



# Celebrating Achievements!





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Chief Patron  
Indian Achievers' Forum

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**Harish Chandra**, an alumnus of Delhi University, is a successful entrepreneur working in the domains of Media, Branding CSR and Social entrepreneurship. An astute professional, an able leader with smart business acumen and team building abilities, he is the Editor of two renowned publications - Achievers' World & CSRTimes. He has headed many national and International business delegation to countries like USA, UK, Russia, Southeast Asia, Middle East etc. He has done some remarkable work on promoting MSMEs and Startups globally through Summits and Events. He is also associated with my International chambers of Commerce.



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**S. Ravishankar**  
Secretary  
Indian Achievers' Forum

# ABOUT INDIAN ACHIEVERS' FORUM

The Indian Achievers' Forum is an apex body, established in the year 2000, and is driven by a full-fledged advisory board. The Board consists of successful senior leaders, prominent bureaucrats, famous journalists, renowned corporate CEOs, industry experts, consultants and specialists in fields such as education, legal, social services, environment, etc., and many other Indian and foreign eminent dignitaries who have joined hands for a common cause, i.e. to make India proud at the global business world. They reach out to budding professionals and entrepreneurs, ranging from small and medium sized enterprises to larger businesses, and then, IAF brings them together through conferences, seminars, events, workshops, networking sessions, exhibitions, trade shows and B2B initiatives.

- An ISO9001:2015 certified organisation
- Around two decades of existence.
- Organised more than one hundred events and

seminars in India.

- Organised 20 international seminars in different countries.
- 7,000 members and participants.
- Recognition by many national and international associations and organisations.
- The Forum invites senior leaders, governors, chief ministers, union ministers, senior bureaucrats, diplomats, industry experts, entrepreneurs, educationists, eminent social activists, environmentalists, policy makers and eminent speakers on its podium.

Indian Achievers' Forum also promotes and encourages commendable achievements of Indians in the fields of business, health care, education, information technology, retail and many more, and felicitates them at the national and international level for their contribution in India's progress through the prestigious Indian Achievers' Awards and Global Achievers' Awards.

## AIMS & OBJECTIVES

- Promotes small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) and individuals by giving them a platform to explore international market for their products and services.
- Organizes national and international exhibitions, trade shows and B2B networking events.
- Invites overseas companies to visit India for their business prospects.
- Provides platform to domestic entrepreneurs to attend IAF's international networking events held in different countries from time to time in order to know latest business trends with regards to technology & quality and hence expand their businesses at global level.
- Guides member companies on how to carry out their Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) initiatives effectively. Business persons are guided on how they can contribute to the welfare of society by giving something back to the society through CSR activities.
- Acts like a bridge between businesses and communities thus opening up channels of communication.
- Seeks to promote and encourage friendly feelings, fraternity, unity and cooperation among the entrepreneurs, business persons and other people engaged in various sectors of the Indian economy.
- Fosters cooperation amongst the business community for collection and exchange of information.
- Arranges meetings, exhibitions, conferences, seminars, workshops on the key issues with leading agencies and associations.
- Organises re-orientation training programmes from time to time for spreading awareness, enhancing learning capabilities and overall knowledge of the participants.
- Serves as a Forum to discuss all commerce and industry problems and explore mutually beneficial solutions.
- Secures all the advantages for the social welfare through peaceful means.
- Provides professional advisory services to other existing agencies, both private and public, for their development programmes including formulation, design, implementation and evaluation.
- Promotes, encourages and assists scientific research, surveys and training in the field of commerce, trade promotions, industry, education environment and allied subjects.
- Recognizes people for excellent performance in their respective fields globally.
- Encourages members to provide world-class quality products, services and solutions in India; it helps in building brand equity for the Indian industry.
- Updates members about latest trends and technology relating to their businesses.
- Work for the rural development of India.





# 50<sup>th</sup> NATIONAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

November 27, 2019, New Delhi



**Sh. Santosh Gangwar**  
Minister of State for  
Labour and Employment  
(Independent Charge)



**Sh. Suresh Prabhu**  
Member of Parliament  
(frm. Union Minister)



**Sh. K.J. Alphons**  
Member of Parliament  
(frm. Union Minister)



**Dr. K.V. Thomas**  
Member of Parliament  
(frm. Union Minister)



**Sh. Sunil Shashtri**  
Chief Pattern IAF



**Mr. Daniel Chuburu**  
Ambassador of Argentina



**Sh. Tuhin Kanta Pandey, IAS,**  
Secretary-Disinvestment  
Gov. of India



**Sh. Arun Goyal, IAS,**  
Former Secretary  
Gov. of India

The summit was attended by more than 300 delegates & participants from CPSEs, Corporates, MSME & Institutions & supported by NSE, SBI Caps, SBI, NALCO, GAIL, AICTE etc.

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# NATIONAL CSR SUMMIT & CSR TIMES AWARDS

September 18, 2019, New Delhi

# LET PEOPLE PLANET, PROFIT PREVAIL



**Sh. G Kishan Reddy**  
Minister of State for  
Home Affairs



**Sh. Veerendra Kumar**  
Member of Parliament  
(Rajya Sabha)



**Dr Anil Sahasrabudhe**  
Chairman, All India Council for  
Technical Education



**Sh. Sunil Shashtri**  
Sr. Leader &  
Chief Patron, IAF



**Ms Rekha Sharma**  
Chairperson, National  
Commission for Women



**H.E. Yogesh Punja**  
Ambassador of Fiji

Overall 40 Awards in 16 different categories were presented to winners viz., Oil India Ltd., Delhi Police, NALCO, SAIL, GAIL, SBI, Adani, IndusInd Bank, Wadia Hospital, Tech Mahindra, Spark Minda, Indsund Bank, Caresoft etc., in a day-long Summit.

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# NATIONAL SWACHHATA SUMMIT

February 19, 2019, New Delhi



**Shri Suresh Prabhu**  
Union Minister of Commerce & Industry and Civil Aviation



**Shri Hardeep Singh Puri**  
Union Minister of State (IC) for Housing and Urban Affairs



**Shri Sailesh**  
Secretary, Ministry of Minority Affairs



**H.E. Mr. Jagdishwar Goburdhun**  
High Commission of Mauritius



**Ms. Anju Bhalla**  
Jt. Secretary, Ministry of Science and Technology



**Ms. Stuti Kacker, IAS Retd.**  
Former Chairperson, NCPDR



**Mr. E.S Ranganathan,**  
CMD, Indrapastha Gas Limited



**Shri Ram Mohan Mishra,**  
Additional Secretary & Development, Commissioner, Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSME)

The event was illuminated with speeches, presentations and panel discussions on the topics. Few organisations, PSUs, Corporate were honored for their contribution in the Swachh Bharat programme and social development, Some of them are Sulabh International, ECIL, IGL, NALCO, Tata Motors, Bharat Forge Ltd., HPCL & Indusind Bank etc.

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# 48<sup>th</sup> INDIA INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS SUMMIT

June 14, 2019, New Delhi



**Pratap Chandra Sarangi**  
Minister of Parliamentary Affairs and Coal & Mines



**Prof. K. V. Thomas**  
Member of Parliament, & Former Union Minister



**Prof. Ashutosh Sharma**  
Secretary, Ministry of Science and Technology



**Surendra Nath Tripathi**  
Secretary, Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs



**Ram Mohan Mishra**  
Addl. Secretary & Development Commissioner of MSME



**H. E. Archil DZULIASHVILI**  
Ambassador of Georgia



**H.E. Mr. Desire KOUMBA**  
Ambassador of Gabon



**H. E. Mr. Yogesh PUNJA**  
High Commissioner of Fiji

**Key Highlights:**

- Exhibition Stalls
- Presentations by Corporate, MSMEs, Ambassadors etc.
- Panel Discussions
- Speeches
- Awards
- Networking and much more...

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# 46<sup>th</sup> NATIONAL SUMMIT ON STARTUPS & WOMEN ENTREPRENEURSHIP

December 3, 2018, New Delhi



**Dr. Subramanian Swamy**  
Member of Parliament,



**Sh. Manoj Tiwari**  
Member of Parliament,



**Ms Rekha Sharma**  
Chairperson, National  
Commission for Women



**Ms. Stuti Kacker**  
IAS Retd.,  
Former Chairperson, NCPCR



**Prof. Ashutosh Sharma**  
Secretary, Ministry of Science  
and Technology



**Dr Anil Sahasrabudhe**  
Chairman, All India Council for  
Technical Education



**Mr. Sanjeev Bikhchandani**  
Founder, naukari.com



**Mr. Ramanathan**  
Mission Director, Atal  
Innovation Mission, Yojna Ayog

## Panel discussions on:

- Role of Women in New India & Relevance of Startups & Innovation in Building the Nation.
- Presentation of Startup & Women Achievers Awards.
- More than 300 delegates from 150 companies.
- Presentations by Government agencies, Corporate & Startups

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# NATIONAL CSR SUMMIT & AWARDS

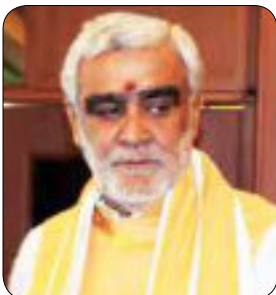
2 August 2018, New Delhi



**Sh. K.J. Alphons**  
Union Minister of State  
(IC) for Ministry of Tourism



**Sh. Suresh Prabhu**  
Union Minister of  
Comm. Industry & Civil Aviation



**Shri Ashwini Choubey**  
Minister of State,  
Health and Family Welfare



**Dr. Bhaskar Chatterjee**  
Former DG, IICA



**Padma Shri Dr. K.K. Aggarwal**



**Mr. Dusan Vukic**  
Deputy Ambassador of Serbia



**Mr. Prabhat Singh,**  
MD & CEO, Petronet LNG  
Limited



**Mr. Kamal Singh,**  
Executive Director, UN Global  
Compact Network India

More than 200 participants from various PSUs, Corporate, Foundations & NGOs were present at the event. Padma Bhushan Smt. Rajashree Birla was felicitated with Lifetime Achievement Award. Dr. Bhaskar Chatterjee, Former DG, IICA shared the key takeaways from the event.

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# NATIONAL SUMMITS

Indians are making considerable contributions and are dominating in their field of profession and creating wonders with their Midas touch. They have earned laurels and have achieved excellence; IAF is taking a step forward through its events in the direction of creating understanding spreading awareness thus leading to friendship and global partnerships.

- Since its inception in 2000, the IAF has organized more than hundreds of seminars, training workshops and B2B networking events.
- Trade related issues like, CSR, nation building, 'Make in India', trade & commerce, social issues, etc., have been touched upon in these events where participants from the corporate, industry, business, health, banking, real estate, education, and many other sectors have been enlightened.
- IAF seminars serve as a common platform for social activists, corporate houses, NGOs, environmentalists, etc. where they come and discuss issues of importance to the welfare of society, corporate social responsibility, and nation building initiatives.
- IAF has organized many events and seminars covering topics relating to economic, social, technological, environmental, geopolitical and legal aspects.
- IAF's events in India provide a platform to international business persons and investors to explore investment opportunities.
- IAF's events help to explain Indian Government's business plans to domestic and global entrepreneurs.





INTERNATIONAL



2013

DUBAI



2018

SINGAPORE

2011



2014

THAILAND

2008

2010



2016

2009

2012





# GLOBAL ACHIEVERS' CONCLAVE-LONDON (HOUSE OF LORDS & HOUSE OF COMMONS)

- Achievers' World has been organizing Global Achievers' Conclave in London (House of Lords) & House of Commons every year since 2012 in association with Non-Resident Indians (NRI) welfare society UK to recognize the Indian Diaspora.
- Ministers, Ambassadors, Corporate Heads and prominent personalities from many continents have been attending these events every year.
- The highlight of these events are B2B networking opportunities.
- NRIs took special interest in these events to understand the current and future business scenarios.
- To bring investment and technology in India.
- These events proved to be excellent networking platform for all the participants.
- Many new business tie-ups took place consequently among the business heads from IT, health, tourism, pharma, education and FMCG sectors.
- Hundreds of companies, institutions and individuals attend this event every year from across the globe.
- The most eminent achievers, who have made a place for themselves in their profession and are keeping flag of India high are honoured with the "Mahatma Gandhi Samman" & "Global Achievers' Award".





# USA-NEW YORK, CHICAGO

- Event “Destination USA” was organized in June 2016 in the Office of the Consulate General of India, Chicago and New York.
- The Event was organized in association with Indo-American Chamber of Commerce (IACC).
- This was a 4-days event in Chicago & New York which was attended by over 200 delegates from the US and India, including business heads of varied sectors like, FMCG, textiles, IT, finance, automobiles, food processing, health, venture capital etc.
- A round-table of discussions happened on the avenues of business opportunities for entrepreneurs in Chicago and New York
- The event was attended by many prominent personalities from USA and India, viz., Indian Consulate General, New York, Ms Reva Ganguly Das, Regional President, IACC, Sunder G. Advani, Chairman, Indo-American Global Chamber of Commerce, Norman Solovay, Raj Mukherjee, Mayor of New Jersey, USA.
- International Achievers’ Awards were also given to the following prominent Indian-Americans:
  - H.R. Shah, Chairman & CEO, TVAsia
  - Prem Bhandari, President, Jaipur Foot
  - Mridul Pathak, Co-Chairman, Indo-American Global Chamber of Commerce
  - Norman Solovay, Partner, The Solovay Practice
  - Ali Hirjee, Senior Vice President, Citibank
  - Rajeev Bhambri, COO, India Abroad
  - Govind Vanzani, President, Geo-Group Communications Inc.
  - Pradip Peter Kothari, President, Quick Travel Inc.





# INDIA RUSSIA BUSINESS DIALOGUE-MOSCOW

- Achievers' World has been leading the Indian Business delegation to Eurasian Economic Congress to Russia since 2016.
  - More than 500 delegates from India & CIS countries participate in this Congress every year.
  - Discussions held on various topics of mutual interests. Interaction happened between representatives of Russian federation and Indian business community to further their business interests.
  - Interaction held on various topics between people of Russian Federation and representatives of Indian businesses.
  - Success stories were shared on 'Brands Twenty-First Century'.
  - Discussions happened on how Russian-Indian brands have competitive advantage in domestic and foreign markets.
- The focus factors included :**
- Development of Indian-Russian trade relations.
  - Regulation of labour migration.
  - Ancient Indian medical science Ayurveda.
  - Pharmaceutical, Education & Tourism.



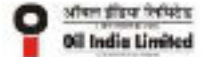




Esteemed Institutions, Organisation, Associate who participated and supported past summits



ARGENTINA



# PUBLICATION



An in-house publication of Indian Achievers' Forum, the Achievers' World is a well-established international business magazine widely acknowledged amongst diplomatic and corporate circles of India as well as globally particularly in South East Asia and African countries. The magazine covers global current scenario as well as economic diplomacy, business management, capacity building, trade, travel and tourism, etc. which could act as an ice-breaker for business communities and entrepreneurs from India to invest and explore such ventures globally. Achievers' World highlights success stories of leading business leaders across the globe in the areas of business, politics, arts & culture, sports, environment etc., publish their profiles with achievements, and give space to their brands in the magazine.



CSRTimes covers news, views, interviews, write-ups, facts and figures, interesting and thought provoking articles on the subject of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR). The idea behind this publication is to highlight the good work that Corporates and Individuals are doing for the upliftment and betterment of the society. CSRTimes also provides a much-needed platform for the corporates and individuals to highlight their contributions towards the welfare of society. Through CSRTimes, we provide nationwide coverage to CSR activities, reaching out to a robust readership to business owners, CMDs, Directors, CEOs, CSR heads and representatives, HR heads, social activists, from corporate houses, NGOs, public sector units, multinational companies, government departments, funding agencies etc., in almost every sectors.



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