

BUSINESS & CLIMATE

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Building partnerships towards a low carbon world
Emerging perspective for all business, all government, all people

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ABOUT BUSINESS AND CLIMATE SUMMIT

The Business & Climate Summit is the leading annual forum for businesses, investors and policymakers on climate action. It is where business and governments come together to agree on a roadmap for reaching net zero emissions over the next half century. BCS is held every year in different countries for building partnerships needed to accelerate the low carbon transition. BCS was launched in Paris in 2015, and held in London in 2016. The third edition will be held in New Delhi this year.

OBJECTIVES OF BCS

- Express business belief that accelerated reduction in GHG emissions to limit global warming to +2°C maximum is compatible with the pursuit of human, social and economic development, and their commitment to engage in this direction
- Increase awareness of international policy makers about the wealth of solutions developed by companies and the conditions for deployment of these solutions
- Debate and present the priority policies required to allow the accelerated deployment of these solutions in the world and ensure that climate change is taken into account in all policy decisions
- Showcase business leadership in addressing climate change, highlight how businesses can provide solutions to help governments achieve climate change objectives, and what they need from governments to scale up climate action

BUSINESS AND CLIMATE SUMMIT, NEW DELHI 2017

The third edition of BCS will be held in New Delhi, India on August 31 and September 1, 2017. Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI), India's apex business organisation, is the host of BCS 2017. BCS 2017 will convene business leaders, ministers and high ranking government officials, think-tanks, international agencies, and media from around the world to this important gathering.

BCS 2017 is supported by Ministry of Environment, Forest, and Climate Change (MoEFCC), Government of India, Ministry of New & Renewable Energy (MNRE), Government of India, and Government of Sweden. Partners of BCS 2017 include International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), Shakti foundation and We Mean Business (WMB) as Core Partners, EpE (France) as the Supporting Partner and AfeP (France), Cercle de l'Industrie, FIDIC, Global Compact France (GCF), The Climate Group (TCG) and World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) as Special Partners.



Day 1: Thursday, August 31, 2017

8:30 - 10:00 hrs	Registration
10:00 - 11:00 hrs	Inaugural Session
11:05 - 12:20 hrs	Plenary Session 1: Milestones to 2020, and Beyond under the Paris Agreement
12:25 - 13:40 hrs	Focus Sessions 1 A. Urban Environment & Cities: Built Environment and Spatial Planning B. Clean Energy: Collaborative Approaches for Energy Access and Energy Security
13:40 - 14:20 hrs	Lunch
14:20 - 15:35 hrs	Plenary Session 2: Mobilizing Private and Public Finance for Climate Action
15:40- 16:55 hrs	Focus Sessions 2 A. Creating a Market for Wastewater, Solid Waste and Sanitation B. Foregrounding Adaptation in Climate Change Action: Agriculture, Water, Forestry and Disaster Risk Reduction
16:55 - 18:10 hrs	Plenary Session 3: Innovation in Technology and Business Models for Mitigation
18:00 - 19:30 hrs	CEOs Roundtable (<i>by invitation</i>)
19:30 hrs onwards	Cocktail and Dinner (<i>by invitation</i>)

Day 2: Friday, September 1, 2017

10:00 - 11:15 hrs	Plenary Session 4: India's Policy and Business Climate for a Low Emissions Trajectory
11:20 - 12:35 hrs	Focus Sessions 3 A. Energy Efficiency: Creating a Market for Services and Products B. Risk Mitigation for Business Resilience
12:40 - 13:50 hrs	Plenary Session 5: Emerging Scenario for Carbon Markets
13:50 - 14:30 hrs	Lunch
14:30-15:45 hrs	Focus Sessions 4 A. Urban Environment & Cities: Urban Mobility B. The Green Leap: Jobs and Skills in Low Carbon Spaces
15:45 - 17:00 hrs	Concluding Plenary: Government Holds the Key: Business Brings the Solution
17:00 hrs onwards	High Tea

There are no tea breaks during the event. There will be arrangements for tea/coffee and refreshments inside the sessions.

A Journey from Paris.....

To London....

To New Delhi.....

TARGET AUDIENCE

The Business & Climate Summit would be attended by Ministers, Senior Government Officials, Business Leaders, International Agencies, Banks & Financial Institutions, Investors, Senior Business Executives and Media from different parts of the world.

HIGHLIGHTS OF BCS 2017

- A unique collaborative initiative of business networks representing companies from around the world
- High profile panel of speakers comprising CEOs, Ministers, High Ranking Government Officials, Heads of Institutions, and Business Heads
- Participation from more than 15 countries representing over 30 sectors of the economy
- Two days of high-level deliberations to voice messages from businesses, demonstrating current business actions around climate change, and emphasizing future vision for low carbon trajectory

BCS 2015, PARIS

On May 20-21, 2015, the first Business & Climate Summit brought international business leaders, policymakers and investors to UNESCO Headquarters in Paris, 200 days before COP21. The overarching theme of the first edition was Working together to build a better economy.

BCS 2016, LONDON

On June 28-29, 2016, BCS in London brought together leaders from business, government and finance to deliver real climate action. Building on the overwhelming success of 2015, which boasted some of the world's most influential CEOs and policymakers, the 2016 edition set out a roadmap for how business, in the short, medium and long term, can take advantage of a swift transition to the net zero carbon economy. The overarching theme was Words into Action-Implementing the Paris Agreement.



BCS 2015, UNESCO Headquarters, Paris, France



BCS 2016, Guildhall, London, UK



Incorporating climate concerns in business strategies is the only way to make profit in the future net zero economy. Businesses need to act now to turn this global challenge into an opportunity!

PANKAJ R. PATEL, President, FICCI & Chairman and Managing Director, Zydus Cadila – Cadila Healthcare Ltd



Climate change is a multiplier of vulnerability and crisis. So it is really at the center of the role of every government to address this issue and it is absolutely necessary to create a stable environment for the private sector and also people to be able to develop their potentialities. It is a really important fact that the Business and Climate Summit is taking place for the first time in a developing country, and not just any developing country, but India.

PATRICIA ESPINOSA, Executive Secretary, United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)



The right kind of economic growth is ongoing, inclusive, and sustainable. That means ensuring that our cities are those where people can breathe, move and be productive, that the energy that powers industries and homes comes from cleaner, cheaper sources, and that our natural assets can continue providing the resources and environmental services on which the well-being of present and future generations depends. The policy decisions we take today can secure this more sustainable growth path.

NAINA LAL KIDWAI, Chairman, Max Financial Services, Chair, BCS 2017 Steering Committee & Past President FICCI



Orienting the economy to protect the climate is now a historical trend that businesses and policy makers in all countries must resolutely shape together

BRICE LALONDE, President of the Business & Climate Summit



It is a moral imperative for us to be concerned about future generations and about the needs of the communities that we serve. Corporates need to lead the efforts in helping to address the world's biggest social and environmental challenges by deploying inclusive business models and innovative products and services that integrate sustainability principles in every aspect of their development.

MUKUND RAJAN, Chief Ethics Officer & Chairman, Tata Global Sustainability Council
Chairman, FICCI Environment Committee



In a time of increasing global uncertainty leading businesses are skillfully navigating the economic, technological and policy disruptions driven by the global response to climate change. Whether managing new forms of climate risk, developing new products and services to take advantage of new markets or attracting and retaining the best talent to a future-focused enterprise, climate-aware CEOs are continuing to innovate and create resilient profitable businesses fit for a for a low carbon world. The Business and Climate Summit is where business leaders to come together with legislators and government organizations to develop and highlight the economic opportunities that are possible through bold climate action.

NIGEL TOPPING, CEO, WeMeanBusiness

DELEGATE REGISTRATION

Package	Indian Delegates	Overseas Delegates	FICCI Corporate Members	FICCI Associate Members
Advance Registration* (Inclusive of both days)	INR 10,000	USD 200	INR 8,500	INR 9,000
On-spot Registration* (Inclusive of both days)	INR 15,000	USD 250	INR 12,750	INR 13,500

*Taxes extra @ 18% GST

**The registration fee includes Summit kit, lunch, refreshments, and excludes boarding, lodging and transport.

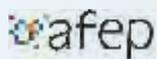
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