



# 4<sup>th</sup> INDIA- USA SPACE & GEOSPATIAL BUSINESS SUMMIT



2 DECEMBER 2024 | HICC, HYDERABAD, INDIA

Time (Hrs)	Agenda
0730 - 0815	<b>Breakfast at G.01</b>
0830 - 0910	<b>Opening Session: India - USA Space and Geospatial Market: An Overview</b> <b>Welcome Note</b> <b>Sanjay Kumar</b> , CEO and Founder, Geospatial World & Geospatial World Chamber of Commerce <b>Opening Address</b> <b>Dr Rajeev Jyoti</b> , Director, Technical Directorate, Indian National Space Promotion and Authorization Center (IN-SPACe), Department of Space, Government of India <b>Keynote Address</b> <b>Srikant Sastri</b> , Chairman, Geospatial Data Promotion & Development Committee (GDPDC), Government of India <b>Inaugural Address</b> <b>Ms Jennifer Larson</b> , Consulate General, Hyderabad, U.S. Embassy India, US Department of State
0910 - 0945	<b>Session 1: Collaborative Opportunities for National Mapping</b> <b>Moderator</b> <b>Saurabh Rai</b> , CEO, Arahast Technologies, India <b>Panelists</b> <b>Hitesh Makwana</b> , Surveyor General, Survey of India, Government of India <b>Joshua Coutts</b> , Chief International and National Engagement Branch (INEB), USA <b>Dean Angelides</b> , International Corporate Director, Esri, USA <b>Sreeramam G V</b> , CEO, NeoGeoInfo Technologies, India
0945 - 1030	<b>Session 2: Geospatial Products and Solutions: Trade and Commerce</b> <b>Moderator</b> <b>Lt Gen Girish Kumar</b> , VSM, Advisor, Government of Haryana, India <b>Panelists</b> <b>Boris Skopljak</b> , Vice President – Geospatial Sector, Trimble, USA <b>Siddharth Sinha</b> , Geo and Climate Policy Lead, Google <b>Siva Ravada</b> , Vice President – Development, Oracle, USA <b>P V Rai</b> , Managing Director, Pixel Softek, India <b>Dr Abhay Kimmattkar</b> , Managing Director, Ceinsys Tech Ltd, India
1030 - 1100	Tea/ Coffee
1100 - 1115	<b>Guest Address</b> <b>Dr Pawan Goenka</b> , Chairman, Indian National Space Promotion and Authorization Center (IN-SPACe), Department of Space, Government of India
1115 -1200	<b>Session 3: Space Infrastructure and Downstream Applications</b> <b>Moderator</b> <b>Dr Sameer Sharma Guduru</b> , Director, Digital Economy & Aerospace & Defence, US India Business Council (USIBC) <b>Panelists</b> <b>Sai Arul</b> , Head – SAARC Region, Maxar Technologies Inc. <b>Tony Sewell</b> , Global Head of Partners, Aerospace and Satellite, Amazon Web Services (AWS), USA <b>Sanjay Nekkanti</b> , CEO, Dhruva Space, India <b>Dhruva Rajan</b> , Board Director and Platform Lead, SatSure Analytics, India <b>Pranit Mehta</b> , Co Founder & Vice President Business Development, GalaxEye Space, India

1200 - 1245	<p><b>Session 4: BIM and Digital Twin for Infrastructure</b></p> <p><b>Moderator</b>  <b>Srikanth Badiga</b>, National Executive Council Member, Indo American Chamber of Commerce (IACC) &amp; Chairman, EPCES, Ministry of Commerce &amp; Industry, Government of India</p> <p><b>Panelists</b>  <b>Eric DesRoche</b>, Director Infrastructure Business Strategy, Autodesk, USA  <b>Ryan Bank</b>, Global Managing Director, Geospatial Insurance Consortium (GIC), USA  <b>M K Sunil</b>, Director of Business Development, Bentley Systems, India  <b>Bobbie H Kalra</b>, Founder &amp; President, Magnasoft Consulting India</p>
1245 - 1330	<p><b>Session 5: Science, Technology, Research, and Education</b></p> <p><b>Moderator</b>  <b>William G. Cammett</b>, Science, Technology and Space Officer, U.S. Embassy India, US Department of State</p> <p><b>Panelists</b>  <b>Dr Nisha Mendiratta</b>, Executive Director, India US Science &amp; Technology Forum (IUSSTF)  <b>John Wilson</b>, USC Professor and Founding Director Spatial Sciences Institute, University of Southern California, USA  <b>Len Kne</b>, Director, U-Spatial, Research Computing, Research &amp; Innovation Office, University of Minnesota  <b>Himanshu (Him) Mistry [B. Arch, MUD, MUP]</b> Assistant Director &amp; Co-Head, Data Services, Research and Instructional Technology, New York University, USA  <b>Miriam Olivares</b>, GISP, Head-Geospatial Support Services, Computational Methods &amp; Data, University Library and Center for Geospatial Solutions, Yale University, USA  <b>Dr Roshan Srivastav</b>, Associate Professor &amp; Project Director, Technological Innovation Hub, Indian Institute of Technology, Tirupati, India</p>
1330 - 1415	Lunch ( <b>Hall - 5</b> )
1430 Onwards	<b>24th edition of GeoSmart India</b>

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