



**INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND  
DIGITAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT**  
GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU



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**Hyatt Pune**

**A HIGH IMPACT INDUSTRY- INSTITUTE INTERACTION EVENT**



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## Conference Agenda

0830-1000 Hours Registration and Networking

1000-1005 Hours Lightning of Lamp & Theme Video

1005-1015 Hours **Welcome Address**  
**Srikanth V**, Chief Executive Officer, ICT Academy

1015-1030 Hours **Conference Keynote**  
**Bala Prasad Peddigari**, Chief Innovation Officer and Global Head, Tata Consultancy Services

1030-1045 Hours **Bridging the Gap in Digital Construction**  
**Nirmalya Chatterjee**, Country VP, Nemetschek Group - Indian Subcontinent

1045-1100 Hours **Skilling for Next-Gen Youth**  
**T S Gopalakrishnan**, Regional Director – India & Gulf Cooperation Council Countries, AVIXA

1100-1115 Hours **Partnerships for Impact**  
**Balamurugan**, Co-founder, GUVI

1115-1200 Hours **Networking Tea Break**

## Inaugural Ceremony

1200-1205 Hours **V Srikanth**, Chief Executive Officer, ICT Academy

1205-1215 Hours **Guest of Honor Address**  
**Prof Suresh Gosavi**, Vice Chancellor, Savitribai Phule Pune University

### Chief Guest Address

1215-1235 Hours

**Dr Palanivel Thiaga Rajan**, Hon'ble Minister Information Technology & Digital Services, Government of Tamil Nadu

1235-1245 Hours

**MoU Exchange**

1245-1300 Hours

**Education Changemaker Awards**

1300-1400 Hours

**Networking Lunch**

1400-1420 Hours

**Charting the Course for Future Growth: Embracing Technology, Skills and Inclusive Development**  
**Pankaj Muthé**, Senior Academic Program Manager - Asia Pacific, Qlik Learning

1420-1440 Hours

**Industry 4.0 & beyond - Future Technologies : AI , IoT and Beyond**  
**Ramakrishna Rama**, Principal Director, Microsoft

1440-1500 Hours

**India Global Epicentre of Talent - Harnessing Local Talent for Global Markets**  
**Rajendra Kembhavi**, Head Employee Relations, Tech Mahindra

1500-1520 Hours

**Ankit Aggarwal**, Founder & CEO, Unstop

1520-1535 Hours

**Partnerships for Impact: Industry & Academia**  
**Basavadarshan GN**, Senior Partnership Manager, Academia (India), MongoDB

1535-1630 Hours

**Awards Ceremony & Closing of Conference**

1630 Hours

**Networking Tea**

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