



# 10<sup>TH</sup> GLOBAL PHARMACEUTICAL QUALITY SUMMIT

*Navigating the Next Decade for Global Excellence*

27-28 February 2025 JW Marriott, Juhu Mumbai

## Agenda

Day 1: Thursday, 27 February 2025

<b>0800 – 0930 hrs Registration and Breakfast</b>	
<b>Session 1</b> 0930 – 1045 hrs	<b>Welcome and Setting the Context</b> Sudarshan Jain - Secretary General, Indian Pharmaceutical Alliance (IPA)  <b>Opening Remarks</b> Nilesh Gupta - Chair, Quality Committee, IPA and Managing Director, Lupin  <b>Keynote Address</b> Arvind Virmani - Member, NITI Aayog, Government of India  <b>Special Remarks</b> Rajeev Raghuvanshi - Drug Controller General of India, Government of India  <i>Release of Manufacturing Strategy Report</i>
<b>1045 - 1115 hrs Tea / Coffee Break</b>	
<b>Session 2</b> 1115 – 1215 hrs	<b>Shaping the Future of India's Pharmaceutical Operations</b> Ankur Bhajanka - Sr Partner & Lead, India Life Sciences, McKinsey & Co  <b>Building Quality Culture for Global Manufacturing Excellence</b> Samantha Atkinson - Executive Vice President, Principal Consultant, NSF Health Sciences
<b>Session 3</b> 1215 – 1315 hrs	<b>Panel Discussion</b> <b>Transitioning to Holistic Quality Excellence from Compliance</b>  <b>Moderator:</b> Shirish Belapure - Sr Technical Advisor, IPA  <b>Panellists:</b> Rajeev Raghuvanshi - Drug Controller General of India, CDSCO, Government of India Hilde Depraetere - Head of Division Scientific Support and Inspections, EDQM Jay Jariwala, Sr Director Reg Compliance, Sidley Austin LLP, (Ex-FDA) James Pound - Executive Director, Innovation and Compliance, MHRA Krishna Venkatesh - Head, Global Quality & Pharmacovigilance, Dr Reddy's Laboratories
<b>1315 – 1415 hrs Networking Lunch</b>	

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**Session 4**      *Panel Discussion*  
**1415 – 1530 hrs**      **Global Trends and Cross-Sector Insights for Quality & Manufacturing Excellence**

**Moderator:** Sudarshan Jain, Secretary General, Indian Pharmaceutical Alliance

**Panellists:**

Anshul Gupta - Managing Director and Head, Healthcare Investment Banking, Avendus Capital  
Soumitra Bhattacharya - Chairman, Bosch and CEO & Executive Director, Indian Foundation for Quality Management (IFQM)

Jayant Damodar Patil - Director & VP, L&T Defence Business and President, Society of Indian Defence Manufacturers (SIDM)

Rahul Awasthi - Global Head of Operations, Sun Pharmaceutical Industries

**Session 5**      *Panel Discussion*  
**1530 – 1630 hrs**      **Accelerating Biopharma Transformation with Emerging Technologies**

**Moderator:** Sanjeev Kumar - President, Zydus Research Centre - Biotech, Zydus

**Panellists:**

Himanshu Gadgil - CEO, Enzene Biosciences

Sanjay Singh - CEO & Whole-time Director, Gennova Biopharmaceuticals

Rahul Purwar - Associate Professor, Department of Biosciences & Bioengineering, IIT Bombay

Cyrus Karkaria - President Biotechnology, Lupin

**1630 – 1700 hrs**      **Tea / Coffee Break**

**Session 6**      **Strategies for Achieving Process Excellence**  
**1700– 1815 hrs**      Jayanth Murthy - Partner, Kaizen Hansei & Joint Managing Director for India, South Asia and Africa, Kaizen Institute

**Unlocking Value with Transformative Strategies for Operational Excellence**

Sanjay Sharma - Head Global Operations, Dr Reddy's Laboratories

**Zero Error Operations: Next Frontier in Quality for India Pharma**

Vivek Arora - Partner & Lead, North America Lifesciences Manufacturing and Supply Chain, McKinsey & Co

**Low Touch Sentient Manufacturing: Pioneering a Future Vision for High Performance Manufacturing**

Parag Patel - Sr Partner & Lead, Global Life Sciences Operations, McKinsey & Co

**1830 – 2130 hrs**      **Cocktail Reception & Networking Dinner - All Participants**

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**Day 2: Friday, 28 February 2025**

<b>0800 – 0930 hrs</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>
<b>Session 7 0930 – 1045 hrs</b>	<p><b>Panel Discussion</b> <b>Navigating Global Regulatory Harmonization &amp; Evolving Inspection Expectations</b></p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Rajiv Desai - Sr Technical Advisor, IPA</p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Ranga Chandrashekar - Joint Drugs Controller India, CDSCO, Government of India Hilde Depraetere - Head of Division Scientific Support and Inspections, EDQM Trevor Watson - Lead Senior GMDP Inspector, MHRA Mathew Thomas - Principal Consultant, MTT Consulting LLC. Former Director U.S. FDA India Office &amp; U.S. DHHS India Health Attaché Reem Malki - Chief Quality Officer, Sun Pharmaceutical Industries</p> <p><b>Release of IPA Best Practices Reports</b></p>
<b>1045 – 1115 hrs</b>	<b>Tea / Coffee Break</b>
<b>Session 8 1115 – 1215 hrs</b>	<p><b>Panel Discussion</b> <b>Leading the Future of Pharma Supply Chain</b></p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Jayant Dwivedy - Executive Director and COO, USV</p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Saurabh Gupta - Sr Vice President and Head, Global Supply Chain, Lupin Abhay Kumar Shrivastava - President, Operations, Mankind Rishikesh Jaiwant, EVP, Head of Supply Chain, GSK Sanjay Notani - Senior Partner, Economic Law Practice</p>
<b>Session 9 1215 – 1315 hrs</b>	<p><b>Panel Discussion</b> <b>Strengthening Quality Culture and Building Next-Gen Talent</b></p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Amitava Saha - Director, Foundation for Pharma Academy for Global Excellence (PAGE)</p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Ranjana Pathak - Chief Quality Officer, Lupin Dulal Panda - Director, NIPER Mohali Suresh Rai - Global Chief Human Resources Office, Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ajay Bhatt - Global Chief Human Resources, Intas Goutam Bhattacharya - CEO, Life Sciences Sector Skill Development Council</p>

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<b>1315 - 1415 hrs</b>	<b>Networking Lunch</b>
<b>1415 - 1445 hrs</b>	<p><b>Sponsor Showcase</b></p> <p><b>Unifying Quality &amp; Manufacturing: The Key to Optimizing Operational Value (Honeywell)</b></p> <p><b>Leucine AI</b></p>
<p><b>Session 10</b> <b>1445 - 1545 hrs</b></p>	<p><b>Next Frontier: Sustainability Agenda</b> Sharad Kalghatgi - Vice President, Safety &amp; Sustainability, Jubilant Ingrevia</p> <p><b>Advancing Sustainability in Pharma Sector</b> John Arthur - Director of Medicines Manufacturing Innovation Centre, Centre for Process Innovation (CPI), UK</p> <p><b>Regulatory Perspectives for Driving Sustainability</b> Hilde Depraetere - Head of Division Scientific Support and Inspections, EDQM</p>
<b>1545 - 1615 hrs</b>	<b>Tea / Coffee Break</b>
<p><b>Session 11</b> <b>1615 - 1745 hrs</b></p>	<p><b>Panel Discussion</b> <b>Navigating the Next Decade for Global Excellence</b></p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Sathya Prathipati - Sr Partner &amp; Lead, Asia Life Sciences, McKinsey &amp; Co</p> <p><b>Panellists:</b> Umang Vohra - Managing Director and Global CEO, Cipla Nilesh Gupta - Chair, Quality Committee, IPA and Managing Director, Lupin Dilip Shanghvi - Founder Chairman and Managing Director, Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Pankaj Patel - Chairman, Zydus Lifesciences</p>
<b>1745 - 1755 hrs</b>	<p><b>Concluding Address</b> Sharvil Patel - Vice President, IPA and Managing Director, Zydus Lifesciences</p>
<b>1755 - 1800 hrs</b>	<p><b>Vote of Thanks</b> Shirish Belapure - Sr Technical Advisor, IPA</p>