

General Information

The Indo-German Innovation Platform of the Hanseatic India Forum e.V. together with the Consulate General of India, Hamburg, cordially invites you to the 14th Hanseatic India Colloquium, which will take place on Wednesday, June 25, 2025, in Hamburg as part of India Week Hamburg.

The event on the topic "Indo German Dialogue on AI and its applications" is aimed at managers, decision-makers and scientists in the field of Artificial Intelligence who are interested in cooperation between Germany and India. Active research and innovation in all fields offer immense opportunities and this colloquium will provide a first-hand account.

Both India and Germany are working hard to get ahead in AI and its applications in the global competition. Effective collaboration is the only way that will prove to be a win-win situation for both countries. To promote such collaboration, the one-day colloquium will feature German and Indian experts from industry and academia. It will feature a series of presentations and a panel discussion, followed by adequate time for discussion.

Over the last ten years, the Hanseatic India Colloquium has served as a networking platform for various cross-border business and technology collaborations between India and Germany in various fields.

Chairpersons and Speaker

Dr. Saikat Adhikari, Kolkata, India
Dr. Svend Buhl, Hamburg, Germany
Hennig Fehrman, Hamburg, Germany
Soumya Gupta, Consul General of India, Hamburg
Dr. Doris Hillger, Hamburg, Germany
Kristjan Järvi, Republic of Estonia
Prof. Dr. Martin Leucker, Lübeck, Germany
Dr. Geetha Manjunath, Bangalore, India
Harish Mehta, Mumbai, India
Dr. Amal Mukhopadhyay, Hamburg, Germany
Chander Nagpal, Zurich, Switzerland
Arup J. Paul, Hamburg, Germany
Mahendran Reddy, Hamburg, Germany
Asmita Rao, Hamburg, Germany
Prashant Rao, Bangalore, India
Oliver Schacht, PhD, Hamburg, Germany
Disha Setlur, Munich, Germany
Matthias Steffen, Hamburg, Germany
Marina Tcharnatsky, Hamburg, Germany
Andrew Thombra, Hamburg, Germany

Venue

Consulate General of India
Kohlhöfen 21
20355 Hamburg, Germany

Organizers

Hanseatic India Forum e.V., Hamburg
AMIGEN Technology GmbH, Hamburg
ELGA Biotech, Hamburg

Registration

Dr. Amal Mukhopadhyay
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Registration is free of cost but mandatory
Registration closes on 23.06.2024
Agenda can be subject to change

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14h Hanseatic India Colloquium 2025

**Indo German Dialogue on AI
and its applications**

June 25th, 2025 · 10:00h - 17:00h

**Consulate General of India
Kohlhöfen 21, 20355 Hamburg, Germany**

Partners in the Organization



9:30h Registration

10:00h-10:30h Opening Session

Moderated by **Dr. Amal Mukhopadhyay**, CEO, Lorven Biologics Germany GmbH, Hamburg

Keynote Address

Soumya Gupta, Consul General of India, Hamburg, Germany

Words of Greetings

Oliver Schacht, PhD, Managing Director, Life Science Nord Management GmbH, Hamburg, Germany

10:30h-12:00h Plenary Session

Chair: Marina Tcharnatsky, Chief Business Development Officer and Ambassador of Artificial Intelligence Center Hamburg (ARIC), Germany

The Maverick Effect – The Growth Story of India in the Last Few Decades

Harish Mehta, Co-Founder and Ex-Chairman, NASSCOM, Mumbai, India

The Northern Germany's AI Med Ecosystem: Collaborating to Build AI-Driven Medical Solutions

Prof. Dr. Martin Leucker, Institute for Software Engineering and Programming Languages, University of Lubeck, Germany

Sentient' Enterprises: India–Germany as Dual Engines of the AI-Native Future (Plenar)*

Chander Nagpal, Enabling Excellence, Zurich, Switzerland/Delhi, India

12:00h-13:00h Panel Discussion

Indo-German Partnership: A Win-Win situation for AI research?

Participants:

Dr. Svend Buhl, Head of Government Affairs Germany, Chief Global Government Affairs Board, NXP Semiconductors, Hamburg, Germany

Dr. Doris Hillger, Head of Foreign Trade, Chamber of Commerce Hamburg, Germany

Harish Mehta, Co-Founder and Ex-Chairman, NASSCOM, Mumbai, India

Mahendran Reddy, Senior Vice President Global Ecosystems, Fehrman Tech Group, Hamburg, Germany

Disha Setlur, Product Manager, Technical University Munich, Germany

13:00h-14:00h LUNCHBREAK

14:00h-15:30h Industrial Application of AI

Chair: Chander Nagpal, Enabling Excellence, Zurich, Switzerland/Delhi, India

India's Deep Tech Momentum: A Bengaluru–Hamburg Perspective

Prashant Rao, Head of Application Engineering, MathWorks India, Bangalore, India

When FMCG Goes Intelligent

Asmita Rao, Project Lead for Innovation Software, Beiersdorf Shared Services GmbH, Hamburg, Germany

From Research to Robots: Building AI Solutions for the Real World

Andrew Thombra, CTO/ Co Founder, Ant Robotics GmbH, Hamburg, Germany

Building Next-Gen AI Agents: Strategies and Innovation for Business Success

Dr. Saikat Adhikari, Chief Scientist, DREaD Co-Innovation Network Foundation, Kolkata, India

Art and Artificial Intelligence

Arup J. Paul, CEO, Amigen Technology GmbH, Hamburg, Germany and

Kristjan Järvi, Conductor, Producer and Composer, Sunbeam Productions & Estoniia MUSE, Republic of Estonia

15:30h-16:00h COFFEE- / TEABREAK

16:00h-17:00h AI and Healthcare Solutions

Chair: Dr. Amal Mukhopadhyay, CEO, Lorven Biologics Germany GmbH, Hamburg, Germany

Breast Cancer Screening: Application of AI

Dr. Geetha Manjunath, CEO Niramai Health Analytix, Bangalore, India

AI based detection of Prostate Cancer

Matthias Steffen, CEO Fuse AI GmbH, Hamburg, Germany

17:00h Concluding Remarks

Arup J. Paul, CEO, Amigen Technology GmbH, Hamburg, Germany