

# **Tentative Agenda**

**Conference Theme** 

"Indian steel: Innovating Solutions for Smarter & Sustainable Future"

Day 1: September 27, 2023

9:30-10:30 hours: Registration

10:30-11:45 HOURS

### Session 1: Indian steel: poised for a quantum leap

- What's in store for the steel sector in near future?
- What's in store for the steel sector in the next decade?

#### Welcome Address:

Vinaya Varma, MD & CEO, mjunction services limited

#### **Keynote Address:**

Nagendranath Sinha, IAS, Secretary, Ministry of Steel, Government of India

### Special Address:

Amarendu Prakash, Chairman, SAIL
T V Narendran, CEO & MD, Tata Steel
Bimlendra Jha, MD, JSP
Dilip Oommen, CEO, AM/NS India
Edwin Bason, Director General, World Steel Association (WSA)

Q&A

11:45-12:00 HOURS

# Session 2: Indian steel: Current demand-supply dynamics & end user expectations

- What are the demand drivers & how is the supply chain working?
- What are the challenges faced by end users in procuring steel & possible solutions?

#### Session chairman:

Ruchika Chaudhry Govil, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Steel

V S Chakravarthy, Director (Commercial), SAIL



Prabhat Kumar, Vice President, Marketing & Sales, Tata Steel

Or

Ashish Anupam, MD, Tata Steel Long Products Ltd

**Vinay Shroff,** CMO, JSW Steel GMR HeroMotoCorp

Lunch break & Networking: 13:15-14:00 hours

14:00-15:15 HOURS

## Session 3: Technology, digital solutions for enhancing efficiency in steel ecosystem

- What are the technology solutions required to enhance efficiency in supply chain?
- How digitalization is revolutionizing steel availability to the last mile?

#### Session chairman:

Madhur Chaturvedi, MD (e-commerce), Vedanta Ltd
Gaurav Sachdeva, CEO, JSW One
Akshaya Gujral, Chief of Sales, Steering & Distribution, AM/NS India
Tata Steel Ashiyana
Nikhil Chaturvedi, Chief Digital Officer, JSW Group
Sachin Punyani, Business Development and Solutions Lead, Deep Tech, India and South Asia,
Amazon Internet Services Pvt Ltd
mjunction services limited

Q&A

15:15-16:30 HOURS

### Session 4: Sustainability via scrap, green steel: challenges & way forward

- How to increase scrap availability in India as a first step to net zero?
- How energy efficient, low carbon technologies will help steel makers churn out green steel & make the industry cost effective & competitive?

**Session Moderator:** mjunction services limited



Amit Ranjan, Chief of Marke	ting & Sales, IBMD, Tata Steel Ltd
Tata Motors	
Or	
Maruti	
(Future of ELV in India)	

Zain Nathani, Vice President, MRAI

Scrap buyers R K Goyal, MD, Kalyani Steel

Q&A

Tea break & Networking: 16:30-16:45 hours

16:45-18:00 HOURS

### **Session 5: Enabling logistics infrastructure**

- How to align delivery schedules, storage, loading & transportation of raw material?
- How to align logistics movement for finished steel?

**Session chairman: Abhijit Narendra**, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Steel **A K Mishra**, ED TT (Steel), Railway Board, Government of India **Sanjay Rath**, Head, Logistics Centre of Excellence, JSW Steel

ED (T&S), SAIL

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Q&A

**COCKTAIL & DINNER: 18:30 HOURS ONWARDS** 

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#### **DAY 2: September 28, 2023**

10:30-11:45

#### Session 6: Chief Procurement Officer's Round Table

- What are the best practices in procurement adopted by steel makers post Corona?
- How are the procurement managers managing volatility because of geo-political changes?
- Does AI, blockchain and cloud-based tech make the procurement function efficient?

Session chairman: mjunction services limited Hrishikesh Kamat, CPO, AM/NS India Naveen Ahlawat, CPO, JSP Amitava Bakshi, CPO, Tata Steel SAIL RINL

Q&A

11:00-12:15 HOURS

### Conducive policy framework & key enablers for raw material availability: iron ore & met coal

- What are the key enabling factors/mining reforms supporting raw material sufficiency in steel making?
- How can iron ore of required grade and quality be made available at the plant site?
- What will be the metallurgical coal requirement & possible sources?
- How can digital platforms help in ensuring raw material availability & logistics support?

#### Session Chairman:

Sanjay Lohia, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Mines

A K Saxena, CMD, MOIL

Pankaj Satija, MD, Tata Steel Mining

Thomas M Cherian, MD, Essel Mining

V Suresh, Director (Commercial), NMDC

Puneet Jagatramka, VP, Raw Materials, JSW Steel
S J Ahmed, ED, SAIL

Q&A

Tea & networking break: 12:15-12:30 hours





12:30-13:30 HOURS

# Session 8: Enabling solutions for steel's growth in the next decade: finance, quality & technology

<ul> <li>How can steel's expansion plans be supported by financial institutions with capital at cheaper rates?</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Role of inspection agencies in quality check?</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Role of technology &amp; equipment providers in the growth of the industry?</li> </ul>	
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Inspection agencies	
Mining technology providers or lubricant suppliers	
Q&A	
Vote of thanks	
Lunch break & Networking: 13:30-14:30 hours	
End of Conference	