



Digital Travel, Hospitality & Innovation Summit 2017

- India's First Event On Digital Travel, Tourism, Hospitality & Technology Innovation

March 22 - 23, 2017

Venue : FICCI, Federation House, New Delhi

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0900 - 1000 hrs	Registration
1000 - 1045 hrs	Inaugural Session Venue: Hari Shankar Singhania Commission Room, 3 rd Floor, FICCI
1000 – 1005 hrs	<i>Welcome Address & Moderation by</i> Rahul Chakravarty , Director & Head - Tourism, FICCI
1005 – 1010 hrs	<i>Special Address by</i> Dr. Jyotsna Suri , Chairperson, FICCI Tourism Committee and Chairperson & MD, Lalit Suri Hospitality Group
1010 – 1025 hrs	Release of FICCI – Avalon Knowledge paper - Travel 2.0 – The Next Generation of travel and short intro on the report by Avijit Banerjee, Vice President, Avalon Global research
1025 – 1035 hrs	<i>Special Address by</i> Shri Suman Billa , Joint Secretary, Ministry Of Tourism, Government Of India
1035 – 1045 hrs	<i>Vote Of Thanks</i> Rahul Chakravarty , Director & Head - Tourism, FICCI
1045 – 1100 hrs	Tea/Coffee break
1100 - 1200 hrs	Face To Face With The Thought Leaders
	Moderator : Bibek Bhattacharya , Web Editor, Outlook traveler <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Matthew Powel, Regional Managing Director, Middle East & South Asia, Travelport • Deep Kalra, Chairman & Group CEO, MakeMyTrip
1200 – 1300 hrs	<u>Panel discussion</u> Digital Disruption in Travel, Tourism & Hospitality landscape : <i>The panel of experts will discuss on how the speed of business in Indian travel, tourism and hospitality sector has evolved over the last few decades and how it is adapting to the continuous technological advancements & digital disruption.</i> Moderator : Sharat Dhall , President, Yatra Online Pvt. Ltd Panelists : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hari Nair, Founder & CEO, Holiday IQ • Nikhil Ganju, Country Manager, Trip Advisor India • Abhishek Rajan, Vice President & Head – Travel Marketplace, Paytm • Chinmai Sharma, Chief Revenue Officer, Taj Hotels
1300 – 1400 hrs	Lunch

<p>1400 – 1500 hrs</p>	<p><u>Panel discussion</u> The Changing face of a corporate traveler: <i>Understanding how technology is changing the travel experience for business travelers and challenges in meeting & managing his unstated expectations</i></p> <p>Moderator : Ashish Kumar, Managing Partner, Agnitio Consulting</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geeta Jain, CEO, Carlson Wagonlit Travel • Raja Natesan, CEO, Uniglobe Travel South Asia • Indiver Rastogi, President, Global Business Travel, Thomas Cook (India) Ltd. • Ajay Bali, Managing Director, BCD Travel
<p>1500 – 1600 hrs</p>	<p><u>Panel discussion</u> Serving the Next Gen Smart Holiday Traveler. What do we need to do? – <i>What and how best we can provide to cater to todays Tech savvy Traveler to influence his consumption pattern with the use of technology.</i></p> <p>Moderator : Vishal Suri, Managing Director, SOTC</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • G B Srithar, Regional Director, South Asia, Middle East & Africa, Singapore Tourism Board • Neerja Bhatia, Vice President, Etihad Airways, Indian subcontinent • Sriram Rajmohan, CEO & MD, Club 7 Holidays • Siddharth Dabhade, Head of Industry, Google India • Vikram Ahuja, Founder, Beyond Travel
<p>1600 – 1615 hrs</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee break</p>
<p>1615 – 1715 hrs</p>	<p><u>Panel discussion</u> The Evolution in hotel distribution system: Are we leveraging it ? <i>The OTA's have re defined distribution by allowing hotels to reach out to their consumers. But are the mid segment & heritage hotels of India ready? Let's find from the panel of experts.</i></p> <p>Moderator : Mohit Gupta, COO - Online, MakeMyTrip</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Zia Sheikh, Chairman & MD, Svenska Design Hotels • Sidharth Gupta, Co Founder, Treebo Hotels • Sonavi Kaicker, CEO, Neemrana Hotels

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1000 – 1100 hrs	<p><u>Panel discussion</u> Is consolidation and funding funneling the growth of travel Industry?: <i>This panel will discuss if the consolidation is helping the growth of the industry or is it eliminating competition, thereby forcing travelers to look for other options. Also, how is the nature of funding shaping up – is it more strategic or financial; is it bringing in more players in the ecosystem or is it getting absorbed in the ecosystem</i></p> <p>Moderator : Karan Mohla, Executive Director, IDG Ventures</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael Lyngdoh, Co Founder, Tripoto • Simon Akeroyd, VP Corporate Strategy and Business Development, Amadeus Next • Varun Gupta, CEO, Goomo • Ankush Nijhawan, Co Founder, TBO Group • Rakshit Desai, Managing Director, FCM Travel Solution
1100 – 1200 hrs	<p><u>Panel discussion</u> Leveraging technology in cross selling and up selling to boost revenue growth : <i>The panel discusses on how best to leverage the latest technology to offer attractive ancillary services in order to help the revenue streams grow exponentially. Will a one-stop shop model will be the future for the travel and hospitality industry?</i></p> <p>Moderator: Amit Taneja, Chief Revenue Officer, Cleartrip</p> <p>Panelists :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TC Guruprasad, CEO & Managing Director, Centrum Direct Limited • Kewal Kotian, Head - Marketing, Eezego1 • Bart Bellers, Senior Advisor - Corporate Strategy, Amadeus IT Group • Rajiv Vij, CEO & MD, Carzonrent India Pvt. Ltd
1200-1215 hrs	Tea/Coffee break
1215 – 1315 hrs	<p><u>Panel discussion</u> From Arrival to Departure: Re Defining passenger experience at Airport and Inflight : <i>The Indian Aviation sector has been undergoing a paradigm shift keeping in mind the demand and expectations of today's tech savvy traveler. Our panel of experts will discuss how technology is playing a major role in providing enriching flight experience thus transforming the way air travel is perceived</i></p> <p>Moderator: Kapil Kaul, CEO & Director, CAPA South Asia</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neerja Bhatia, Vice President, Etihad Airways, Indian subcontinent • Kamal Hingorani, Sr. VP & Head InFlight Services and Customer Experience - SpiceJet Ltd • Pran Dasan, Regional Manager, India, Nepal, Srilanka, Fly Dubai • Essa Sulaiman Ahmad, VP, Emirates, India & Nepal
1315 – 1330 hrs	Valedictory Session
	<p><i>Valedictory Session by</i> Dhruv Shringi, Chairman, FICCI Travel Technology Committee & CO Founder & CEO Yatra Online Pvt. Ltd</p>
1330 – 1430 hrs	Lunch
1430 – 1830 hrs	Travel Startup Launchpad
1430 – 1440 hrs	Introduction
1440 – 1615 hrs	Startup Pitching session
1615 – 1630 hrs	Tea/Coffee break
1630 – 1830 hrs	One – One with Investors
	End of programme