



# Universal Design & Accessibility Conclave

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9:00 am- 5:30 pm



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## Speakers



**Shri. Ashank Desai**  
Chief Guest  
Founder and Former Chairman Mastek  
Former Chairman, NASSCOM



**Sri. Mukesh Jain**  
Joint Secretary  
Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment  
Government of India



**Prof. Ashis Jalote Parmar**  
Faculty, Design Thinking and Innovation,  
Area: Business Policy  
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**Shri. Mukesh Kumar**  
Municipal Commissioner,  
Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India



**Shri. Deepinder Singh**  
Head Strategy and Planning, Digital India,  
Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology.  
Government of India

## Speakers



**Mr. Dipendra Manocha**  
Saksham Trust



**Ms. Anjee Agarwal**  
Executive Director Smarthyam



**Ms. Shivani Gupta**  
Founder of Accessibility  
Author: No Looking Back



**Mr. Subhash Chandra Vashishth**  
Lawyer, Delhi High Court  
Founder: Center for Accessibility of  
Built Environments



**Prof. Rachana Khare**  
Professor & Head Department of  
Architecture, Bhopal



**Ms. Nirmita Narasimhan**  
Program Manager  
Center for Internet and Society

## Venue: PP Gupta auditorium, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, IMDC, new Campus, IIMA

8:00 am- 9:00 am	Registration & Tea/Snacks		
9:00 am -9:30 am	Prof. Ashis Jalote Parmar	Professor, IIMA Faculty Chair, Universal Design / Accessibility Conclave	Imagining Smart Cities for Accessibility & Universal Design
9:30 am - 9:50 am	Shri Mukesh Jain	Joint Secretary , Ministry of Social Justice Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, GOI	Accessibility Compliance: Road Ahead
9:50 am -10:10 am	Mr. Dipendra Manocha	Managing Trustee, Saksham Trust Technical Lead, Daisy Consort	Can you build another world for me
10:10 am-10:30 am	Ms. Anjlee Agarwal	Executive Director, Samarthyam	Sustainable -Sugamya-Smart cities
10:30 am-11:00 am	<b>Panel I Implementation Perspective</b>	<b>Barriers and Enablers in Inclusion/Implementation of Accessibility Policy: Where do we Stand? Moderator: Dr. Dipendra Manocha Prof. Rachna Khare</b>	
<b>11:00-11:25</b>	<b>Tea Break</b>		
11:30 am-11:50 am	Shri. Mukesh Kumar	Municipal Commissioner, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India	Envision Smart cities: Challengers and pointers
11:50 am-12:10 pm	Shri. Deepinder Singh	Head Strategy and Planning, Digital India, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology. Government of India	Digital India: Empowering India
12:10 pm-12:30 pm	Ms. Nirmita Narasimhan	Program Manager Center for Internet and Society	Inclusive India: so near yet so far
12:30 pm-12:50 pm	Mr. Subhash Chandra Vashishth	Lawyer, Delhi High Court Founder-CABE	How universal design in smart cities/ habitat can address disability rights
<b>12:50 pm-1:20 pm</b>	<b>Panel II  Policy Perspective</b>	<b>To what extent can Accessibility be a part of Planning Smart Cities &amp; Digital India: A Systems Perspective? Moderator: Prof. Navdeep Mathur, Public Policy Group, IIMA &amp; Prof. Ashis Jalote Parmar , Business Policy Group, IIMA</b>	
<b>1:30-2:45</b>	<b>Working Lunch</b>		
2:50 pm -3:10 pm	Ms. Shivani Gupta	Founder of AccessAbility	Accessibility policies in India - what we need
3:10 pm -3:30 pm	Prof. Rachana Khare	Professor & Head , School of Planning & Architecture, Bhopal	Inclusive smart cities; A cultural perspective
3:30 pm -4:00 pm	Shri Ashank Desai	Founder and Former Chairman, Mastek Former Chairman -NASSCOM	Empowering India : Accessibility and Smart Cities
4:00 pm -5:30 pm	<b>Panel III  A peek into the future</b>	<b>Re-Imagining Smart , Digital and Accessible India : Voice of the Citizens Presentation &amp; Discussion by the Audience Moderator: Mr. Soni, BPA Prof. Ashis Jalote Parmar, Business Policy Group, IIMA</b>	