. The New Models of Innovation: Power of Networks, Open Source, Collaborative Competition
2. The Changing Demographic Profile of India – Role of youth in Innovation
3. Organisation and the creation of Innovation DNA
4. Banquet Session: Innovation Beyond Business
5. Is India Innovating? Innovations for India, Innovation Networks in India, Government networks, University-Industry Partnership
6. Potential / opportunities for Business and Technological Innovation by Industries (particularly from Healthcare, Financial, Telecommunication, Environment and Education)
7. Panel Discussion and Mentoring Session: Good Practices – Making Innovation Happen
Theme : Innovation – “Making Bangalore the Innovation Hub of Asia”
Inaugural Speaker: Mr D V Sadananda Gowda, Chief Minister, Govt of Karnataka

Topics:
1. Bangalore as a Hub for R&D in Asia?
2. Bangalore – A Hub for Advanced Engineering beyond IT
3. Bangalore – A Hub for Disruptive Innovation – A Startup View
4. Innovation beyond Business – Innovation through Melody for Social Discovery
5. Innovative Approaches for Higher Education and Research
6. Innovations in Healthcare – Technology and Affordability
7. Innovations in Biotech and Pharma Industry
8. Nurturing Innovation
Theme: India Innovates for the World

Inaugural Speaker: Shri Jagadish Shettar, Chief Minister, Government of Karnataka

Keynote Speaker: Mr K V Kamath, Chairman, Infosys Ltd

Topics:

1. “Grand Challenges – Summary of the Report”
2. Thinking India – Researching for the World!
3. Designing in India – A world of Design
4. Made in India – Factory for the World
5. Marketing Indian Innovations: Indian Skills to Indian Products
6. “Innovation Beyond Business: Balancing the Profession and Passion”
7. Transportation – Solutions for 21st Century
8. Affordable and Inclusive Healthcare
9. Innovation in Energy Efficiency and Sustainability
10. Panel Discussion: ‘Big challenges for Start-Ups- An Indian experience’
9th India Innovation Summit 2013
07-08 August 2013, Hotel Vivanta by Taj, Bangalore

Theme: “India as a Start-up Nation”

Inaugural Speaker: Mr K Siddaramaiah, Hon’ble Chief Minister, Government of Karnataka

Keynote Speaker: Dr Gururaj Deshpande (“Desh” Deshpande)
(Topic: Buying a startup for business growth in new areas - Corporate experience)

Topics:

1. Start-up Ecosystem and Innovation – Summary of a Workshop
2. Enabling Startup Ecosystem – The role of Incubators
3. Enabling Startup Ecosystem – The rise of Angel Funds and competition for Talent
4. Enabling the Startup Ecosystem – Incubation by Corporations
5. Emerging Sectors of Opportunities for Startups
6. Pathfinders – Startup mindset but personal journeys
7. Scaling the idea into a business – Leveraging Venture Capital
8. Demand Generation through Corporate and Cross Border Collaborations
9. Scaling up for social cause – The growth of Social Impact Ventures
10. The diversity challenge in Startups – Women in Startup’s
**Theme**: “Innovation for Inclusive Growth”

**Inaugural Speaker**: Mr K Siddaramaiah, Hon’ble Chief Minister, Government of Karnataka

**Keynote Speaker**: Mr Michael Idelchik, VP, Advanced Technology for GE Global Research (Topic: The Future of Innovation and Work)

**Topics:**
1. Driving Innovation in Public delivery systems
2. Green Revolution 2.0 – Food Security and the role of innovation
3. Energy for all and the need for technology innovation
4. Delivering Citizen Centric Healthcare at Scale
5. Emerging Sectors of Opportunities for Startups
6. *The Quest for Innovators from Among India’s Youth*” And “Crusaders from the Heartland
7. Innovations in Indian Elections 2014 and Big Data
8. Innovation in Skilling for Emerging India
9. Innovations in nurturing Entrepreneurship
10. Disruptive Innovation as a driver for social change

The 10th Edition has witnessed the first ever CII-3M student challenge for innovation and Released a 10 year Retrospect of India Innovation Summits
Theme: “Realizing the National Dream – Scaling local innovation”

Inaugural Speaker: Mr K Siddaramaiah, Hon’ble Chief Minister, Government of Karnataka

Keynote Speaker: Dr V K Saraswat, Member, Niti Aayog, Government of India

Session Topics:
1. “Make in India” - Digital & Engineered Manufacturing
2. Innovations in Agriculture and Agro products
3. Innovation for Smart Cities
4. Keeping our Rivers and Lakes alive – Clean Ganga Mission
5. “Financial Inclusion as a key driver for inclusive growth”
6. Innovation in Infrastructure for Transportation
7. Entrepreneurship – Role of Start-ups towards ‘Make in India’

The 11th Edition had witnessed the second edition of CII-3M Innovation challenge award and a Dinner talk by Mr Ravi Gururaj Chairman & Co – Founder, Frictionless Ventures and Chairman, Nasscom Production Council
India Innovation Summit 2013

Snap from the Inaugural session of the 9th India Innovation Summits:
India Innovation Summit 2014

Snap from the Inaugural session of the 10th India Innovation Summit:
India Innovation Summit 2013 & 2014

Snaps from the Special Plenary Session of the 10th India Innovation Summit:
India Innovation Summit 2015

Some of the Snaps from the 11th India Innovation Summit:
India Innovation Summit 2015

Some of the Snaps from the 11th India Innovation Summit:
Twelfth India Innovation Summit 2016
“Spirit of Innovation – Celebrating the Entrepreneur”
28th/29th July 2016, Hotel Sheraton at Brigade Gateway, World Trade Centure, Bangalore

Suggested Session Topics are:
➢ Inaugural Session on “Spirit of Innovation – Celebrating the Entrepreneur”
➢ Hospitality in Digital World – The game changers
➢ Digital Media – The new gurus in Education and Entertainment
➢ Online Retail – Fashion and Food
➢ Redefining Mobility – The Rise of Transport Aggregators
➢ Innovation Challenge (CII-3M Award) & Dinner talk (Sri Sri Ravishankar is invited for Dinner Talk)
➢ Intrapreneurship and Open Innovation
➢ Artificial Intelligence and Robotics
➢ Fintech and Payment Systems
➢ Healthcare Delivery on Cloud
➢ And a Valedictory Session with Government of Karnataka