

6th edition

# Pre-Connect Congress

**27 November 2023** Le Meridien, New Delhi

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Leading
Indian
pharma to
global
leadership





India, considered as pharmacy of the world, is the largest provider of generic drugs globally. It ranks 3rd in terms of pharmaceutical production by volume and 14th by value. It accounts for 20% of worldwide supply by volume and nearly 60% worldwide vaccination demand.

Medicine spending in India and around the world is projected to grow in coming years allowing Indian organizations to lead the sector and achieve a global leadership position. This will require a paradigm shift in the business model under which the industry operates. The industry needs to create models and initiatives to expand manufacturing capacity, invest in innovative technologies, focus on research and development, and distribute and export infrastructure.

The CPHI Pre-Connect Congress is curated to address critical discussions on the theme India as Global Leader in the pharma space. Decision-makers from industry associations, manufacturers, R&D organizations, clinical research organizations and other key stakeholders under one roof to discuss the road ahead. The program will discuss smart manufacturing for all, innovation required in pharma R&D, how to go up in the innovation curve, attracting the required skill set, and much more.



### **Program Focus**

- a. Automating complex operations across value chain to lower cost and enhance competitiveness
- b. Indigenous drug discovery and way ahead
- c. Innovation in pharma research and development
- d. Trends reshaping pharma supply chain in India
- e. Enhancing pharma export and distribution

### **Who will Attend**

#### **INDUSTRIES**



**Pharmaceuticals** 



**Bio-Pharmaceuticals** 



**Biotech** 



**Life Sciences** 



Contract Manufacturing Organization (CMO's)



Clinical Research Organisations (CROs)



Contract Research & Manufacturing Services (CRAMS)

#### **DESIGNATION**

- CEO's and MD
- Vice Presidents
- Associate Vice Presidents
- Directors
- Associate Directors
- HOD
- Deputy General Manager
- General Manager
- Senior Managers
- Managers
- Assistant Managers
- Senior Executives

#### **DEPARTMENTS**

- Bio-analytical, Bio-similars, Biotech
- Clinical research
- Manufacturing
- Regulatory
- Quality Assurance
- Quality Control
- Production
- R&D
- Commercials/ Marketing

### **Speakers**



Dr. Shubhadeep Sinha Senior Vice-President - Clinical Development, & Medical Affairs Hetero Labs Limited



Yugal Sikri Managing Director RPG Life science



Manish Kishore Global Head IT Wockhardt Ltd



Goutam Bhattacharya CEO Life Sciences Sector Skill Development Council



Ram Kumar Senior Director Manufacturing Science and Technology Group (MSTG) Cipla



Narendra K Saini CDO | Chief Digital & Data Officer



Sanjay Sharma Senior Vice President & Head Manufacturing Science and Technology Zydus Group



Neeta Jha Director QO APAC External Manufacturing Johnson & Johnson



Sudhir Saxena General Manager Operational Excellence Sun Pharma



Dr. Govind S. Pandey Director Kopran Ltd



Amit Aggarwal General manager Mankind Pharma Limited



Dr. Lokesh Gupta Associate Director Teva Pharmaceuticals



Bakkiyaraj G Head – QC Chemistry Zydus Hospira Oncology Pvt. Ltd



# **Past Glimpses**















# Conference Agenda

#### 27th November 2023

09:00

Registration

10:00-10:15

Welcome address and inauguration



#### 10:15 - 11:15

Opening Panel Discussion: Pharma 4.0: Adapting digital transformation and process automation to the ever-demanding pharma market in India

- Application of digital transformation in reducing time and increase profitability
- The use of process automation in filling the gap of lack of skilled labour
- Going digital with regulations and compliance



#### Moderator

**Dr. Shubhadeep Sinha**, Senior Vice- President - Clinical Development, & Medical Affairs, Hetero Labs Limited

#### **Panel Members**

Yugal Sikri, Managing Director, RPG Life science

Goutam Bhattacharya, CEO, Life Sciences Sector Skill Development Council

Ram Kumar, Senior Director Manufacturing Science and Technology Group (MSTG), Cipla

Narendra K Saini, CDO | Chief Digital & Data Officer, Lupin

#### 11:15 -11:45

#### **NETWORKING BREAK**



11:45 - 12:15

New Age clinical trials - Decentralised clinical trials & patient centricities



**Dr. Shubhadeep Sinha**, Senior Vice- President - Clinical Development, & Medical Affairs, Hetero Labs Limited

#### 12:15 - 13:15

Panel Discussion - Quality vs Cost vs Compliance: Managing the balance between the three



- Understanding how to manage all three without wasting time and money
- Keeping up with the regulatory changes in the Indian pharma industry
- How to remain affordable for the end user

#### **Moderator**

Sanjay Sharma, Senior Vice President & Head Manufacturing Science and Technology, Zydus Group

#### **Panel Members**

Narendra K Saini, CDO | Chief Digital & Data Officer, Lupin

**Neeta Jha**, Director QO APAC External Manufacturing, Johnson & Johnson **Sudhir Saxena**, General Manager Operational Excellence, Sun Pharma



13:15 - 14:15

**LUNCH & NETWORKING BREAK** 

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#### 27th November 2023

14:15 – 14:45 Skill gap and lack of skilled labour in the Indian Pharma sector



Goutam Bhattacharya, CEO, Life Sciences Sector Skill Development Council LSSSDC

#### 14:45 – 15:45 Panel Discussion: Speed, Scale, and Efficiency- Driving additional value from manufacturing



- Steps to reduce operational time and cost
- Improve manufacturing process efficiency to increase speed-to-market
- Which processes to outsource to make efficiencies

#### **Moderator**

Sanjay Sharma, Senior Vice President & Head Manufacturing Science and Technology, Zydus Group

#### **Panel Members**

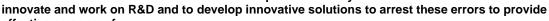
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15:45 – 16:15 Reactive to solution:- To seek various service providers/analytical instrument manufactures to



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Bakkiyaraj G, Head - QC Chemistry, Zydus Hospira Oncology Pvt. Ltd

16:15 - 16:20 Concluding remarks

**End of conference** 



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