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| <div>05-Dec-25<br/>1030 AM to 0130 PM<br/>Convention Hall</div> <div>Inaugural Session</div> <div>Cooperative India: Powering Rural Transformation through Collective Strength</div> <div>The inaugural address will highlight the pivotal role of India’s cooperative movement in shaping a self-reliant rural economy. It will emphasize how cooperatives, empowered by technology and innovation, are unlocking new opportunities in agriculture, finance, and rural enterprise - creating jobs, enhancing productivity, and ensuring inclusive prosperity across communities.</div> <div>Chief Guest -, Shri Amit Shah , Hon'ble Home Minister &amp; Minister of Cooperation, Government of India</div> <div>Guest of Honor -, Shri Bhupendrabhai Patel , Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat</div> <div>Shri Shankarbhai Lagdhirbhai Chaudhary , Hon’ble Speaker, Gujarat Legislative Assembly</div> <div>Shri Jitubhai Savjibhai Vaghani , Hon'ble Minister of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Cooperation, Animal Husbandry, Cow Breeding, Fisheries, Government of Gujarat</div> <div>Shri Jethabhai Ghelabhai Ahir , Hon’ble Deputy Speaker, Gujarat Legislative Assembly</div> <div>Dr. Ashish Kumar Bhutani , Secretary, Ministry of Cooperation, Government of India</div> <div>Shri Shaji KV , Chairman, NABARD</div> <div>Dr. Anju Sharma , Additional Chief Secretary - Agriculture, Farmers Welfare &amp; Co-operation Department, Government of Gujarat</div> <div>Shri Ajay Bhai Patel , Chairman, Gujarat StCB</div> <div>Cooperatives     Inclusive Prosperity     Collective Growth</div> | <div>05-Dec-25<br/>0230 PM to 0330 PM<br/>Seminar Hall1</div> <div>Discussion</div> <div>Potential in Priority Sector Lending in Gujarat</div> <div>Gujarat’s rapidly expanding credit ecosystem presents a major opportunity to accelerate Priority Sector Lending (PSL) and deepen financial access across agriculture, MSMEs, renewable energy, and rural enterprises. This discussion brings together senior leadership from NABARD, RBI, SBI, Bank of Baroda and the SLBC to examine emerging credit gaps, district-wise lending patterns, and new instruments that can drive inclusive growth. The panel will explore policy priorities, digital frameworks, and collaborative models that can mobilize capital at scale for Gujarat’s farmers, cooperatives, and small businesses. By aligning institutional strategies with grassroots needs, the session aims to chart a clear roadmap for stronger credit flow and sustainable development in the state.</div> <div>Mr. B K Singhal , Chief General Manager, NABARD Gujarat Regional Office</div> <div>Mr. Ashok Parikh , General Manager, Reserve Bank of India</div> <div>Shri Atul Rathi , General Manager, SBI</div> <div>Mr. Ashwini Kumar , General Manager, Bank of Baroda</div> <div>Agriculture Credit     Priority Sector Lending     Financial Inclusion</div> | <div>05-Dec-25<br/>0230 PM to 0310 PM<br/>Seminar Hall2</div> <div>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Empowering Women Cooperatives through Technology and Finance</div> <div>Women cooperatives are emerging as powerful engines of rural transformation. This session explores how access to digital tools, inclusive finance, and entrepreneurship support can strengthen women-led cooperatives and self-help collectives. It highlights successful models that integrate fintech, skilling, and community governance - demonstrating how women-led enterprises are driving productivity, social equity, and economic resilience across rural India.</div> <div>Ms. Sowmya K , Team Leader, PwC</div> <div>Ms. C Saraswathi , Chief General Manager, NABARD MP Regional Office</div> <div>Ms. Jigisha Maheta , Managing Director, Sewa Cooperative Federation</div> <div>Mr. Anand Kumar Bajaj , Founder, MD &amp; CEO, Paynearby</div> <div>Mr. S S Bhat , CEO, Friends of WWB India</div> <div>Policy     Digital Empowerment     Inclusive Growth</div> | <div>05-Dec-25<br/>0230 PM to 0330 PM<br/>Seminar Hall3</div> <div>Product Showcase</div> <div>Startup Showcase - Gandhinagar 2</div> <div>Showcases by<br/>Tam Media Research - Digital AdEx<br/>Online PSB Loans (OPL) - ERP Sahay<br/>Platform Commons - Farmer-Centric Markets<br/>Advick AgVenture - Satellite Powered Services for Precision Farming<br/>CIBIL - Grameen Score<br/>WhatsLoan - NeoLending Digital Platform for Agri Loans</div> <div>Mr. Rohit Patil , Associate Director, Tam Media Research</div> <div>Mr. Jinand Shah , Managing Director, Online PSB Loans</div> <div>Mr. Prashant Mehra , CEO &amp; Co-Founder, Platform Commons</div> <div>Mr. Nitesh K. Tank , CEO, Advick AgVenture</div> <div>Ms. Dolly Mishra , Joint Vice President - Market Development, CIBIL</div> <div>Mr. Timmana Gouda. , Founder CEO &amp; MD, WhatsLoan</div> |

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| <div>05-Dec-25<br/>0230 PM to 0400 PM<br/>Convention Hall</div> <div>Discussion</div> <div>Sahakar Sabha - Technology Transformation in Cooperative Banking: Leadership Perspectives</div> <div>Shri Shaji KV , Chairman, NABARD</div> <div>Dr. Ashish Kumar Bhutani , Secretary, Ministry of Cooperation, Government of India</div> <div>Mr. Pankaj Kumar Bansal , Additional Secretary, Ministry of Cooperation, Government of India</div> <div>Mr. Ramji Chavda , General Manager (IT), Gujarat StCB</div> <div>Shri Vamsi Krishna , IT Officer, Telangana StCB</div> <div>Mr. Amit Rajak , DGM, Burdwan StCB</div> <div>Mr. Jorty M Chacko , Kerala StCB</div> <div>Mr. Osman Ewen Nongbri , MD, Meghalaya StCB</div> <div>Mr. Dinesh Kumar B , General Manager (IT), Andhra Pradesh StCB</div> <div>Mr. Amol Ranthambe , AGM, Maharashtra StCB</div> <div>Mr. Mayur Aher , SOC Lead, Maharashtra StCB</div> <div>Cooperatives    Digital Transformation    Market Access</div> | <div>05-Dec-25<br/>0335 PM to 0415 PM<br/>Seminar Hall1</div> <div>Panel Discussion</div> <div>PACS 2.0 - PACS as Digital Service Hubs for Members</div> <div>Primary Agricultural Credit Societies are shifting from traditional lending units to next-generation digital service hubs supporting the full spectrum of rural needs. PACS 2.0 brings together credit delivery, input access, advisory, market linkages, insurance, and digital payments under a unified technology-led model. This discussion examines how modern platforms, interoperable digital rails, and stronger governance frameworks can help PACS operate with greater efficiency and transparency. The session highlights actionable approaches that enable PACS to expand their role as community-level digital centres driving income growth, service access, and rural economic participation.</div> <div>Ms. Neetu Chitkara , India Leader, People Organization Practice, BCG</div> <div>Mr. Amit Sinha , CEO, Unnati</div> <div>Mr. Ragavan Venkatesan , CEO, Digivridhhi</div> <div>Mr. Syed Tarique Alam , Co-founder &amp; CEO, Dvara E-Registry</div> <div>Rural Credit    Farmer Services    Digital Platforms</div> | <div>05-Dec-25<br/>0320 PM to 0400 PM<br/>Seminar Hall2</div> <div>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Bylaws to Firewalls: Implementing Cybersecurity in Co-operatives</div> <div>Cybersecurity has become a frontline priority for India’s cooperative sector as it digitises rapidly across credit, storage, procurement, and financial services. This panel brings together technology leaders, cooperative institutions, and security practitioners to decode how bylaws, standard operating procedures, and governance structures can evolve into robust digital safeguards. The discussion explores practical frameworks for securing member data, strengthening authentication, building cyber-resilient operations, and ensuring compliance with emerging national guidelines. The session will highlight real-world strategies that cooperatives can adopt to move from legacy processes to resilient, modern firewalls capable of protecting rural digital ecosystems.</div> <div>Mr. Dibyanshu Lahiri , Director, BCG</div> <div>Mr. Daykin Creado , CEO, Go Payments</div> <div>Prof. Dr. Parag H Rughani , Professor, NFSU</div> <div>Mr. Rahul Jain , Vice President Business Development USA Europe and Middle East, RapidData Technologies</div> <div>Cooperatives    Cyber Resilience    Digital Governance</div> | <div>05-Dec-25<br/>0450 PM to 0550 PM<br/>Seminar Hall3</div> <div>Closed Room Session</div> <div>Closed room discussion with Agritech and Fintech startups</div> <div>Shri Shaji KV , Chairman, NABARD</div> <div>Dr. Ashish Kumar Bhutani , Secretary, Ministry of Cooperation, Government of India</div> |
| <div>05-Dec-25<br/>0430 PM to 0530 PM<br/>Convention Hall</div> <div>Discussion</div> <div>RCB Samvaad - Presentation on Sahakar Sarathi to Cooperative Banks</div> <div>Mr. R Sankar , CEO - Sahakar Sarathi (SSPL), NABARD</div> <div>Mr. Manikumar S , Chief General Manager - Strategic Planning and Product Innovation Department (SPPID), NABARD</div>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <div>05-Dec-25<br/>0420 PM to 0440 PM<br/>Seminar Hall1</div> <div>Presentation</div> <div>From Local to Global - How BRISKPE is Powering Co-operative Banks for Borderless Banking</div> <div>Mr. Indunath Chaudhary , Co-founder &amp; COO, BRISKPE</div>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <div>05-Dec-25<br/>0410 PM to 0430 PM<br/>Seminar Hall2</div> <div>Presentation &amp; Demo</div> <div>Digitizing Cooperative Banks</div> <div>Mr. Daykin Creado , CEO, Go Payments</div>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |

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|  | <div>05-Dec-25<br/>0445 PM to 0525 PM<br/>Seminar Hall1</div> <div>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Accelerating FPOs and PACS: Success Stories, Models, and Roadmaps</div> <div>Farmer Producer Organisations (FPOs) and Primary Agricultural Credit Societies (PACS) are central to strengthening rural value chains, expanding financial access, and improving market participation. This discussion brings together leaders from finance, cooperatives, and agribusiness to explore high-impact models that have delivered measurable outcomes on the ground. The session highlights successful approaches to scaling FPOs, modernising PACS, improving governance, building digital capabilities, and enabling stronger linkages with markets, banks, and input ecosystems. Participants will outline clear roadmaps that can guide states, institutions, and community organisations in accelerating growth across India’s producer and cooperative networks.</div> <div>Mr. Pranav Khattri , Project Leader, BCG</div> <div>Ms. Rashmi Darad , Chief General Manager, NABARD</div> <div>Mr. Dinesh Kumar B , General Manager (IT), Andhra Pradesh StCB</div> <div>Mr. Vikram Borade , COO, Syngenta Foundation India</div> <div>PACS Transformation    Agriculture Value Chains    Farmer Collectives</div> |  |  |
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| <div>06-Dec-25<br/>1030 AM to 1100 AM<br/>Seminar Hall1<br/>Presentation</div> <div>Launch of Seaweed Development Programme</div> <div>Dr. P K Mishra , Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Prime Minister, Prime Minister's Office, Government of India</div> <div>Shri Shaji KV , Chairman, NABARD</div> <div>Mr. Goverdhan Singh Rawat , Deputy Managing Director, NABARD</div> <div>Dr. Ajay Kumar Sood , Deputy Managing Director, NABARD</div> | <div>06-Dec-25<br/>1100 AM to 1140 AM<br/>Seminar Hall2<br/>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Public-Private Partnerships for Rural Tech Transformation</div> <div>Collaborative action between government, industry, and development partners is key to scaling rural innovation. This session explores how public-private partnerships (PPPs) are advancing digital infrastructure, skilling, and technology adoption across agriculture, health, and commerce. It highlights successful models that align policy priorities with entrepreneurial agility - showcasing how cross-sector collaboration can accelerate inclusive, tech-led rural growth and unlock new investment opportunities.</div> <div>Mr. Pranav Khattri , Project Leader, BCG</div> <div>Mr. Arjun Ram , The Jodhpur Central Cooperative Bank Ltd</div> <div>Mr. Birju R Patel , COO &amp; Director, PropLegit Global</div> <div>Mr. Devashish Sharma , Vice President - Products &amp; Engineering and Country Head - IDC, RightData</div> <div>Dr. Itishree Pattnaik , Professor, Gujarat Institute of Development Research</div> <div>Mr. Manthan Soni , Senior Vice President (GIS), Amnex Infotechnologies</div> <div>Skilling &amp; Entrepreneurship     Infra     Rural Innovation</div> | <div>06-Dec-25<br/>1100 AM to 1130 AM<br/>Seminar Hall3<br/>Product Showcase</div> <div>Startup Showcase - Gandhinagar 1</div> <div>Showcases by<br/>Integra Micro Systems - NearShop<br/>Recordent - Advanced Risk Assessment</div> <div>Mr. Ronit Kumar , Product Manager, Jakkur Technoparks (Nearshop)</div> <div>Mr. Winny Patro , Co-founder &amp; CEO, Recordent</div> |
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| <div>06-Dec-25<br/>1100 AM to 1140 AM<br/>Seminar Hall1<br/>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Green Tech &amp; Circular Economy: Rural Innovation for Climate Resilience</div> <div>Circular economy models are redefining sustainability in agriculture. This panel examines technologies for water recycling, bio-based fertilizers, low-carbon processing, and renewable energy integration - highlighting how rural enterprises can transition from resource dependence to regenerative growth.</div> <div>Mr. Vivek Adhia , Global Climate Expert</div> <div>Dr. Kirit Shelat , IAS (Retd.)</div> <div>Mr. Bhaskar Reddy , Executive Director, Syngenta Foundation</div> <div>Mr. Mahesh Kokalaki , Founder &amp; CEO, Climate Capital Market</div> <div>Mr. Nitin Tailor , Founder &amp; CEO, Serve Happiness Foundation</div> <div>Mr. Pinakin Thaker , Founder, Saptarshi Academy</div> <div>Mr. Shrikant S. Kalamkar , Director General, Agro-Economic Research Centre</div> <div>Farming &amp; Agri    Circular Economy    Sustainable Agriculture</div> | <div>06-Dec-25<br/>1150 AM to 1230 PM<br/>Seminar Hall2<br/>Panel Discussion</div> <div>5G for Rural Innovation: Connectivity, IoT, and Smart Villages</div> <div>Next-generation connectivity is unlocking unprecedented opportunities for rural transformation. This session explores how 5G and IoT are enabling digital agriculture, smart utilities, remote healthcare, and connected governance in India’s villages. Experts discuss how advanced networks, cloud platforms, and local innovation hubs are converging to bridge infrastructure gaps, empower entrepreneurs, and build the foundation for resilient, tech-enabled rural communities.</div> <div>Mr. Bhavesh Shah , Trainer, Coach and Former Assistant Editor, DNA</div> <div>Mr. Bharat Patil , Director, PwC</div> <div>Mr. Kartikeya Sarabhai , Padmashree Awardee</div> <div>Mr. Jobin Jacob , Head, SatSure</div> <div>Mr. Tejas Vaghela , Senior Director &amp; CTO, System Level Solutions (SLS)</div> <div>Policy    Smart Villages    Infra</div> | <div>06-Dec-25<br/>1225 PM to 0105 PM<br/>Seminar Hall3<br/>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Agritech, Fintech and Cooperatives</div> <div>Dr. Rakesh Arrawatia , Dean, School of Cooperative Banking and Finance, Tribhuvan Sahkari University</div> <div>Mr. Hardik Joshi , Founder, Honeyveda</div> <div>Mr. Vimal Panjwani , Founder &amp; CEO, Agrivijay</div> <div>Mr. Shobhit Agarwal , Founder, Manjha Technologies</div> <div>Mr. Shrinivas Kulkarni , Group Vice President - Finance, BAIF Development Research Foundation</div> |
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| <div>06-Dec-25<br/>1155 AM to 1225 PM<br/>Seminar Hall1<br/>Fireside Chat</div> <div>The Cooperative Advantage: Building Sustainable Rural Economies</div> <div>Cooperatives remain at the heart of India’s rural transformation journey. This conversation explores how modern governance, technology adoption, and value-chain integration are redefining the cooperative movement. It examines how cooperatives can evolve into competitive, innovation-led enterprises that create sustainable livelihoods, strengthen community ownership, and accelerate inclusive rural growth across sectors such as dairy, agriculture, finance, and crafts.</div> <div>Ms. Jumana Shah , Senior Associate Editor, India Today</div> <div>Shri Shaji KV , Chairman, NABARD</div> <div>Developing Rural Industries    Sustainable Livelihoods    Inclusive Growth</div> | <div>06-Dec-25<br/>0150 PM to 0230 PM<br/>Seminar Hall2<br/>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Building India’s Rural Tech Stack: Integrating DPI for Agri, Health &amp; Finance</div> <div>A unified digital infrastructure is redefining how rural India accesses essential services. This session explores the convergence of digital public infrastructure across agriculture, health, and finance - enabling data portability, interoperability, and inclusion at the last mile. Experts discuss how open networks, secure identity systems, and shared data frameworks are creating an integrated digital ecosystem that empowers citizens, enhances service delivery, and accelerates rural transformation.</div> <div>Mr. Pranav Jain , Director, KPMG</div> <div>Mr. Bharat Chandra Sahoo , Deputy General Manager, Berhampur Cooperative Central Bank</div> <div>Mr. Ravindra Misra , Chief Product Officer, Online PSB Loans</div> <div>Mr. Ranjeet Gautam , MD &amp; CEO, BankBenchers (Fintech Brand of 24X7 Moneyworks Consulting)</div> <div>Mr. Vivek Kothari , Vice President, Jai Kisan</div> <div>Policy    Infra    innovation</div> | <div>06-Dec-25<br/>0205 PM to 0255 PM<br/>Seminar Hall3<br/>Product Showcase</div> <div>Product Showcase Gandhinagar3</div> <div>Showcases by<br/>RightData - Data &amp; AI Solutions<br/>ScaNxt - BhuParikshak<br/>PropLegit - RBI - Aligned Property Intelligence for Rural Lending<br/>Pro B Products - Machinery in the Modern Food Industry<br/>Modern Village Foundation - Autonomous Ground Vehicle (AGV) for Precision Agriculture</div> <div>Mr. Devashish Sharma , Vice President - Products &amp; Engineering and Country Head - IDC, RightData</div> <div>Mr. Rajat Vardhan , Founder &amp; CEO, ScaNxt</div> <div>Mr. Birju R Patel , COO &amp; Director, PropLegit Global</div> <div>Mr. Nagaraja H R , Founder, Pro B Products</div> <div>Mr. Varun Agrawal , Co-founder and COO, Modern Village Foundation</div> |
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| <div>06-Dec-25<br/>1230 PM to 0110 PM<br/>Seminar Hall1<br/>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Agri 5.0: AI, Robotics &amp; Data for Farm Productivity</div> <div>Smart farming now goes beyond yield to resilience. The session explores how AI-driven irrigation planning, soil diagnostics, and precision robotics are reshaping farm productivity. Experts discuss sensor-based fertigation, adaptive cropping, and the emerging data economy transforming India’s farmlands.</div> <div>Mr. Aamol Komar Chaudhary , Partner - Technology Enablement for Financial Services, KPMG</div> <div>Mr. Goverdhan Singh Rawat , Deputy Managing Director, NABARD</div> <div>Dr. Alok B Mukherjee , Director – Research, LeadsConnect</div> <div>Mr. Shubham Arora , Head - Sales and Business Development, Sarvam</div> <div>Mr. Sujit Uttara Janardanan , CMO, Neysa Networks</div> <div>Farming &amp; Agri     Robotics &amp; Automation     Precision Agriculture</div>                                                                                                                                             | <div>06-Dec-25<br/>0240 PM to 0320 PM<br/>Seminar Hall2<br/>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Digital MSMEs: Building Rural Enterprises for the New Economy</div> <div>Digital transformation is redefining the future of small enterprises in rural India. This session explores how MSMEs are leveraging digital tools, fintech platforms, and e-commerce ecosystems to enhance productivity, market access, and competitiveness. It highlights the role of government initiatives, financial institutions, and technology providers in enabling a new generation of digitally empowered rural entrepreneurs driving employment and inclusive economic growth.</div> <div>Mr. Timmana Gouda , Founder CEO &amp; MD, WhatsLoan</div> <div>Mr. Vasu Sattenapalli , CEO &amp; Chief Architect, RightData</div> <div>Mr. Vinish Kumar Chawla , Zonal Head, Punjab National Bank</div> <div>Mr. Karthikraj Kamalarajan , Vice President &amp; Head - Sales, Emerging Business, CRIF INDIA</div> <div>Developing Rural Industries     Digital Transformation     Rural Entrepreneurship</div> | <div>06-Dec-25<br/>0305 PM to 0405 PM<br/>Seminar Hall3<br/>Investment Pitches</div> <div>Investment Pitches - Round2</div> <div>Investment Pitches</div> |
| <div>06-Dec-25<br/>0210 PM to 0250 PM<br/>Seminar Hall1<br/>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Rural Startups &amp; DeepTech: The Next Frontier</div> <div>A new wave of innovation is emerging from India’s rural landscape, powered by startups leveraging deep technologies to solve complex challenges in agriculture, logistics, health, and finance. This session explores how AI, IoT, robotics, and satellite data are enabling scalable rural solutions, supported by incubators, investors, and digital public infrastructure. It highlights the evolving startup ecosystem that is redefining entrepreneurship and transforming India’s rural economy.</div> <div>Mr. Sandeep Koujalgi , Senior Vice President, IIMA Ventures</div> <div>Mr. Balaji Lakshmanan , Co-Founder &amp; CEO, Dvara E-Dairy</div> <div>Mr. Omkar Singh , Founder, DelyFresh Farm Tech</div> <div>Mr. Pratik Shailesh Mehta , Vice President (Program Management), Amnex Infotechnologies</div> <div>Mr. Yash Padhiyar , CEO, SDAU, RBIC</div> <div>Skilling &amp; Entrepreneurship     innovation     Ecosystem</div> | <div>06-Dec-25<br/>0330 PM to 0430 PM<br/>Seminar Hall2<br/>Hackathon</div> <div>Hackathon Regional Finals</div> <div>Showcases rural transformation by convening policymakers, innovators, investors, and cooperatives around sustainable growth solutions.</div> <div>Hackathon</div>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                           |

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| <div>06-Dec-25<br/>0300 PM to 0340 PM<br/>Seminar Hall1<br/>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Agri Data Exchange: Empowering FPOs Through Information</div> <div>Data is emerging as the new infrastructure for FPOs. This session highlights how integrated Agri Data Exchanges are driving better price discovery, transparent procurement, and equitable distribution. Experts discuss open APIs, real-time market data, and digital platforms that enable smallholder farmers to make informed pricing decisions.</div> <div>Ms. Aparna Bijapurkar , Managing Director and Partner, BCG</div> <div>Dr. Ajay Kumar Sood , Deputy Managing Director, NABARD</div> <div>Dr. Rakesh Arrawatia , Dean, School of Cooperative Banking and Finance, Tribhuvan Sahkari University</div> <div>Dr. Sukhpal Singh , Professor, IIM - Ahmedabad</div> <div>Shri Anand Mohan Tiwari, IAS , Chairman, Shroffs Foundation Trust</div> <div>Mr. Prakash Jayaram , Partner, EY</div> <div>Mr. Sandeep Kondaji , Founder &amp; CEO, Krishitantra</div> <div>Farming &amp; Agri    Data Interoperability    Agri Data Platforms</div> |  |  |
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| <div>06-Dec-25<br/>0350 PM to 0430 PM<br/>Seminar Hall1<br/>Panel Discussion</div> <div>Rural Bioeconomy: Converting Waste to Wealth through Innovation</div> <div>The transition to a circular and bio-based economy offers vast opportunities for rural India. This session explores how innovations in biomass utilization, agri-waste processing, renewable energy, and carbon markets are creating sustainable income streams for rural communities. Discussions focus on scalable technologies, cooperative models, and policy frameworks that convert waste into value-added products - driving climate action, resource efficiency, and green enterprise growth across rural sectors.</div> <div>Mr. Sanjoy Ghosh , Chief General Manager, NABARD</div> <div>Mr. Anmol Gupta , Founder, Biofield Power</div> <div>Mr. Deepak Pareek , Founder, HnyB Tech-Incubations</div> <div>Mr. Manish Dabkara , Chairman &amp; MD, EKI Energy Services (Carbon Credit Platform, Indore)</div> <div>Mr. Pratik Gauri , Founder &amp; CEO, 5ireChain (Green Blockchain for Circular Economy)</div> <div>Ms. Pranjuli Garg , Co-founder, ProMeat</div> <div>Developing Rural Industries    Waste-to-Value Innovation    Renewable Energy</div> |  |  |
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