

# AGILE GURUGRAM 2025 CONFERENCE

**Conference Theme:** Navigating Disruption - Upholding Ethics, Sustainability, and Responsibility in a Changing World

**Co-Host:** MDI Gurgaon



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➤ 08:00-08:45

## Registration

➤ 08:45-08:50

## Lamp-Lighting

➤ 08:50-09:00



### Welcome Note

**Meenu Bhasin**

Head Placements & Corporate Relations  
MDI Gurgaon

➤ 09:00-09:15



### Program Overview

**Avinash Rao**

Chair, Agile Gurugram 2025

➤ 09:15-10:00

### Keynote - What matters in this Agile of Disruption?



**Mohit Mehra**

Chief Operations Officer  
Guardian India

➤ 10:00-10:45

### Keynote - India at the Crossroads: Shaping Ethical and Sustainable Innovation for the World



**Arun Karna**

Managing Director & CEO  
AT&T Global Network Services India Pvt. Ltd.

➤ 10:45-11:00

## Tea/Coffee Break

➤ 11:00-11:45

### Featured Speaker - How AI is disrupting the Real Estate Markets of India



**Farman Khalid**

CIO  
Emaar India Ltd

➤ 11:45-12:30

#### Track 1 - Session

#### Responsible AI: Tools, Ethics, and Bias Mitigation



**Divik Thareja**

Director  
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#### Track 2 - Session

#### The Algorithmic Shadow: Unmasking AI's Resource Drain's Hidden Cost



**Neeru Verma**

Delivery Manager, ThoughtWorks Pvt Ltd



**Prachi Agarwal**

Program Director, HCLTech

➤ 12:30-13:15

## Lunch Break

➤ 13:15-14:00

#### Track 1 - Session

#### Building Organizational Resilience: Agile in Hardware Development



**Mithun Gopal**

Director  
Nokia



**Parvathy Pillai**

Senior Hardware Engineer  
Nokia

#### Track 2 - Session

#### Responsible AI: Tools and Governance for Ethical Decision-Making and Bias-Resilient Systems



**Ashish Singh**

Head-Digital Transformation, EMAAR India Ltd

➤ 14:00-14:45

#### Track 1 - Session

#### The Hourglass Organization: Gen Z expectations, Fast tracks, and the New Divide in Work



**Avinash Rao**

Head of Consulting and Services,  
Innovation Roots



**Vandita Shukla**

MBA student  
IIM Sambalpur

#### Track 2 - Session

#### Ethics, Efficiency & Impact: Maturity Modeling for Sustainable AI



**Aayushi Gandhi**

Transformation Consultant, Greyamp Consulting



**Shrey Gupta**

Transformation Consultant, Greyamp Consulting

➤ 14:45-15:15

## Tea/Coffee Break

➤ 15:15-16:00

### Panel Discussion - The Evolving Leader: Staying Human in an Algorithmic World



**Pramodkumar Shrivastav**  
Project Manager  
Robosoft Technologies Pvt Ltd

Moderator



**Meadha Batra**  
Manager  
Publicis Sapient



**Vaishnav Mishra**  
Associate Director  
- Data Science Cars24



**Chandan Mukherji**  
Director & SVP -  
Strategy Marketing  
& Communication Nestle

➤ 16:00-16:45

### Panel Discussion - From Workforce to Work-Design: Reimagining HR for Disruption



**Vikram Jain**  
CEO,  
Logic Clutch Software

Moderator



**Debyani Sinha**  
Senior Director  
Atria



**Neha Aggarwal**  
Head - DEI, India Region  
Hitachi India

➤ 16:45-17:00

## Feedback and Announcements

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## Day 1 Closure

➤ 08:00-08:45

## Registration

➤ 08:45-09:00



### Welcome Note

**Prof. Kirti Sharma**

Associate Professor, Chairperson - G P Placements & PGDM  
MDI Gurgaon

➤ 09:00-09:15



### Program Overview

**Parasuram Chandrasekaran**

Community Leader, Agile Network India

➤ 09:15-10:00

### Keynote - Urban Sustainability Leveraging GIS & Space Tech



**Saurabh Rai**

Chief Strategy & Growth Officer  
NeoGeoInfo Technologies Limited

➤ 10:00-10:45



**Tarun Gupta**

CTO - Emerging Markets  
LTIMindtree

### Keynote - Architecting Sensible Solutions in Today's Disruptive World

➤ 10:45-11:00

## Tea/Coffee Break

➤ 11:00-11:45



**Sharutha**

Technical Solutions Architect  
Zoho

### Speaker - Beyond Theory: Real-World Agile with Zoho Sprints

➤ 11:45-12:30



**Jaskaran Singh**

Co-founder  
Birchlogic

### Featured Speaker - Turning IT Emissions into Actionable Intelligence

➤ 12:30-13:15

## Lunch Break

➤ 13:15-14:00

### Track 1 - Session

**Sustainable Agility: A Structured Approach to Navigating Disruption**



**Dinesh Sharma**  
Vice President, MPS Limited

### Track 2 - Session

**Building A Sustainable Future: Enabling Digital Sustainability**



**Rajani Kafaltia**  
Delivery Partner  
ThoughtWorks

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### Track 1 - Session

**From Chaos to Flow: The ValueFlow Framework for Responsible and Future-Ready Transformation**



**Vikas Awasthi**  
Author, Enterprise Agile Coach,  
Cognizant

### Track 2 - Session

**Using Agile To Build Relevance In A World Of Constant Disruption**



**Arunima Shekhar**  
Director - Product Management  
Material+

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## Tea/Coffee Break

➤ 15:15-16:00

### Panel Discussion - Responsible Innovation: Building AI Products That Earn Trust



**Vikas Awasthi**  
Author  
Enterprise Agile Coach  
Cognizant Technology  
Solutions



**Manoj Jain**  
Senior Director -  
Software Engineering  
Atria India Pvt. Ltd.



**Preet Saxena**  
Director - Global  
Data & Analytics  
Concentrix



**Ankur Malhotra**  
Senior Manager,  
Product  
Expedia



**Narinder Kamra**  
Founder and CEO  
VDOIT Technologies  
Ltd



**Tanmay Arora**  
Partner & Vice  
President  
KRESERA™

Moderator

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### Panel Discussion - Indian GCCs as Global Stewards: From Efficiency Hubs to Ethical Ecosystems



**Avinash Rao**  
Head - Consulting, Product  
and Services  
INNOVATION ROOTS



**Nitin Gupta**  
Director  
EY Associates LLP



**Pankaj Pathak**  
Senior Director  
Altudo



**Monishankar Hazra**  
Sr Director - Technology  
Optum India  
Official Member of Forbes  
Technology Council

Moderator

➤ 16:45-17:00

### Thank You Note



**Prof. Anurag Singh Chauhan**  
Assistant Professor, Marketing Area  
Chairperson, Student Affairs  
MDI Gurgaon

## Day 2 Closure