



QCFI Vadodara Chapter

FIRST DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION CONVENTION-2026

**Theme: Digitize To Survive
Innovate To Thrive**



DATE: 6th MARCH 2026

VENUE:

**Hotel Grand Mercure (Surya Palace),
Opp. Parsi Agiyari, Sayajigunj,
Vadodara, Gujarat**

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OBJECTIVE

To create a platform for our industry associates to act on the massive change which has taken over the world with supersonic speed (industry 4.0/5.0). It is to usher in a new and different era, much of which is unknown to us. Our focus is on the "**Art of possible**". More than knowledge sharing, it is about tightening the belt and start acting before it is too late.

Organizations will have to overcome the challenges:

1. Resistance to change and lack of digital awareness of the required level.
2. Data overload and inadequate data management.
3. Cyber security, privacy and compliance risks.
4. Digital skill gap and talent shortage.

CONVENTION HIGHLIGHTS

Keynote session by renowned industry thought leader.

TOPIC:

Digital Transformation: Global Trends and Disruption via AI (Gen AI).

Focus on disruptions from AI and Gen AI, trends, opportunities and Challenges.

Panel discussions by eminent industry leaders on the latest trends and challenges:

TOPICS:

Smart Factories: Leveraging IoT, AI & Automation for Operational Excellence.

AI application in safety and environment.

Key Points:

Predictive Maintenance, digital twins, robotics, dark Factories and workplace: upskilling, Industry 4.0

FIRESIDE CHAT

TOPIC:

Cyber security, Ethical AI and Data Governance in the Age of Connected Factories.
Emerging Tech nuggets/showcase.

SHORT DEMOS:

Augmented Reality/Virtual Reality, Digital twins, Robotics, Applications of AI and Robotics, blockchain, Gen AI experiences.

CLOSING NOTE:

What's next in digital disruptions - Summing Up & key Takeaways.



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Case studies and success stories from industry pioneers.

We invite industry experts and professionals to share their used cases in digital transformation, and real-life success stories and also the stories of their journey, showcasing the innovative ways they have leveraged technology to enhance operational efficiency, improve customer experiences, drive business growth, and foster sustainability and innovation.

Participation

We request the organizations to send their teams to present their case stories. The team will consist of 2 or more members. Time limit for presentations is 15 minutes. There will be no evaluation of presentations but our esteemed panelists may ask questions related to

- Level of innovation and creativity,
- Application in real life work scenario,
- Integration level in digital technology,
- Optimization of quality/productivity,
- Realtime monitoring systems for sustainability.

We also welcome delegates from organizations to participate and learn from the deliberations.

We offer total freedom to organizations to present their cases/stories in the way they consider best. No guidelines.

Participation Fees:

	Participants	Fee Rs.	GST @ 18%	Total Amount
Fees for case Study Presentation	2	Rs. 10,500/-	Rs. 1,890/-	Rs. 12,390/-
Fees for Delegate	1	Rs. 4,500/-	Rs. 810/-	Rs. 5,310/-

We provide breakfast, lunch and tea to all delegates and also return gifts.

RECOGNITION AND AWARDS

**All participating teams will be awarded trophies to recognize their participation.
All delegates will be given certificates.**



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OUR DISTINGUISHED GUEST SPEAKERS AND PANEL MEMBERS

DEBASHISH ROY



Chief Digital Transformation Officer. AI-First Strategy | Driving Digital, Data & Automation for Scalable, Explainable, and Sustainable Business Growth Debashish Roy is a growth driven transformation leader with nearly two decades of experience helping organisations turn disruption into growth. As Chief Digital Transformation Officer at CEAT Ltd., he is driving the company's next chapter, embedding AI, data, and automation at the heart of its strategy to deliver faster, smarter, and sustainable business transformation.

NILEEMA SHARMA

Currently serving as AI and Digital Officer at Wadhvani Foundation and closely working with Ministry of Labour and Employment, leveraging over 18 years of experience in digital transformation and technological innovation. These roles involve strategising AI roadmap and implementing AI-driven solutions that align with Ministry's goals, focusing on modernizing digital ecosystems and fostering impactful change for citizens of India. Past experience as Deputy Head Digital at Cairn Oil and Gas further underscores expertise in deploying cutting-edge AI and machine learning technologies to enhance operational efficiency. Dedicated to empowering teams through strategic planning and innovative frameworks, with a mission to drive scalable, sustainable transformation across sectors.



MADHUR RAJ



Madhur Raj is a senior technology leader, currently Head of IT in a multinational corporation. He comes with 21+ years of experience in Technology consulting, Data Architecture and IT Product & Service delivery. He had earlier worked with SAP LAB in Bangalore, and IBM in UK and USA.

RAJESH MANDAN

Vice President at Schaeffler India Lt

He has experience of over 30+ years in the bearing industry. He is Specialist in Business Development, Understanding business processes, Project & Program Management, P & L , Cost saving initiatives , TPM , Lean Manufacturing, TQM , QC , Organizational Excellence



Dr. PRASIDDH TRIVEDI



Dr. Prasiddh Trivedi Assistant Professor and Program Coordinator for Electrical Engineering at Gati Shakti Vishwavidyalaya, a Central University under the Ministry of Railways. Faculty-in-charge of IT Infrastructure, overseeing IT Systems of the Campus. Ph.D. in Systems and Control Engineering from IIT Bombay (2016). M.Tech. in Electrical Engineering (Control Systems) from IIT BHU and B.E. in Electrical Engineering from South Gujarat University.

Dr. VRAJESH SHAH

Dr. Vrajesh Shah is a distinguished Robotic Joint Replacement Surgeon and Managing Director at VIROC Hospital, with over two decades of surgical excellence, pioneering robotic knee and hip arthroplasty in India.

