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MYSTIC SOUTH
GLOBAL LINKAGES SUMMIT

10 - 11 February 2025: Hotel Taj Coromandel, Chennai

Programme Schedule

Timing: 1000 hrs – 1100 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Inaugural Session**		
1000 hrs	Welcome Address	**Dr R Nandini** Chairperson, CII Southern Region & Managing Director Chandra Textiles Pvt Limited
1005 hrs	Theme Address	**Mr TT Ashok** Chairman, CII Mystic South 2025 & Managing Director Taylor Rubber Pvt Limited
1020 hrs	Special Address	**Mr N Lakshmi Narayanan** Chancellor, Krea University & Co-Founder Cognizant
1035 hrs	**Release of Report** "2047: Southern Odyssey – Powering ahead to a $10 Trillion Economy"	
1037 hrs	Inaugural Address	**Mr R Mukundan** Vice President, CII & Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer Tata Chemicals Limited
1057 hrs	Closing Remarks	**Dr R Nandini**
1100 hrs	**Close of Session**	

Timing: 1100 – 1200 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Plenary Session on South India's Global Economic Competitiveness**		
1100 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr R Dinesh** Immediate Past President, CII & Executive Chairman TVS Supply Chain Solutions Limited
1105 hrs	Keynote Address	**Dr V Anantha Nageswaran** Chief Economic Advisor Government of India
1130 – 1200 hrs Panel Discussion		
1130 hrs	Special Address & Moderation	**Mr R Dinesh**
1140 hrs	Panelists	**Mr BVR Mohan Reddy** Chairman, Cyient Limited **Mr Narayan Sethuramon** Managing Director Sanmar Engineering Technologies Limited
1200 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1215 – 1315 hrs | Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 Parallel Session: Sustainability 1: **Panel Discussion – 'From Fossil Fuels to Future Fuels: India's Green Odyssey'**		
1215 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr Ravichandran Purushothaman** President, Danfoss Industries Pvt Limited
1220 hrs	Keynote Address	**Mr Bhaskar Jyoti Phukan** Managing Director, Numaligarh Refinery Limited
1230 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Unnikrishnan AR** Vice Chairman, CII Tamil Nadu & Managing Director Saint- Gobain India Pvt Limited (Glass Business) **Mr KS Venkatagiri** Executive Director CII- Sohrabji Godrej Green Business Centre **Mr Kapil Bansal** Partner, EY Partheneon **Mr Kavin Kumar Kandasamy** Chief Executive Officer, ProClime **Dr Nikhil Tambe** Founding CEO The Energy Consortium, IIT Madras
1300 hrs	Question and Answer	
1310 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Ravichandran Purushothaman**
1315 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1215 – 1315 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Clive & Dupleix – Hall 2 Parallel Session: Advanced Manufacturing 1: **Engineering the Future: Unlocking the Power of Industry 4.0 for Industrial Excellence**		
1215 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr Ravi Raghavan** Managing Director Bharat Fritz Werner Limited
1220 hrs	Keynote Address	**Mr Srivats Ram** Chairman, CII Tamil Nadu & Managing Director Wheels India Limited
1230 hrs	Remarks by Panel Moderator	**Mr Vimal Ramamurthy** Partner EY Parthenon
1235 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Atul Renavikar** CEO & Managing Director – Sri Lanka Industrial Director – Beyond Road Asia Michelin Lanka (Private) Limited **Mr Murali Chandrahasan** Head & Senior Director Capgemini **Mr Siva Arvinth** President - Machine Tools Division LMW Limited **Mr Vedhanarayanan C** Head – Manufacturing, Engineering & Projects TTK Prestige Limited
1300 hrs	Question & Answer	
1310 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Vimal Ramamurthy**
1315 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1215 – 1315 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Senate – Hall 3 **Parallel Session: State Session: Telangana**		
1215 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr Sai D Prasad** Chairman, CII Telangana & Executive Director Bharat Biotech International Limited
1220 hrs	Keynote Address	**Dr E Vishnu Vardhan Reddy, IFS.,** Special Secretary – Industries Government of Telangana
1235 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr M Goutham Reddy** Vice Chairman Re-Sustainability Limited **Mr Sivaprasad Reddy R** Vice Chairman, CII Telangana & Managing Director Rachamallu Forgings Pvt Limited
1300 hrs	Question & Answer	
1310 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Sai D Prasad**
1315 hrs	Session Concludes	

1315 – 1400 hrs: Networking Lunch Break

Timing: 1400 – 1430 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Fireside Chat on Advanced Manufacturing**		
1400 hrs	Fireside Chat with	**Mr Vir S Advani** Chairman & Managing Director Blue Star India **Mr B Santhanam** CEO - Asia Pacific & India Region & Chairman Saint-Gobain India
1440 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1430 – 1500 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Exclusive Session with Dr Mukund Thattai, Professor, National Centre for Biological Sciences, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research**		
1430 hrs	Introduction	**Mr Sai D Prasad** Chairman, CII Telangana & Executive Director Bharat Biotech International Limited
1435 hrs	Special Address	**Dr Mukund Thattai** Professor, National Centre for Biological Sciences Tata Institute of Fundamental Research
1450 hrs	Question & Answer	
1455 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Sai D Prasad**
1500 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1500 – 1600 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Clive & Dupleix – Hall 2 <u>Parallel Session</u>: Emerging Technologies I **Cracking the Code 'From Seed to Scale' - The Secret Sauce of Startup Success**		
1500 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr N Lakshmi Narayanan** Chancellor, Krea University & Co-Founder Cognizant Technology Solutions India Pvt Limited
1505 hrs	Keynote Address	**Prof Mohanasankar Sivaprakasam** Head, Healthcare Technology Innovation Centre & Head, Sudha Gopalakrishnan Brain Centre
1515 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Arun Nagarajan** Partner, EY Parthenon
1520 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Reji Joseph** Vice President, TiE Chennai and Partner Infinity Advisor **Mr Ananth Krishnan** Former Executive Vice President (Retd.) & Chief Technology Officer, TCS Limited **Mr Dinesh Arjun** Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer Raptee Energy **Mr Jayant Nadiger** Trade & Investment Commissioner of Flanders Belgium – South India Flanders Investment & Trade
1550 hrs	Question & Answer	
1555 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr N Lakshmi Narayanan**
1600 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1500 – 1600 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Senate – Hall 3 Parallel Session: **"A Diplomat's View – South India's relations with its Extended Neighborhood"**		
1500 hrs	Opening Remarks by Panel Moderator	**Mr Prasanna Rajagopalan** Co-Chair CII Mystic South Global Linkages Summit 2025 & Director, ICSA Group
1510 Hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Chang-nyun Kim** Consul General of the Republic of Korea **Mr Edgar Pang** Consul General of the Republic of Singapore **Mr. Wan Ahmad Tarmizi Bin Wan Idris** Consul (Trade/Commercial) Consulate General of Malaysia in Chennai **Mr G L Gnanatheva** Minister – Trade Sri Lanka Deputy High Commission in Southern India
1545 hrs	Question & Answer	
1555 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Prasanna Rajagopalan**
1600 Hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1500 hrs – 1600 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 Parallel Session: **Tourism driving Hospitality Charting New Horizons: Tourism as the Compass for a Sustainable and Digital Tomorrow**		
1500 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr Anil Chadha** Managing Director ITC Hotels Limited
1505 hrs	Keynote Address	**Mr Madhavan Menon** Executive Chairman, Thomas Cook (India) Limited
1515 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Arun Vasu** Chairman, TT Group of Companies & President, Surfing Federation of India **Mr Vikram Lalvani** Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer Sterling Holiday Resorts Limited **Mr Vikram Cotah** Chief Executive Officer GRT Hotels
1545 hrs	Question & Answer	
1555 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Anil Chadha**
1600 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1500 – 1600 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Wellington – Hall 4 Parallel Session: **Country Session: Africa: Creating Business Synergies between South India & Africa**		
1500 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr S Ganesh Mani** Co-Chairman, CII Southern Region Sub-committee on Global Partnerships & International Linkages and President & Chief Operating Officer, Ashok Leyland Ltd
1510 hrs	Presentation on Opportunities in Africa	**Ms Divyashree Hegde** Head Marketing - South India & Sri Lanka ARISE IIP India
1520 hrs	Presentation on Indian Private Sector Expansion in Africa	**Ms Nisha Poddar Modi** Head-Corporate and Institutional Coverage FirstRand Bank India
1530 hrs	Address	**Mr Jared Bironga Mayieka** Trade Counsellor, Kenya High Commission
1535 hrs	Address	**H.E. Mr Gideon Labane** Consul General of South Africa in Mumbai
1545 hrs	Special Address	**H.E. Mr Kamel Galal** Ambassador, Arab Republic of Egypt
1555 hrs	Question & Answer	
1600 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1600 – 1630 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Exclusive Session on "Taxation Policies and Legal Framework Necessary to become a $10 Trillion Economy by 2047"**		
1600 hrs	Introduction	**Mr TT Ashok** Chairman, CII Mystic South 2025 & Managing Director, Taylor Rubber Pvt Limited
1602 hrs	Keynote Address	**Mr Arvind Datar** Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India
1630 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1630 – 1700 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Exclusive Session on "Future of News"**		
1630 hrs	Introduction	**Mr A K Tareen** Core Committee Member, CII Mystic South Global Linkages Summit, Former Senior Trade Commissioner to India & South Asia Government of South Australia
1632 hrs	Keynote Address	**Mr Mukund Padmanabhan** Distinguished Professor of Philosophy Krea University and Former Editor, The Hindu
1700 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1700 – 1730 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Exclusive Session on "Global Perspectives & Geopolitics: Shaping the Future of Power, Policy, and Change"**		
1700 hrs	Introduction	**Mr TT Ashok** Chairman, CII Mystic South 2025 & Managing Director, Taylor Rubber Pvt Limited
1702 hrs	Keynote Address	**Amb T S Tirumurti** Former Permanent Representative/ Ambassador of India to the United Nations New York
1730 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1730 – 1815 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Fireside Chat on Role of History & Mythology in Contemporary Story Telling**		
1730 hrs	Fireside Chat	**Mr Rajiv Menon** Indian Filmmaker **Mr Shobu Yarlagadda** Film Producer **Mr Baradwaj Rangan** Editor-in-Chief, Galatta Plus
1815 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1815 – 1900 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Clive & Dupleix – Hall 2 **Exclusive Session on** **"Sports as an Inclusive driver of Economic Growth, Opportunity & Jobs"**		
1815 hrs	Introduction	**Mr K Venugopal** Chairman Kasturi & Sons Limited
1820 hrs	Keynote Address	**Mr Vijay Amritraj** UN Messenger for Peace TV Personality, Brand Ambassador and Founder Vijay Amritraj Foundation
1850 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1900 – 2000 hrs Monday, 10 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Dance performance led by** **Ms Meenakshi Chittranjan, Padma Shri Awardee and** **Founder-Director, Kaladiksha Dance Academy**	
2000 hrs	**Networking Dinner (Ball Room – Hall 1)**

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Day 2 - Programme Schedule

Timing: 0915 – 0950 Hrs | Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Exclusive Session with** **Mr S N Subrahmanyan, Chairman & Managing Director, Larsen & Toubro Limited**		
0915 hrs	Introduction	**Mr TT Ashok** Chairman, CII Mystic South 2025 & Managing Director, Taylor Rubber Pvt Limited
0920 hrs	Address by	**Mr S N Subrahmanyan** Chairman & Managing Director Larsen & Toubro Limited
0940 hrs	Question and Answer	
0950 hrs	Closing Remarks	**Mr TT Ashok**

Timing: 1000 – 1100 Hrs | Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 Parallel Session: Mobility I: **Untangling the Traffic Knot: India's Mobility Future @100**		
1000 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr Satyakam Arya** Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer Daimler India Commercial Vehicles
1005 hrs	Keynote Address	**Mr I Jeyakumar, IRTS** Member Secretary / Special Officer Chennai Unified Metropolitan Transport Authority
1015 hrs	Remarks by Panel Moderator	**Mr Som Kapoor** Partner, EY Parthenon **Mr Asim Kumar Mukhopadhyay** Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer Tata Motors Smart City Mobility Solutions Limited **Mr Uday Narang** Founder, Omega Seiki Mobility & Chairman Anglian Omega Group **Ms Shanthi Mani S** Managing Director, Accenture **Mr Yogesh Umbarkar** Vice President – Mobility, India/APAC Valtech Mobility

1045 hrs	Question and Answer	
1055 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Som Kapoor**
1100 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1000 – 1100 Hrs
Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Clive & Dupleix Hall – 2

Parallel Session: Emerging Technologies II

Transforming Healthcare, Concept to Cure

1000 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Dr S Chandrakumar** Founder & Executive Chairman Kauvery Hospitals
1005 hrs	Keynote Remarks	**Dr Soumya Swaminathan** Chairperson, MS Swaminathan Research Foundation and Former Chief Scientist World Health Organization
1015 hrs	Keynote Remarks	**Mr Krishna Bodanapu** Executive Vice Chairman & Managing Director Cyient & Chairman, Cyient DLM
1025 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Rajiv Vasudevan** Founder & Managing Director Apollo AyurVAID Hospitals **Dr Ilankumaran Kaliamoorthy** Chief Executive Officer Rela Institute & Medical Centre **Dr Arun Kalyanasundaram** Director & Head of Cardiology Promed Hospital
1045 hrs	Question and Answer	
1055 hrs	Summing-up	**Dr S Chandrakumar**
1100 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1000 – 1100 Hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Senate Hall-3 Parallel State Session: **"Swarna Andhra Pradesh @ 2047" –** **Transforming Andhra Pradesh into a $2.4 Trillion Economy**		
1000 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Dr V Murali Krishna** Chairman, CII Andhra Pradesh State Council & Vizag Hospitals & Cancer Research (P) Limited
1005 hrs	Keynote Remarks	**Mr C M Saikanth Varma, IAS.,** Chief Executive Officer Andhra Pradesh Economic Development Board Government of Andhra Pradesh
1020 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Suresh Rayudu Chitturi** Past Chairman, CII Andhra Pradesh & Vice Chairman & MD, Srinivasa Hatcheries Limited **Dr Ravindra Sannareddy** Founder & Managing Director Sri City (P) Limited **Mr Pushpit Garg** Chairman, CII Tirupati & Director Pushpit Steels Pvt Limited
1045 hrs	Question and Answer	
1055 hrs	Summing-up	**Dr V Murali Krishna**
1100 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1100 – 1120 Hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 (Virtual connect) **Exclusive Session on ESDM I: Manufacturing for the Future – Aim for 25**		
1100 hrs	Introduction	**Mr Josh Foulger** President Zetwerk Electronics
1102 hrs	Address	**Mr B Thiagarajan** Managing Director Blue Star Limited
1120 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1120 – 1200 Hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Ballroom – Hall 1 Parallel Session: **Panel Discussion - Building India's ESDM Ecosystem: From Design to Manufacturing**		
1120 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Ms Sheena George** Partner EY Parthenon
1125 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Rabindra Srikantan** Vice Chairman, CII Karnataka & Founder & Managing Director ASM Technologies Limited **Mr Harendra Saksena** Chief Procurement Officer Ather Energy **Dr Sreeram Srinivasan** Executive Director, Syrma SGS Engineering & Technology Services Limited **Mr Kumar N Sivarajan** Co-founder and Chief Technology Officer Tejas Networks **Mr Pushpendra Kumar Gupta** Global CTO & APJ Presales Lead Global Alliances Presales Dell Technologies
1145 hrs	Question and Answer	
1155 hrs	Summing-up	**Ms Sheena George**
1200 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1100 – 1200 Hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Clive & Dupleix Hall – 2 Parallel Session: Sustainability II: **Can We Rewind the Clock-The Promise of a Circular Economy**		
1100 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr Ravichandran P** President Danfoss Industries Pvt Limited
1105 hrs	Keynote Remarks	**Mr Masood Mallick** Managing Director & Group Chief Executive Officer Re Sustainability Limited
1115 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Dr Kurien Joseph** Professor and Waste Management Expert Anna University **Ms Shalini Goyal Bhalla** Founder and Managing Director, International Council for Circular Economy (ICCE) **Mr Mani Vajipeyajula** Co-Founder & Chief Executive Officer Banyan Nation **Mr Ulhas Parlikar** Global Consultant - Waste Management Circular Economy & Policy Advocacy **Mr Mayank Jain** Marketing & Insights Manager Novonesis' Planetary Health Solutions Business - Middle East, India & Africa
1145 hrs	Question and Answer	
1155 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Ravichandran P**
1200 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1100 – 1200 Hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Wellington Hall – 4 Parallel Session: **State Session: Tamil Nadu - Vision to Achieve $1 Trillion Economy by 2030**		
1100 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr Shankar Vanavarayar** Immediate Past Chairman, CII Tamil Nadu & Executive Director, ABT Industries Limited
1115 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Ajit Chordia** Vice Chairman, CII Chennai Zone & Managing Director Olympia Group **Mr Murugavel Janakiraman** Past Chairman, CII Chennai Zone & Founder, Chairman & Managing Director and CEO Matrimony.com **Ms Geetha Ramamoorthi** Vice President & Managing Director KBR India (P) Ltd **Prof. Mahesh Panchagnula** Professor - Department of Applied Mechanics and Biomedical Engineering & Dean (Emeritus), IIT Madras **Dr E Hemanth Raj** Executive Vice Chairman Cancer Institute (WIA) **Mr V M Muralidharan** Co-convenor, CII Tamil Nadu Education Panel Chairman, Ethiraj College Trust Chief Executive Officer, Bahwan CyberTek Chairman, ALERT NGO
1145 hrs	Question and Answer	
1155 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Shankar Vanavarayar**
1200 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1215 – 1245 hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Panel Discussion on** **"Urbanization and Economic Growth: Paving the Road to Vision India@2047"**		
1215 hrs	Opening Remarks	**Mr K Venugopal** Chairman The Kasturi & Sons Limited
1220 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Ajit Chordia** Managing Director, Olympia Group India **Mr Satyakam Arya** Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer Daimler India Commercial Vehicles
1245 hrs	Session Concludes	
1245 – 1330 hrs: Networking Lunch Break		

Timing: 1330 – 1430 Hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Ballroom – Hall 1 Parallel Session: Mobility II **Panel Discussion on From Tailpipe Emissions to Tailwind Progress: The EV Revolution**		
1330 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr Satyakam Arya** Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer Daimler India Commercial Vehicles
1335 hrs	Keynote Remarks	**Mr Mahesh Babu** Chief Executive Officer Switch Mobility
1345 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Pratik Shah** Partner EY Parthenon **Mr Jalaj Gupta** Managing Director, TI Clean Mobility Murugappa Group **Mr Siddharth Sreenivasan** Co-Founder Numocity **Dr Ailoor Subramani** Vice President – Research & Development Renault Nissan Technology & Business Centre India (RNTBCI)
1420 hrs	Question and Answer	
1425 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Pratik Shah**
1430 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1330 – 1430 Hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Clive & Dupleix Hall – 2 Parallel Session: **Advanced Manufacturing II: From Chaos to Control: AI's Role in Supply Chain Resilience**		
1330 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr Ravi Raghavan** Managing Director Bharat Fritz Werner Limited
1335 hrs	Keynote Remarks	**Mr Manikantan N S** Global Head- Manufacturing Tech Mahindra
1355 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Vimal Ramamurthy** Partner, EY Parthenon **Mr Dinesh Narayan** Global CIO, TVS Supply Chain Solutions Limited **Mr Vimal Ramamurthy** Partner, EY Parthenon **Mr Arvind Vasu** Managing Director Scandinavian Robot Systems India Pvt Limited **Mr Deepanshu Thakur** Co-Founder, Mandelbulb Technologies
1420 hrs	Question and Answer	
1425 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Vimal Ramamurthy**
1430 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1330 – 1430 Hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Wellington Hall - 4 Parallel Session: **Session on Germany**		
1330 hrs	Opening Remarks	**Dr Kathrin Misera Lang** Consul General of the Federal Republic of Germany in Chennai
1335 hrs	Keynote Remarks	**Mr Ranjit Pratap** Chairman Southern Region Indo-German Chamber of Commerce, Chennai
1345 hrs	Bilateral Trade between India & Germany & Focus Sectors	**Mr Mallikarjuna** Regional Director Indo-German Chamber of Commerce, Chennai

1350 hrs	Presentation by Panelists *'The Future of Electric Cars'* *'To Sustain India Tunnel Infrastructure, Need of the Hour – Local Manufacture of Tunnel Boring Machines'* *'Future Technology in Construction & Off-Road Equipment'*	**Mr Thomas Dose** Managing Director, BMW, Chennai **Mr Nitin Garg** Director, Business Development Herrenknecht India **Mr Rajeev Shalia** President & Head – Research & Development Schwing Stetter India
1420 hrs	Question and Answer	
1425 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Mallikarjuna**
1430 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1430 – 1500 hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room - Hall 1 **Fireside Chat on South India's Culinary Voyage: Blending Tradition with Tomorrow's Future Needs**		
1430 hrs	Fireside Chat	**Ms Rosella Stephen** Associate Editor The Hindu **Mr Rakesh Raghunathan** Celebrity Chef & Food Historian
1500 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1500 – 1600 hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Wellington – Hall 4 Parallel Session: **Advancing India's ESDM Ambitions: Component Manufacturing and EMS Growth**		
1500 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Mr Josh Foulger** President Zetwerk Electronics
1510 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Shriram Vijayaraghavan** Chief Operating Officer Avalon Technologies **Mr Sudarshan Pitty** Repair Operations Leader Nokia Solutions and Networks Pvt Limited **Mr Nikhil Rao** Vice-President, Flex **Ms Zohra Khan** Chief Executive Officer IPEC India Private Limited
1545 hrs	Question and Answer	
1555 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Josh Foulger**
1600 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1500 – 1600 hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Clive & Dupleix Hall – 2 Parallel Session: Country Session: Australia **Innovation propels Australia-India Trade and Investments**		
1500 hrs	Introduction	**Mr A K Tareen** Core Committee Member, CII Mystic South Global Linkages Summit, Former Senior Trade Commissioner to India & South Asia Government of South Australia
1503 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting	**Ms Silai Zaki** Consul-General Australia Consulate-General, Chennai
1513 hrs	Remarks by Panelists	**Mr Jai Ranganathan** Chief Executive Officer and Founder 3VIMA Pvt Limited **Mr Sriram Iyengar** Regional Managing Director - India and Qatar Callington India Private Limited **Mr Irfan Malik** National Associate Chair and President, New South Wales, Australia India Business Council (AIBC)

1545 hrs	Question and Answer	
1555 hrs	Summing-up	**Ms Silai Zaki**
1600 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1500 – 1600 hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Senate Hall – 3 Parallel Session: **Voice of the Future with KREA University**		
1500 hrs	Introduction	**Prof Raghu V M Ganesh** Assistant Professor KREA University
1510 hrs	Presentation on "Storytelling through Indian Textiles and Architecture" by Students of KREA University	
1555 hrs	Summing-up	**Prof Raghu V M Ganesh**
1600 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1500 – 1600 hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 Parallel Session **State Session – Kerala**		
1500 hrs	Opening Remarks & Moderation	**Mr Ajay George Varghese** Managing Director Bipha Drug Laboratories Pvt Limited
1510 hrs	Keynote Address	**Mr S Harikishore, IAS**., Managing Director Kerala State Industrial Development Corporation Limited (KSIDC)
1520 hrs	Remarks by Panellists	**Mr VKC Razak** Managing Director VKC Group **Mr Santosh Kumar** Whole Time Director Harrisons Malayalam Limited (RP- Sanjiv Goenka Group) **Mr P Ganesh** Managing Director Glass & Glazing Systems Pvt Limited **Mr Sandith Thandasherry** Founder & Chief Executive Officer Navalt Solar and Electric Boats

1545 hrs	Question and Answer	
1555 hrs	Summing-up	**Mr Ajay George Varghese**
1600 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1600 – 1630 hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Exclusive Session on Regional Divides**		
1630 hrs	Introduction	**Mr Prasanna Rajagopalan** Co-Chair, CII Mystic South Global Linkages Summit 2025 and Director ICSA Group
1632 hrs	Address	**Mr Ananth Krishnan** Director The Hindu Group
1700 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1630 – 1700 hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Exclusive Session on 'Trailblazing into The Agentic Age'**		
1630 hrs	Introduction	**Mr P Madhavan** Core Committee Member CII Mystic South Global Linkages Summit 2025 Executive Vice President TVS Srichakra Limited
1632 hrs	Address	**Mr Sanket Atal** Managing Director Salesforce India Operations & Technology
1700 hrs	Session Concludes	

Timing: 1700 – 1745 hrs Tuesday, 11 February 2025 | Venue: Ball Room – Hall 1 **Valedictory Session**		
1700 hrs	Opening Remarks	**Mr T T Ashok** Chairman, CII Mystic South 2025 & Managing Director Taylor Rubber Pvt Limited
1705 hrs	Wrap up of Mystic South 2025	**Mr P Madhavan** Core Committee Member CII Mystic South Global Linkages Summit 2025 Executive Vice President TVS Srichakra Limited
1715 hrs	Special Address	**Ms Shobana Kamineni** Past President, CII & Executive Vice Chairperson Apollo Hospitals
1735 hrs	Vote of Thanks	**Mr Prasanna Rajagopalan** Co-Chair, CII Mystic South Global Linkages Summit 2025 and Director ICSA Group
1745 hrs	Summit Closes	