

Industry–Institution Summit on “Securing the Digital Future”
on 8-9th Dec 2025

Date & Time	08 th December 2025	
Venue:	MGR Auditorium	K.S. Moorthy Hall
8.30 am to 9.30 am	Registration	
9.30 am to 10.30 am	Inaugural Function CG: Dr. C. Sylendra Babu, Former DGP, Tamilnadu GH: Prasanna Bharathi	----
10.30 am to 11.15 am	Keynote Address: Securing the Digital Future: A Policing Perspective on Cyber Threats & Enforcement - Dr. C. Sylendra Babu, Former DGP, Tamilnadu	----
11.15 am	Tea Break	
11.30 am to 12.30 am	Panel Discussion-1 : The Cybersecurity Paradox: Convenience vs. Security 1. Ms Kavitha Ayappan, CISO & VP, Neurealm 2. Mr Aravind, AGM -- Head of Cyber Security, Expleo Group 3. Mr Gerald Victor, CISO, Sight Spectrum 4. Ms Kavitha Karuhakaran, Cyber Security Head, Staples 5. Ms Vimalashree, Leader - Cyber Security, Poshmark 6. Dr. Thangakumar J, Associate Dean CS (Moderator)	Review of Project Idea Project Expo / Pitch Your Idea (1 -75 Registrations)
12.30 am to 1.30 pm	Panel Discussion-2: AI in Cyber Defense: The Rise of Autonomous Security Systems 1. Dr Saravanan Velrajan, Principal Consulatatant, Ginkos 2. Dr Shiju Rawther,CEO,SBI Mutual fund 3. Mr Ramu Para,HTC Global Services,HTC Global Services 4. Mr Gokulavan Jeyaraman,CISO,Mahindra and Mahindra 5. Mr Gowthaman Jyothilingam,CISO, Latent View 6. Mr Viqaruddin Surki, Delivery Head, IBM (Moderator)	
1.30 pm	Lunch Break	
2.30 pm to 3.30 pm	Panel Discussion-3: Human Firewall: The Psychology of Cybersecurity 1. Mr Prabhakar,CISO,TnQ Technologies 2. Ms Ashwini Priyanka Rajendran,Founder and CEO, Cyber Security Expert, ASSR Emphorium 3. Mr Shrijith,Software Consulting Engineer ,CISCO Systems 4. Mr Vinod Senthil,Founder and CEO,InfySeC 5. Ms Kanya,Technical lead,TechMahindra 6. Dr. P. Mohan Prof & Head (DISC), HITS (Moderator)	Review of Project Idea Project Expo / Pitch Your Idea (76-150 Registrations)
3.30 pm to 4.30 pm	Panel Discussion-4: The Future of Cyber Law and Digital Ethics 1. Santhosh Jayaprakash — Founder & CEO, Unosecur 2. Pranav Dalal — Chief Information Officer, Veeda Lifesciences 3. Sheeba Hasnain — Chief Information Officer, Sentiente 4. Nisha Rani — Chief Information Security Officer, MMI ELR 5. Anil Kumar Gujja — CIO, Pragati Finserv 6. Mr. P. Jayaseelan, Head (CS), HCAS	

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9.00 am to 10.00 am	Keynote Address:	
10.00 am to 11.00 am	Panel Discussion-5: Cybersecurity in the Age of Blockchain and Web3 1. Diptesh Patel, Chief Digital & Information Officer, Cadila Pharmaceuticals Limited 2. Rohit Mittal — Director Market Planning, Financial Crime Compliance, LexisNexis Risk Solutions 3. Vimal Rupera — Associate Vice President IT, Fuji Silvertch Concrete Private Limited 4. Vikas Jagga — Chief Executive Officer, SBI GIFT City 5. Yogesh Lokhande — Co-Founder & CTO, PayGlocal Technologies 6. Dr. M. Krishnamurthy, Professor (CSE), KCG College Tech (Moderator)	Review of Project Idea Project Expo / Pitch Your Idea (151-225 Registrations)
11.00 am to 11.15 am	Tea Break	
11.15 am to 12.15 am	Panel Discussion-6 : Protecting Critical Infrastructure: The Next Cyber Battleground 1. Manish Chandegara — CIO, Simpolo Ceramics 2. Pankaj Shrivastava — Chief Information Officer, InoxCVA 3. Anup Tongaonkar — Group CISO, Aditya Birla 4. Sunil Nishanakar — CISO, Future Generali India Life 5. Gopi Thangavel —Chief Information Officer, L&T 6. Ms. Savitha KV, Head (CSE), Hindustan Collge, Mysore	
12.15 am to 01.15 pm	Panel Discussion-7: Digital Sovereignty: Securing Data in a Borderless World 1. Balu Arumugam, Global Cybersecurity & Identity Executive, CVS Health (Fortune 5) 2. Bala Murugan, Sr. Delivery Manager, L&T 3. Malathi R, Senior Enterprise Architect, Impetus Technologies 4. Dr. Augustus Devarajan, Product Manager, Real Time Core 5. Dr. Ramesh A, Senior Architect, IBM, Bangalore 6. Dr. SudalaiMuthu T, CISO, Prof & Head (CSE), HITS (Moderator)	Review of Project Idea Project Expo / Pitch Your Idea (225-250 Registrations)
01.15 pm to 02.15 pm	Lunch Break	
2.15 pm to 3.00 pm	Keynote Address : “Driving Growth with Purpose: Aligning Technology and Sustainability” Dr R Rajkumar, IET Chennai LN	Review of Project Idea Project Expo / Pitch Your Idea (251-300 Registrations)
3.00 pm to 4.00 pm	Valedictory Function CG: Mr Hari Ramasubramanian, IBM GH: Dr R Rajkumar, IET Chennai LN Distribution of Internships Offer Letters	----