



**Theme: Building the future: Advancing Mining and Construction Equipment for a smarter and sustainable tomorrow.**

**14 July 2025: New Delhi**

**Programme Outline**

<b>0930 – 1000 hrs</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>1000 – 1200 hrs</b>	<b>Inaugural Session: Building the Future of India’s MCE Industry: Scale, Sustainability and Global Competitiveness</b>

*As India accelerates its infrastructure and resource development agenda, the Mining & Construction Equipment (MCE) sector is poised to play a pivotal role in enabling scale, efficiency, and global competitiveness. This inaugural plenary will bring together senior policymakers and industry leaders to outline a forward-looking vision for the sector, focusing on strengthening domestic manufacturing, aligning policy and investment priorities, and enhancing India’s position in global value chains. The session will set the tone for the summit by identifying key growth drivers and strategic imperatives for the MCE ecosystem.*

**1200 – 1215 hrs Session Changeover**

**1215-1300 hrs Session on Enabling Growth: Policy, Localisation and Global Competitiveness**

**Session Chair :**

*A robust policy and manufacturing ecosystem is critical to unlocking the next phase of growth for India’s MCE sector. This session will examine the regulatory and policy frameworks required to promote domestic manufacturing, drive localisation, and improve ease of doing business. Discussions will also focus on enhancing export competitiveness, addressing operational bottlenecks, and positioning India as a preferred global manufacturing destination for mining and construction equipment.*

**1300 – 1345 hrs Session on Smart & Advanced Equipment: Digitalisation, Automation and AI**

**Session Chair:**

*Rapid advancements in technology are redefining the capabilities and performance of mining and construction equipment. This session will explore the adoption of digitalisation, automation, IoT, and AI-driven solutions in the MCE sector, with a focus on improving productivity, safety, and cost efficiency. It will also highlight emerging trends such as predictive maintenance, autonomous machinery, and the integration of Industry 4.0 in manufacturing and operations.*

**1400 – 1430 hrs Lunch**

**1430 – 1540 hrs Session on Towards Green and Sustainable MCE Solutions**  
**Session Chair:**

*Sustainability is becoming a central pillar in the evolution of the MCE sector, driven by regulatory pressures, ESG commitments, and global climate goals. This session will focus on the transition towards low-emission and energy-efficient equipment, including electrification, hybrid technologies, and alternative fuels. It will also examine the role of circular economy practices—such as refurbishment, remanufacturing, and recycling—in reducing environmental impact and enhancing resource efficiency.*

**1540 - 1630 hrs Session on Building a Resilient and Future-Ready MCE Ecosystem**

**Session Chair:**

*As the MCE sector evolves, building a resilient and future-ready ecosystem will be essential to sustain growth and competitiveness. This session will address key challenges related to supply chain resilience, MSME integration, workforce skilling, and access to finance. It will also explore how the sector can prepare for shifting global demand patterns and emerging market opportunities, ensuring long-term sustainability and adaptability.*

**Programme Close**