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PROGRAMME AGENDA

	INCONAMIVEAGENDA
08:30 am - 09:00 am	Registration
09:00 am – 10:00 am	Welcome Address and Presentation by digitalLEARNING Magazine, EletsTechnomedia Pvt Ltd Inaugural Session Meeta Rajiv Lochan, Principal Secretary & State Project Director, State Project Directorate-RUSA, Government of Maharashtra E Ravendiran, Commissioner, Skill Development, Government of Maharashtra Dr Dhanraj Mane, Director Higher Education, Government of Maharashtra Nidhi Choudhary, Deputy Municipal Commissioner, Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation, Government of Maharashtra Dr Swati Mujumdar, Pro-Chancellor, Symbiosis Skills Universities Kunwar Shekhar Vijendra, Chancellor, Shobhit University, Meerut
11:00 am – 10:30 am	Networking Tea and Expo Visit
10:30 pm – 11:00 am	Industry Presentations Adobe Systems: Supreeth Nagaraju, Head - Education, West, South India & Sri Lanka - Adobe System CloudWalker Streaming Technologies Pvt Ltd: Shailesh Verma, Product Marketing Manager
11:00 am – 11:45 am	Panel Discussion: Experiential Learning: Meeting the changing behaviour of student enrollment and the impact of technology Key Discussion Points: Potential of MOOCs, Distance Education E-Learning, and Blended Learning in Higher Education Effectively combining educators, educator-curated ed-tech and Student Needs Learning with performance assessment Changing Landscape of Student Enrollment and the way forward Moderator: Dr Shravan Kadvekar, In charge Vice Chancellor, Symbiosis Skills and Open University, Pune Suraj Sapra, Vice President, NoPaperForms Dr Bukinakere Satyanarayan, Vice Chancellor, BML Munjal University, Gurugram Nitin Puglia, Chairman, Renaissance Group of Institutions, Chandrapur, Maharashtra Dr D M Deshpande, Vice Chancellor, ISBM University, Raipur Dr R M Jalnekar, Director, Vishwakarma Institute of Technology, Pune Dr Daniel J Penkar, Director, S B Patil Institute of Management, Pune Professor Rajasekhar Pillai, Provost, K. J. Somaiya Vidyavihar & Somaiya Ayurvihar, Mumbai
11:45 am – 12:15 pm	Special Address: Dr Archana Thakur, Joint Secretary, University Grant Commission (UGC), MHRD, Government of India Dr Manpreet Singh Manna, Director, All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), MHRD, Government of India
12:15 pm – 12:30 pm	Industry Presentation: Importance of Cybersecurity in Edcuation Sector Vijay Mhaskar, Chief Operating Officer, Seqrite
12:30 pm – 01:15 pm	Panel Discussion: Trends in Higher Education branding, online marketing and enrolment Key Discussion Points: Inclination towards Online and digital strategies Ensure consistency among positioning, identity, strategy, stated goals, and communications Enrolment strategies should incorporate a mix of channels in order to spark engagement with students Moderator: Ambrish Singh, Executive VP, shiksha.com Dr Anand A Samuel, Vice Chancellor, VIT University, Vellore Prof Ajay Ruhela, Director, Teerthanker Mahaveer University, Moradabad Dr Aditya Shankar Abhyankar, HOD, Professor, Savitribai Phule Pune University Dr P Balakrishna Shetty, Vice Chancellor, Sri Siddhartha Academy of Higher Education Dr Lakshmi Mohan, Director, ITM Business School, Kharghar Dr Shyam L Kaushal, Director, Himachal Pradesh University Business School, Shimla Santosh Nair, Senior Director, Parul University, Vadodara
01:15 pm – 01:45 pm	Felicitation Ceremony of Ranked Universities and B Schools
01:45 pm – 02:30 pm	Networking Lunch







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02:30 pm - 03:15 pm

Panel Discussion: Higher Education and Skill Training to catalyse equitable growth **Key Discussion Points:**

- The higher education system must be attuned to the new global environment by promoting creativity
- Greater impetus on skill development and vocational institutes to push growth of the economy
- Establishing Framework to enhance employability potential and reap benefits of the demographic dividend

Moderator: Dr Nitin R Karmalkar, Vice Chancellor, Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune Garima Babbar, Head - Program, Education and Skill Development, Adobe Systems

Rajendra Jagtap, CEO, Pune Smart City Development Corporation Ltd

Professor Piyushkant Dixit, Vice Chancellor, Uttarakhand Sanskrit University ,Haridwar

Dr Prakash Kondekar, Director Indian Institute of Naturopathy, Mumbai

K K Bajaj, Vice Chairperson, RNB Global University, Bikaner

Dr M K Verma, Vice Chancellor, Chhattisgarh Swami Vivekanand Technical University, Raipur

Sachin Satpute, Director, MIT Skills, Pune

03:15 pm - 04:00 pm

HR Panel Discussion: Importance of Skilling Educators, Ensuring Employability to Youth: Opportunity lies in **Challenges**

Key Discussion Points:

- Challenges for corporate in recruiting and skilling the youth
- Emerging trends while hiring candidates

Moderator: Rajesh Kamath, Co-Founder, MTHR Global

Annapurna Swarup, HR Director, Inspirage Satish Rajrathnam, Global HRBP, Cognizant Sahil Nayar, Associate Director, HR, KPMG

Professor Gurucharan Singh, VP, Corporate Affairs and HR, Cambridge Institute of Technology

Prasad Kulkarni, Head HR Shared Services, Compensation & Benefits, Policies, HR Technology, Raymond Limited

04:00 pm - 05:00 pm

Roundtable Discussion: Bridging Industry-Academia gap: Challenges and Opportunities **Key Discussion Points:**

- Establishing links with industry and employers is crucial to ensure quality of education and employability
- Alignment of curriculum with industry requirements
- Workplace exposure through internships, live projects, and corporate interactions

Moderator: Capt Anil Dhankher, Former Head HR, Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank

05:00 pm - 05:30 pm

Felicitation Ceremony of HR Leaders and Ranked Engineering Institutes

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