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PROGRAMME

(with invited and confirmed speakers)

Kindly Note: All Timings mentioned are in Indian Standard Time (GMT + 5:30 hours)

(As on 28 October 2020)

1430-1600 hrs	<p>Inaugural Session</p> <p><i>The Nordic-Baltic region of 8 nations is an innovation and technological powerhouse, while India, with its increasingly strong focus on technology, apart from trade and tourism, offers immense opportunities for partnerships to co-develop and test new technologies for strengthening competitiveness and sustainability of businesses, cities and society at large. A strategic and sustained partnership between India and the Nordic-Baltic region, particularly in a post-Covid world, can help spur innovations, economic growth, sustainable solutions and mutually beneficial trade and investments.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• H E Dr S Jaishankar, Minister for External Affairs, India• H E Mr Ville Skinnari, Minister for Development Cooperation and Foreign Trade, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Finland• H.E. Mr. Edgars Rinkevics, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Latvia• H E Ms Thordis Kolbrun Reykfyrd Gylfadottir, Minister of Tourism, Industries and Innovation, Iceland• H.E. Mr Urmas Reinsalu, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Estonia• H.E. Mr. Anders Ygeman, Minister for Energy and Digital Development, Ministry of Infrastructure, Sweden• Mr Uday Kotak, President, CII• Mr Chandrajit Banerjee, Director General, CII• Mr Marcus Wallenberg, Chairman, SEB and Saab, Sweden
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1600-1700 hrs	<p data-bbox="384 152 1222 188">Session 1: Renewable Energy and Clean Technologies</p> <p data-bbox="384 226 1471 394"><i>The Nordic-Baltic region ranks at the top globally for using and promoting clean technologies and environmental solutions, among others. These are also priority areas for India. At the India-Nordic Summit, both sides had agreed to continue efforts to develop renewable energy and fuels, cleaner energy systems, increased energy efficiency and technologies for cleaner energy production.</i></p> <p data-bbox="384 432 1471 663"><i>India represents a key market for clean technology companies as it is investing heavily in this sector, particularly in renewable energy. India's surging demand for clean power to strengthen energy security and reduce pollution, as well as ongoing sector reforms, is making India one of the most attractive destinations for environment friendly investments. Where are the greatest opportunities for collaboration and what are the challenges to increasing investments in India? How can greater collaboration be encouraged?</i></p> <ul data-bbox="432 701 1471 1301" style="list-style-type: none"><li data-bbox="432 701 1471 763">• Mr Ganesh Srinivasan, Co-Chairman, CII National Committee on Future Mobility and Battery Storage; CEO, Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited<li data-bbox="432 801 1471 837">• Mr Ingólfur Gudmundsson, CEO, Carbon Recycling International, Iceland<li data-bbox="432 875 1471 911">• Mr Jarno Kivinen, CEO, Greenlux, Finland<li data-bbox="432 949 1471 985">• Ms Arati Davis, Vice President, Sweden India Business Council<li data-bbox="432 1023 1471 1086">• Mr Osten Ekengren, Executive Vice President, IVL-Swedish Environmental Research Institute<li data-bbox="432 1124 1471 1187">• Mr. Jon Dugstad, Director- Wind and Solar, Norwegian Energy Partners (Norwep), Norway<li data-bbox="432 1225 1471 1261">• Institute of Solid State Physics, University of Latvia<li data-bbox="432 1299 1471 1335">• Mr Taavi Madiberk, Skeleton Technologies, Estonia
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1700-1800 hrs	<p>Session 2: Factories of the Future</p> <p><i>The rise of new digital industrial technology, or Industry 4.0, is a transformation that makes it possible to gather and analyze data across machines, enabling faster, more flexible, and more efficient processes to produce higher-quality goods at reduced costs. This manufacturing revolution will increase productivity, shift economics, foster industrial growth, and modify the profile of the workforce—ultimately changing the competitiveness of companies and regions.</i></p> <p><i>With many companies in the Nordic-Baltic region already investing in rolling out digital solutions, this session will explore where India and the region are in their journey towards Smart Factories, the issues they face and where the collaborative opportunities lie.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr Sunjay Kapur, Co-Chairman, CII Manufacturing Council; Chairman & MD, Sona Comstar, India• Mr Arni Oddur Thordarson, CEO, Marel, Iceland• Mr Kamal Bali, President & Managing Director, Volvo Group India, Sweden• Mr. Esben Hallundbæk Østergaard, CEO, REInvest Robotics- Next Gen Robotics, Denmark• Mr Johannes Mossov, Alive Tech, Estonia• Riga Technical University, Latvia• *Mr Veli-Matti Mattila, CEO, Elisa, Finland
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1800-1900 hrs

Session 3: Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Blockchain

AI has the potential to transform several industries and processes in ways that could simultaneously make them more efficient and effective, especially when combined with Blockchain, whether healthcare, supply chain and logistics and fintech.

Session 3A: Healthcare

From diagnostics to population health, hospital operations to clinical informatics, machine learning promises to make significant impacts throughout healthcare.

- **Mr Arvind Sivaramakrishnan**, Group CIO, Apollo Hospitals, India
- **Mr. David Thorisson**, Chief Executive Officer, Leviosa, Iceland
- **Mr. Bjørn Klem**, Managing Director, Oslo Cancer Cluster Incubator, Norway
- **Mr Vytautas Naujalis**, Business Development Manager, OXIPIT, Lithuania
- **Mr Christian Guttman**, VP, Global Head of AI and Data, TietoEvry Sweden
- **Mr Jukka Tapaninen**, CEO, Aiforia, Finland

Session 3B: Supply Chain and Logistics

AI also plays a key role in global supply chains in managing assets and facilities in the most cost-efficient way. The use of AI-based predictive analytics can help transportation and logistics services providers optimize route planning and delivery schedules.

- **Mr Ravi Viswanathan**, CEO and Joint Managing Director, TVS Supply Chain Solutions, India
- **Ms. Adalheidur Palmadottir**, Business Development Director, Controlant, Iceland
- **Mr Fredrik Heintz**, President, Swedish AI Society, Sweden
- **Mr Peter Sarlin**, CEO, Silo.ai, Finland
- **Mr Torben Funder-Kristensen**, Head of Public and Industry Affairs, Danfoss, Denmark

Session 3C: Fintech

AI has revolutionized the finance industry. Not only does it improve the precision level in the industry, it also enhances customer engagement. Financial services providers are making efforts to adopt AI for mundane task automation, consistent customer services, and deep dive behaviour analysis.

How are AI-related innovations transforming key industries, especially in these times of the Covid-pandemic, and where do collaborative opportunities lie? How can some of the challenges, especially those related to skilling and re-skilling, be tackled to take full advantage of AI and its benefits?

- **Mr Alan Mamedi**, CEO, Truecaller, Sweden

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr Mike Gault, CEO, Guardtime, Estonia• Mr Thomas Krogh Jensen, CEO, Copenhagen Fintech, Denmark• Mr Dovilė Arlauskaitė, Project Manager, Bank of Lithuania |
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1845-1945 hrs	<p>Session 4A: Data and Cyber Security</p> <p><i>Data is said to be the most valuable asset in the digital economy. With the introduction of the Personal Data Protection Bill 2019, India aims to adopt an ambitious set of rules to deal with the circulation and protection of data, both private and business related. Also, as more stakeholders - from governments and businesses to citizens and customers - move online, billions of devices and humans get increasingly inter-connected and cyber threats increase in frequency, complexity, severity and impact. It is expected that the annual cost of cyberattacks will reach \$6 trillion by 2021.</i></p> <p><i>What are some of the trends in data protection, threats and opportunities of new technologies that will shape cybersecurity in the near future and the emerging models of public-private partnerships?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Sundeep Oberoi, Global Head - Cyber Security, Tata Consultancy Services (TCS), India • Dr Sanjay Bahl, Director General, Indian Computer Emergency Response Team (CERT-In), India • Mr. Eyjolfur Magnus Kristinsson, CEO, Advania Data Centers, Iceland • Dr Dan Bogdanov, Head of the Department of Information Security Systems, Cybernetica AS, Estonia • Dr. Vilius Benetis, Director, NRD Cyber Security, Lithuania
1845-1945 hrs	<p>Session 4B: Digital infrastructure</p> <p><i>The fifth generation (5G) of wireless technology has the potential to transform the competitiveness and sustainability of a wide range of industries, services and society in areas like intelligent traffic systems and connected vehicles, smart and sustainable energy grids and connected health services facilitating healthcare innovation. It is estimated that the total economic impact from 5G in India can exceed \$1 trillion by 2035.</i></p> <p><i>To fully exploit emerging 5G networks and remain competitive while addressing security concerns, what collaborative approaches can be taken towards new players, technologies and business models?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Pravir Kumar, CEO, Reliance Jio, India • Mr Ulf Pehrsson, Vice President and Head of Government and Industry Relations, Ericsson, Sweden • Prof Matti Latva-Aho, Director of 6G Flagship, Centre for Wireless Communications, University of Oulu, Finland • Mr Janek Gridin, Founder, Bytelife Solutions, Estonia • *Dr Anand Agarwal, Group CEO, Sterlite Technologies Ltd • Latvian Mobile Telephone (LMT), Latvia

1845-1945 hrs	<p>Session 4C: Digital Gaming</p> <p><i>The continued focus of the Indian Government on improving the digital infrastructure has unlocked opportunities for entrepreneurs across digital industries like payments, content and gaming. With one of the largest user bases globally for digital gaming, India has become an important market for both local and international companies.</i></p> <p><i>As the industry continues to evolve, what would its impact on India's economy be not just in terms of revenue growth but also the growth of ancillary industries (like payments) and increased job creation, and how can the Nordic-Baltic industry take advantage of this rapidly growing market?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Rajan Navani, Vice Chairman and Managing Director, Jetline Group of Companies, India • Mr Eugenijus Stratilatovas, Co-founder Nieko Play, Lithuania • Mr Akshat Rathee, Managing Director and Co-Founder, Nodwin Gaming, India • Mr Juhani Honkala, CEO, Hatch Entertainment, Finland • Ms Kati Levoranta, CEO, Rovio, Finland • CCP / Representative from Icelandic Gaming Industry (IGI)
1930-2015 hrs	<p>Session 5A: Engineering and Innovation</p> <p><i>Innovations in engineering are taking place not only in traditional sectors such as manufacturing, energy, construction, transport but also in newer areas like renewables, sustainability, new materials etc. What are some of the engineering innovations that could achieve scale in India?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr S Anantha Sayana, Chief Digital Officer, Larsen & Toubro Limited • Mr Viljar Lubi, Deputy Minister of Economic Affairs and Infrastructure, Estonia • Mr Mats Rahmström, President & CEO, Atlas Copco, Sweden • Mr Mads Nipper, CEO, Grundfos, Denmark • Dr Nalin Shinghal, Chairman & Managing Director, Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited, India • Latvian Space Industry Association, Latvia

1930-2015 hrs	<p>Session 5B: The Blue Economy</p> <p><i>The growth and development of the ocean economy holds great potential for the overall growth, development and job creation of the countries. Several conventional and new areas in the marine sector, such as blue energy, aquaculture, marine tourism, blue biotechnology, ports, shipping including ship design, among others, are now the focus of innovation and sustainability. How can India and the region collaborate to ensure sustainable growth of the oceans through shared innovations?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Ratan P Watal, Member Secretary, Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister, India • Mr Karan Adani, CEO, Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone Ltd, India • Mr Thor Sigfusson, Chairman and Founder, Iceland Ocean Cluster, Iceland • Mr Mattias von Brömssen, Global Division Unit Manager, Water Resources, Ramböll Water, Sweden • Ms Anne Steffensen, Managing Director, Danish Shipping, Denmark • Ms. Pia Meling, Vice President, Sales & Marketing, Massterly AS, Norway
2015 hrs	Close of the Conclave

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