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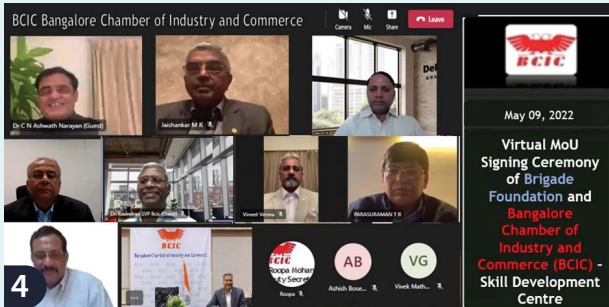


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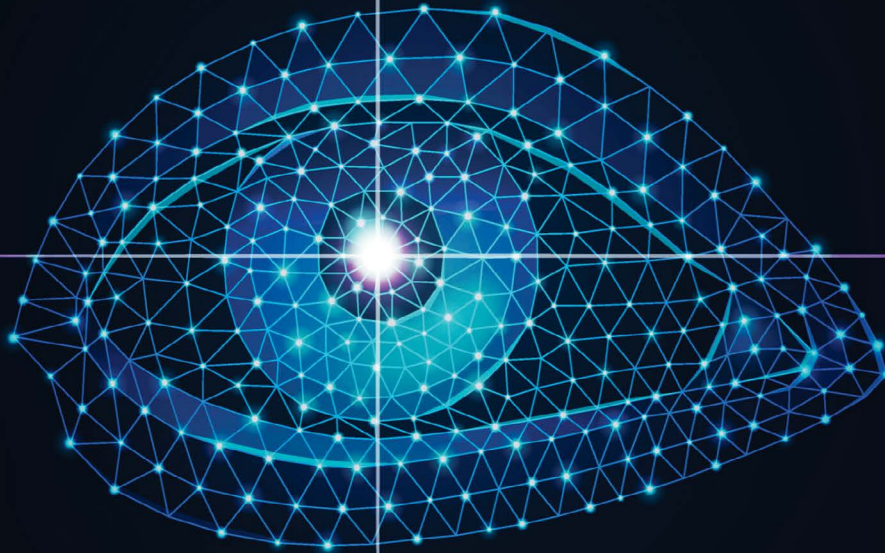
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## MISSION

Namma Karnataka-  
Gateway to Future India

## VISION

Look Beyond

Together We Should



# FOREWORD BY PRESIDENT



“The Chamber made great strides this year, in the areas of new membership, launching of Start-Up Clinic and Incubation Centre, various interdisciplinary Publications and quality events addressed by eminent & distinguished speakers from Society, Government and Industry.”

**K R Sekar**, President, BCIC

## Dear Members,

It is hard to believe that a year has gone by since I took over as the President of BCIC. It is an immense feeling of satisfaction that the goals set at the beginning of the Presidential year have been mostly achieved despite the current pandemic and challenging times, and in propelling further the advancement of the Vision and Mission of the Chamber's long and historic journey spanning over four decades. The Chamber is committed to provide all the help to the member organizations to evolve, grow and prosper in the coming years.

'Make in India' is drawing eyes and investments from across the globe into the manufacturing and service sector. While issues remain unresolved, changing the conservative bureaucratic mindset towards making India pro-business seems to have started. The key ministries with strong leadership are making strides in the right direction and several schemes of the Government have made tangible impact. This is a time for of us to put our might towards Bharat Nirmaan or Make in India through Atmanirbhar Bharat.

Towards this end, as in the past, the Chamber is poised in a large way in partnering with the Invest Karnataka 2022, the State Government's flagship initiative being held during early part of Nov 2022. The Chamber is represented in the following: (a) High Powered Committees: High Power Committee under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble

Chief Minister; Co-ordination Committee under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister for Large and Medium Industries; Inaugural and Reception Sub Committee and Exhibition Sub Committee (b) Sectoral Committees: IT, BT and ESDM Sector Committee, Infrastructure Sector Committee (including Highways, Railways, Airports, Ports and PPP Projects), Urban Infrastructure Sector Committee and Education and Health Sector Committee (including Wellness); Industrial Sector Committee, Energy Sector Committee, Agriculture, Horticulture and Food Processing Sector Committee and Tourism Sector Committee.

I must also appreciate the commendable work put forth by all the Leaders of the Expert Committee in not only by organizing quality programmes from time to time but also deliberating issues of relevance to our members thereby ensuring continued participation and knowledge sharing throughout the year.

During the period under review, in yet another milestone, the BCIC signed an MoU in partnership with Brigade Foundation steered under the visionary leadership of Mr. M R Jaishankar, Chairman & Managing Director, Brigade Enterprises Ltd in setting up a Brigade-BCIC Skill Development Academy (BBSDA) in the august presence of Dr. C N Ashwath Narayan, Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education, IT & BT, Skill & Entrepreneurship, Govt. of Karnataka. The BBSDA is being setup with the objective to impart training to better skills and productivity for the industry sectors, provide a unique opportunity for Industry and Institutions to work together to create more skilled workforce and gaining more employment opportunities.

The Chamber was also privileged to have a galaxy of speakers from the Income Tax Dept. address on a single platform on the taxation issues via., Mr. D C Patwari, IRS, Principal CCIT - Karnataka & Goa Region, Bangalore; Mr. G R Reddy, IRS, Chief Commissioner of Income Tax - TDS, Bengaluru; Mr. Sanjay Kumar, IRS, Commissioner of Income Tax - APA; Ms. Vandana Sagar, IRS, Director of Income Tax (I&CI), Bengaluru; Mr. Sanjeev Singh, IRS, Pr. Commissioner of Income Tax - CPC; Mr. Sanjay Kumar, IRS, Commissioner of Income Tax - APA and other Commissioners of the Department.

The 2nd Edition of the Emerging Stars Start-Up Award received overwhelming response from start-ups innovating in Technology to solving Societal issues ranging from AgriTech, FinTech, MedTech, EdTech, Manufacturing etc. The Core Committee had the monumental task of screening through all applications received pan-India based on set criteria to shortlist applications for the Jury Round for the final winners to be selected by the Jury. More details on the award has been published in this edition.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> edition of the prestigious Women Leadership Award culminated recently, and the awardees will be honoured at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting. The Award is dedicated for women achievers in the corporate and entrepreneurial arena acknowledging the role of women leaders as change-makers and path-breakers, bringing in innovation, insights and fresh perspectives to a wide range of fields. Rashtreeya Vidyalaya College of Engineering was the Knowledge Partner for the Award and we acknowledge the support of Dr. K N Subramanya and team for their continuous support in this endeavour.

I wish to place on record of my sincere thanks to Leaders of the Expert Committees for their invaluable services to the Chamber. Over 174 events organized during the year is a testimonial for the continued participation of the members in the events deliberating topical issues and knowledge sharing sessions.

On this occasion, I specially thank Toyota Tsusho India's management in making available Mr. A Murali, Vice President for the Chamber.

**I acknowledge with thanks the immense support provided by Members of Steering, Finance and Management Committee for their guidance in this journey. I also wish to take this opportunity to convey my sincere gratitude to all our members, who stood by the Chamber through good and bad times and whose support is the most valuable asset we have.**

It has been a great privilege and we look forward to continuing to work together in the upcoming years.

**Jai Hind!**

**Jai Karnataka!**



# EVENTS ORGANIZED DURING THE PERIOD



Date	Event	Speaker/s
April 1, 2022	Brainstorming session on "Progressing on Innovation & Creativity"	Prof. Shyam Sundar Suri, James L. Frank Professor Emeritus of Accounting, Economics and Finance, Yale School of Management
April 2 & 3, 2022	JAPAN HABBA 2022 - Tech Talks & Start-up Talks	JETRO Bengaluru
April 4, 2022	Challenges in the Journey of Digital Transformation in Manufacturing	Mr. Gautam Dutta, Consultant, Siemens Digital Industries Software India
Apr 11, 2022	Interactions with Start-Ups in Agro & Food Processing Sectors	
April 12, 2022	Interactive Session	Her Excellency, Ms. Katrin Kivi, Ambassador of Estonia Mr. Vinod Basliyal - Trade & Investment Adviser, Embassy of Estonia; Hon. Consul of Estonia - Mr. Pravin Goenka
April 20, 2022	Packaging in Food Industry - Present and Future	Ms. Subhaprada Nishtala, Director Incharge, ITCFSAN, President AFST(I) Mumbai Chapter Dr. Rajesh Matche, Head-Packaging, Central Food Technological Research Institute (CFTRI)
April 20, 2022	Proposed Bills Regulating Chartered Accountants, Cost Accountants and Company Secretaries	Dr. R Narayanaswamy, Chairman - Technical Advisory Committee, National Financial Reporting Authority
April 27, 2022	Best Practices - Continuous Improvements for Quality Certification - joint session of BCIC - BIA - ISB & M	Mr. Ravindran P, Director, Zaya Integrated Solutions (I) Pvt Ltd
April 28, 2022	Special Talk	Mr. Sandeep Kumar Maini,
May 6, 2022	Sharing of Best Practices	Visit to ELCITA, ELCIA and Tessolve
May 12, 2022	Session on Tax Deduction at Source - Recent Developments and Practical Issues	Mr. D C Patwari, IRS, Principal CCIT - Karnataka & Goa Region, Bangalore Mr. G R Reddy, IRS, Chief Commissioner of Income Tax – TDS, Bengaluru Mr. Sanjay Kumar, IRS, Commissioner of Income Tax – APA Ms. Priya Narayanan, Partner - Tax, Deloitte Haskins & Sells LLP Ms. Vandana Sagar, IRS, Director of Income Tax (I&CI), Bengaluru Mr. Sanjeev Singh, IRS, Pr. Commissioner of Income Tax - CPC Mr. Sanjay Kumar, IRS, Commissioner of Income Tax – APA Mr. Arijit Ganguly, Senior Vice President & Group Head– Taxation, Mphasis Limited Mr. Amit Jain, CFO, Toyota Industries Engine India Pvt Ltd Ms. Saraswathi Kasturirangan, Partner- Tax, Deloitte Haskins & Sells LLP Mr. Rishi Harlalka, Partner and Head – Transfer Pricing (South India), BSR Affiliates
May 7, 2022	Interactions with Start-Ups in Agro & Food Proc Sectors	-
May 12, 2022	Hiring, Retaining & Nurturing Female Talent: Global Best Practises	Ms. Meera Remani, International Executive Coach
May 14, 2022	Reassessment Implication on Recent Supreme Court Ruling	Mr. N Venkataraman, Additional Solicitor General of India Mr. P V Srinivasan Advisor, Wipro Ltd Mr. Ashutosh Dikshit, Partner, Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu India LLP
May 18, 2022	Conference on Gender Diversity in Manufacturing	Ms. Latha Chembrakalam, Head - Technical Centre India, Continental Automotive Components (India) Ms. Pankajam Sridevi, Managing Director – India, Commonwealth Bank of Australia



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May 18, 2022	Conference on Gender Diversity in Manufacturing	Mr. K R Shyam Sundar, DGM – HR, SEG Automotive (India) Ms. B S Anuradha, General Manager - Power Strategy, Linde - Praxair India Ms. Uma Reddy, MD, Hitech Magnetics & Electronics Pvt Ltd and Founder President - eMERG Dr. Meera Venkat, President, Raise Global Ms. Mahima Kulkarni, Manager -Value Engineering, Kennametal Shared Services Ms. Sandhya Rasakatla, Production Incharge, Zawar Group of Mines, Hindustan Zinc
May 18 to 20, 2022	Recommerce Expo 2021 (Battery Recycling, E-Waste Recycling, Automotive Recycling)	BCIC As Association Partner
May 21, 2022	Interactions with Start-Ups in Agro & Food Proc Sectors	-
May 25, 2022	Finance for Non-Financial Managers	Dr. Rengarajan, Associate Professor, ISB & M, Bangalore
May 24 to 26, 2022	3-day Management Development programme: Aerospace & Defence Sector MSMEs and Start-ups	Jointly with KATC
May 27, 2022	Creating Sustainable Culture of Health & Well-being in the Workplace Eco-System	Mr. Nandan Bhatia, Director - Healthy Workplace Program, Arogya World India Trust
May 27, 2022	Service Tax on Overseas Secondment of Employees - Ruling in the Case of Northern Operating Systems	Mr. G Shivadass, Mentor, Indirect Taxes Expert Committee, BCIC and Sr. Advocate, Shivadass & Shivadass Law Chambers
May 30, 2022	Special Talk on Personal Insolvency and Bankruptcy	Dr. K S Ravichandran, Managing Partner, KSR & Co Company Secretaries LLP
June 3, 2022	Interactions with Start-Ups in Agro & Food Proc Sectors	-
June 6, 2022	Jury Review 1 - presentation of the shortlisted Start-Up nominees of Emerging Star Start-Ups Award	-
June 7, 2022	Jury Review 2 - presentation of the shortlisted Start-Up nominees of Emerging Star Start-Ups Award	-
June 7, 2022	GST on ocean freight - ruling in the case of Mohit Minerals	Mr. N Venkataraman, Additional Solicitor General of India
June 9, 2022	Grow Your Business with Location Analytics	Mr. Ashish Dhawan, Divisional Head - Pre-Sales, Esri India
June 10, 2022	The Future of Work	Mr. Jairaj Nair, COO, Mikro Grafeo
June 11, 2022	Opening Ceremony of AccelATHON 3.0	BCIC - Nagarjuna College of Engineering and Technology
June 18, 2022	IMTEX 2022, IMTEX FORMING 2022 & Digital Manufacturing 2022	BCIC Delegation visit
June 24, 2022	Services of Information Utility (IU) - Benefits to Operational Creditors	Mr. Debajyoti Ray Chaudhuri, MD & CEO, National e-governance Services Ltd
June 24, 2022	Jury Round - BCIC-NGI AccelATHON 3.0	-
July 5, 2022	Session on GST Survey	Ms. Shikha C, IAS, Commissioner of Commercial Taxes (Karnataka), Bangalore Mr. Murali Krishna, Addl. Commissioner of State Taxes, (e-Governance)
July 16, 2022	Award Ceremony: BCIC Start-Up and Women Empowerment & Leadership	Mr. Jeet Vijayvargiya, CEO, MeitY Dr. Sandhya Anvekar, Programme Head – Skills, Karnataka Innovation and Technology Society (KITS), Department of Electronics, IT, BT and S&T, GoK



# SCREEN SHOTS OF EVENTS HELD



## BCIC Two-Day Virtual Business Leadership Conclave, April 8 & 9, 2022



**L to R:** Mr. R Gopalakrishnan, Author and Corporate Advisor, former Director, Tata Sons and Vice Chairman, Hindustan Unilever; Mr. K R Sekar, President, BCIC; Mr. N Venkatram, CEO, Deloitte India; Mr. Guruprasad S, MD & CEO, Qess Corp Limited; Mr. S Vaitheeswaran, Vice Chairman and MD, Manipal Education & Medical Group; Ms. Sonali Kulkarni, President & CEO, Fanuc India Private Limited; Ms. Nirupa Shankar, Executive Director, Brigade Enterprises Limited; Dr. Rumki Majumdar, Associate Director, Deloitte India; Mr. Sanjay Sharma, CEO, MTR Foods Private Limited; Mr. Sanjeev Sharma, CEO & MD, ABB India Limited; Ms. Vibha Padalkar, MD & CEO, HDFC Life Insurance Company Limited; Mr. TV Mohandas Pai, Former Director (Finance and HR) Infosys Limited & Chairman - Manipal Group; Mr. Suresh Senapathy, Former Executive Director & CFO, Wipro Limited; Mr. Jatin Dalal, CFO, Wipro Limited; Mr. Arvind Datar, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court; Ms. Chetna Sinha, Founder Chairperson, Mann Deshi Mahila Sahakari Bank; Mr. Jogin Desai, Founder and CEO, Eyestem Research Private Limited; Mr. Madan Padaki, co-founder and director, Sylvant Advisors; Mr. T R Parasuraman, Immediate Past President, BCIC and President & Whole Time Director, Toyota Industries Engines Pvt Ltd; Mr. K K Prithvi, Deputy Secretary General, BCIC; Mr. A Murali, Advisor, BCIC and Vice President, Toyota Tsusho India; Dr. L Ravindran, Senior Vice President, BCIC; Mr. Niranjan Mandyam, Assistant Secretary General, BCIC; Ms. Tapati Ghose, Co-Chair, Direct Tax Expert Committee, BCIC and Partner, Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu India LLP; Ms. Lavanya Pachisia, COO, Zivame.

## BCIC Conference on Gender Diversity in Manufacturing - May 18, 2022



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## Sharing of Best Practices - Visit to ELCITA, ELCIA and Tessolve Semiconductor on May 6, 2022





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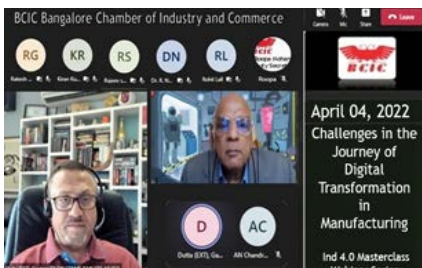
Session on Key to Business Growth and Sustainability for SMEs in India held on March 29, 2022



Webinar on Covid - The Innovation Imperative on March 30, 2022



Brainstorming session on "Progressing on Innovation & Creativity" held on April 01, 2022



Challenges in the Journey of Digital Transformation in Manufacturing - Ind 4.0 Masterclass Webinar Series on April 04, 2022



Special Talk on Food & Agri industry insights - START-UP Perspective on April 06, 2022



BCIC Interaction with Start-ups - An initiative under the aegis of Agro and Food Processing Expert Committee BCIC on April 11, 2022



Proposed Bills Regulating Chartered Accountants, Cost Accountants and Company Secretaries on April 20, 2022



Session on Food Packaging - Recent changes in Food Packaging and Labelling Regulations on April 20, 2022

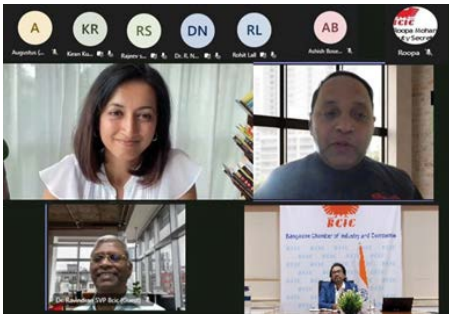
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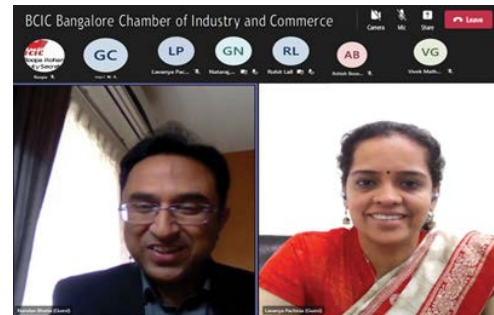
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Reassessment Implication on Recent Supreme Court Ruling on May 14, 2022



Session on Smart Cities and Importance of Standardization on May 21, 2022



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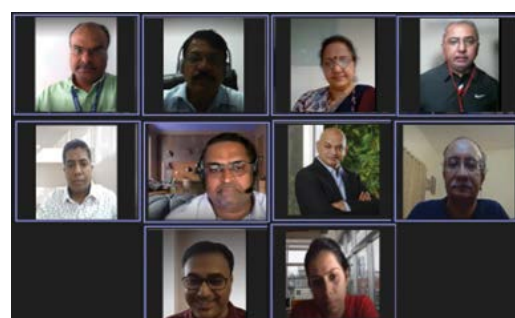
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BCIC Emerging Stars Award 2022 - Jury round on June 6 & 7, 2022





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Session on Grow Your Business With Location Analytics - Understanding GIS Technologies on June 9, 2022



BCIC and NGI Virtual Launch on AccelATHON 3.0 on June 11, 2022



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**INDUSTRY DELEGATES**

### BCIC Delegates Visit IMTEX 2022



Team of delegates consisting of technology experts, consultants, and trainers from Bangalore Chamber of Industries & Commerce (BCIC) yesterday visited IMTEX 2022. They were on the lookout for new technologies that could be introduced to the Indian manufacturing industry to make it more competitive globally. Describing their purpose behind the visit, Dr S Devarajan, Co-Chairman, Manufacturing Expert Committee, BCIC, and Sr. Vice President, Production Engineering, said, "We come to IMTEX regularly to see the changes happening in the field of technology, and the way new technologies can deliver competitiveness among our manufacturers. It's also an opportunity to interact with many of our suppliers who put up their stalls here. And since advanced manufacturing technologies including IoT, digitalization etc., are also being adopted by the Indian manufacturers, we try to understand the scope of manufacturing or producing them in India. It's crucial to chalk out strategies for accelerating the process of making Bharat Aatmanirbhar."

"Like its previous editions, IMTEX FORMING 2022 is also a well-organized show. There is a special focus on Indian manufacturing in Hall no. 2. Although the crowd is less today, it will increase tomorrow (Sunday). Having come here to explore the cutting-edge in manufacturing, one gets to know what needs to be introduced to the Indian manufacturing industry," he added. Focusing on the need for self-reliance, Prakash G, Chairman, Technical Committee of BCIC and Vice President, Technical Division Corporate, Toyota Kirloskar Auto Parts Pvt Ltd, said, "We are basically an automotive parts manufacturer moving on from traditional drive-trains to electrical drive-trains. For several reasons, we need to depend on our parent Japanese company, which is a time-consuming and expensive affair. Now, our parent company wants us to be self-reliant. Hence, we are here to explore and source technologies that can help us become 'aatmanirbhar'."

BCIC Delegation visit to IMTEX FORMING 2022, Tooltech 2022 & Digital Manufacturing 2022 on June 18, 2022



# MEETINGS WITH GOVT. OFFICIALS / CONSULATES



## Meeting With Government Officials

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## Engagement with International Consulates

Mr. K R Sekar, President BCIC along with Mr. A Murali, Advisor, BCIC extended a courtesy visit to Mr. Nakane Tsutomu who has taken over as the Consul General, Consulate General of Japan in Bengaluru - July 5, 2022



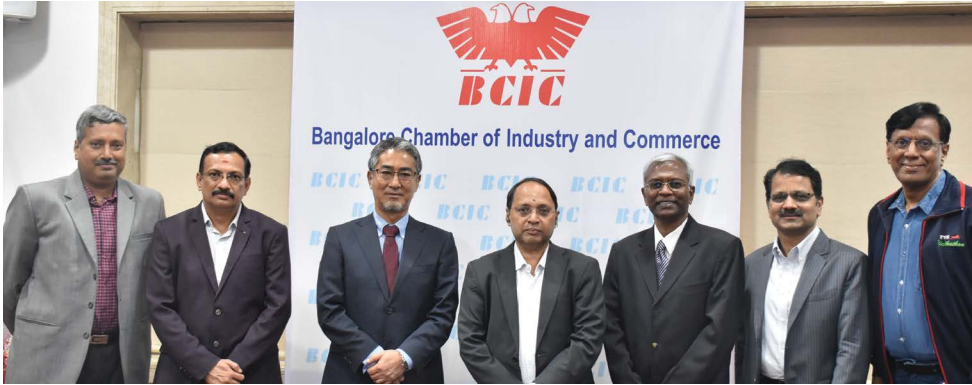
H.E Chang Jae-bok, Ambassador of the Republic of Korea to India (5th from left) delivered special address; BCIC was represented by Mr. K Ravi (4th from right), Mr. Ganesh Shenoy (4th from left), Chair & Co-Chair, International Business Expert Committee, BCIC and Mr. A Murali, Advisor, BCIC (3rd from the right)



# MEETINGS WITH GOVT. OFFICIALS / CONSULATES



## Meeting with Mr. Nobuaki Yahiro, Managing Director, Toyota Tsusho India Pvt Ltd - July 13, 2022



From **L to R**: Mr. Niranjan Mandyam, Assistant Secretary General, BCIC; Mr. A Murali, Advisor, BCIC and Vice President, Toyota Tsusho India Pvt Ltd; Mr. Nobuaki Yahiro, Managing Director, Toyota Tsusho India Pvt Ltd; Mr. K R Sekar, President, BCIC; Dr. L Ravindran, Senior Vice President, BCIC; Dr. K G Suresh, Country Head, BCIC- Japan and President, Inter Trade KK, Japan; Dr. S Devarajan, Vice President, BCIC

## Meeting with Dr. Murugesh Nirani, Hon'ble Minister for Large and Medium Industries, Government of Karnataka – July 18, 2022



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### The Bangalore Chamber of Industry and Commerce

*Wishes all members who celebrated their birthday*





# REPRESENTATIONS SUBMITTED TO GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES



Date	Expert Committee	Subject	Authority
Apr 28, 2022	Indirect Taxes	Representation on GST matters	<b>Mr. DP Nagendra Kumar</b> , IRS, Member, Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs (CBIC), New Delhi <b>Mr. Balasubramanian K</b> , Joint Secretary, Government of India Tax Policy Research Unit, Ministry of Finance
July 6, 2022	Banking, Finance & Corporate Affairs	Representation on Issues to be addressed in MCA portal	<b>Shri. Rajesh Verma</b> , Honourable Secretary, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India.



## BCIC WELCOMES THE NEW MEMBERS

Vishwannath Associates

Satvic Foods Pvt Ltd

Narayan Bhat & Co

Incremind Pvt Ltd

Galypso Global

Conneqt Business Solutions Ltd

Conversant Software Development and Campaign Management Services LLP

Horizon Industrial Parks Private Limited

Kronos Systems India Private Limited

Gallup India Private Limited

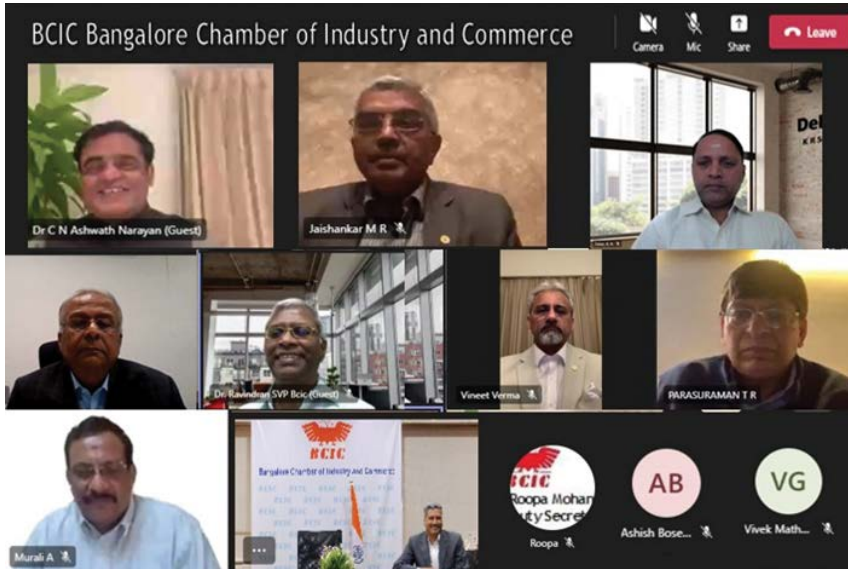
Gamechanger Business Services (I) Private Limited

Natural Capsules Limited

Livine Software Solutions Private Limited



## Brigade Foundation - BCIC collaborate to set up 'Brigade - BCIC Skill Development Academy



From **L to R**: Dr. C N Ashwath Narayan, Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education, IT & BT, Skill & Entrepreneurship, Govt. of Karnataka; Mr. M R Jaishankar, Chairman & Managing Director, Brigade Enterprises Ltd; Mr. K R Sekar, President-BCIC and Partner, Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu India LLP; Dr. H Shashidhar, IAS-Rtd, CEO, Brigade Foundation; Dr. L Ravindran, Senior Vice President, BCIC and MD & CEO, Wealthmax Group of Companies; Mr. Vineet Verma, Chairman, Tourism, Hospitality and Facility, Expert Committee, BCIC and Director, Brigade Hospitality; Mr. T R Parasuraman, Immediate Past President, BCIC and President & Whole Time Director, Toyota Industries Engines Pvt Ltd; Mr. A Murali, Advisor, BCIC and Vice President, Toyota Tsusho India; Mr. Niranjana Mandyam, Assistant Secretary General, BCIC.

Bangalore Chamber of Industry & Commerce (BCIC) & Brigade Foundation, a 'Not for Profit Trust' of Brigade Group, have signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to set up 'Brigade-BCIC Skill Development Academy – a Centre of Excellence', with state-of-the-art infrastructure on a 5 acres land parcel in Aerospace Park, Bangalore North.

Bangalore Chamber of Industry & Commerce (BCIC) will provide all academic and knowledge support in the areas of Construction, Retail, Tourism & Hospitality and Manufacturing sectors. The BBSDA will provide opportunities to students, and working professionals in upgrading their skills in their respective sectors. The idea is to create a centre of excellence where training imparted translates to better skills and productivity for the industry sectors. This is a unique opportunity for Industry and Institutions to work together to create a more skilled workforce and gain more employment opportunities.

## Meeting with Sri. Ashwin D Gowda, IRS, Managing Director, Karnataka Skill Development Corporation, GoK on April 20, 2022



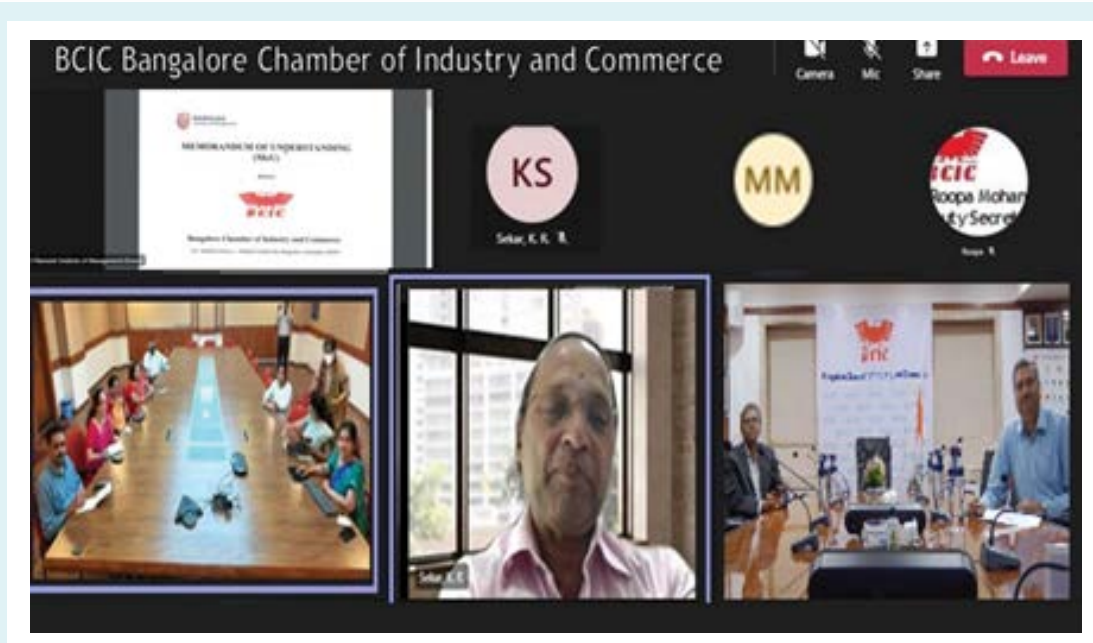
Preliminary discussions held on Apr 8, 2022: **L to R**: Mr. A Murali, Advisor, BCIC and Vice President, Toyota Tsusho India; Dr. H Shashidhar, IAS-Rtd, CEO, Brigade Foundation; Mr. Vineet Verma, Chairman, Tourism, Hospitality and Facility, Expert Committee, BCIC and Director, Brigade Hospitality & Managing Director, World Trade Center Bangalore; Mr. M R Jaishankar, Chairman & Managing Director, Brigade Enterprises Ltd; Mr. K R Sekar, President-BCIC and Partner, Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu India LLP; Dr. L Ravindran, Senior Vice President, BCIC and MD & CEO, Wealthmax Group of Companies.



**L to R**: Sri. Ashwin D Gowda, IRS; Mr. K R Sekar, President, BCIC and Dr. L Ravindran, Senior Vice President, BCIC



# BCIC - MSRIM MOU



BCIC and MS Ramaiah Institute of Management signed an MoU on April 01, 2022 to work collaboratively to develop a Centre for Excellence to bridge the gap between the Academia and the Industry. The Centre for excellence aspires to contribute to Industry and Academia through its manifold activities.



# ANNUAL SPONSORSHIP OF THE EVENTS

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## 2<sup>ND</sup> EDITION OF EMERGING STARS START-UP AWARD 2022

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The Bangalore Chamber of Industry and Commerce (BCIC) instituted the Emerging Stars Award to identify, recognize and encourage start-up organizations that have the potential to make a material impact on society through innovation either with new products or services.

### **The award aimed at**

- Enhancing the value of brand “India” as a leading global hub for innovation
- Creates and delivers value to the society and industry
- Create an ecosystem to support Start-ups in terms of mentorship, entrepreneurial development program and funding

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition of the Emerging Stars Start-Up Award 2022 received overwhelming response from start-ups innovating in Technology to solving Societal issues ranging from AgriTech, FinTech, MedTech, EdTech, Manufacturing etc. The Jury Committee had the monumental task of sifting through all application based on set criteria to shortlist applications for the Jury Round for the final winners to be selected by the Jury.

Our sincere thanks to MEITY, AGNII (Accelerated Growth for New India’s Innovation), Karnataka Innovation and Technology Society, GoK for their support to the BCIC Emerging Stars Awards from its inception in helping in formulating guidelines for the Awards.

Start-ups that participate in these awards were provided a platform to showcase their product or service offerings to members of the chamber for business collaboration, mentoring, Go To Market Strategy and for funding support.

The BCIC acknowledges the continuous support of all the esteemed sponsor organizations for their contribution in making this initiative a grand success.



## Jury Panel - BCIC Emerging Stars Awards 2022



**Chairman**  
**Mr. K Jairaj, IAS, Retd**  
Former Additional Chief Secretary,  
Govt of Karnataka



**Co-Chairman**  
**Mr. Ravi Challu**  
Founder  
BulletproofYourStartup.com

## Members of The Jury



**Mr. Chandu Nair**  
Independent Director  
Shankara Building Products  
and Investor, Chennai Angels



**Mr. HV Harish**  
Former Senior Partner  
Grant Thornton India



**Dr. Lakshmi Jagannathan**  
CEO  
DERBI Foundation



**Dr. Anant R Koppa**  
CEO & MD  
Kushagramati Analytics



**Mr. Sandeep Agarwal**  
Executive VP  
Visionet Systems INC



**Dr. Krishnashree Achuthan**  
CEO  
Amrita Business Technology  
Incubator



**Mr. Francis Rodrigues**  
Marketing & e-Commerce  
HDFC Life



**Mr. Vinod Keni**  
Lead, Venture Capital  
Corporate Investments



**Mr. Krishna Kumar**  
Founder & MD  
Simbus Technologies Pvt Ltd



**Mr. Giridhar Rajagopalan**  
Group Editor  
9.9 Group



**Mr. Sandeep Devarapali**  
Partner  
DataZip

## Leaders - YoungBCIC Expert Committee



**Mr. Manas Dasgupta**  
Head – Technology, ANZ Wealth  
ANZ Operations and Technology



**Ms. Richa Sarna**  
Former Head - Public Relations  
Indus Business Academy

## Selection

# 300+

**Applications**

# 30

**Shortlisted for  
Jury Round**

# 18

**Finalists**

# 7

**Winner  
Selected**

## Categories

**Covid Resilient  
Startup**

**Most Innovative  
Product**

**Innovation in  
Customer Service**

**Best Social  
Startup**

**Best Technology led  
Innovation**

**Woman led  
Startup**

**Research led  
Innovation**

## Winners

Start-up Name	Category Name	Location
Yibeal Tradex Pvt Ltd	Covid-Resilient Tech Innovation	Kolkata
Neodocs Healthcare Pvt. Ltd.	Innovative Product	Mumbai
Vivesty Green Recyclers Pvt Ltd	Social	Kozhikode
Trashin Recycling Pvt Ltd	Customer Service	Bengaluru
testAling	Technology Led Innovation	Noida
Log 9 Materials Scientific Pvt Ltd	Research Led Innovation	Bengaluru
Cunomial Technologies	Women-Led	Bangaluru

## Finalists

SL	Name of Start-up	SL	Name of Start-up
1	VIVALYF Innovations Private Limited	10	Asear Healthcare Private Limited
2	PhotoSplMeDx Private Limited	11	Datopsys Info Solutions
3	Mikro Grafeio Services Pvt Ltd	12	DoDoo Services Private Limited
4	Niral Netwroks Private Limited	13	PrimaSource Products & Services Private Limited
5	Uzhavarbumi Agro Products Private Limited	14	VNC Artha
6	SandLogic Technologies Private Limited	15	Excite Visions & Retail Technology Private Limited
7	Deliverain Technologies Private Limited	16	Lab to Market Innovations Private Limited
8	Neewee Analytics Private Limited	17	Shield Secure Services
9	Proyogik Technologies Private Limited	18	Covid Safe Private Limited

## Snapshots



Photo taken on the occasion of 2nd Edition of BCIC Emerging Stars Startup Summit and Awards ceremony; seen are Award Winners along with the Chief Guest, Guests of Honour and BCIC Office Bearers



**L to R:** Mr. Hari T N, Author, Angel Investor, former CHRO – BigBasket; Dr. L Ravindran, Senior Vice President, BCIC; Dr. Sandhya R Anvekar, Programme Head - Skills, KITS, Dept. of Electronics, IT, BT and S&T, Government of Karnataka; Mr. Jeet Vijayvargiya, Chief Executive Officer, MeitY Startup Hub (MSH); Mr. K R Sekar, President, BCIC; Dr. S Devarajan, Vice President, BCIC; Mr. Jeet Vijayvargiya, Chief Executive Officer, MeitY Startup Hub (MSH)





Panel Discussions Evolving Landscape of Entrepreneurship: **L to R:** Ms. Sruthi Kannan, Head – Cisco LaunchPad; Ms. Soumya Kushwaha, Co-Founder, Leaf Round; Moderator: Mr. Vijetha Shastry, Associate Director, Dexter Capital; Dr. Lakshmi Jagannathan, CEO, Derbi Foundation



Ms. Richa Sarna; Mr. Manas Dasgupta – Leaders of YoungBCIC & Start-Up Expert Committee, BCIC; Mr. Niranjan Mandyam, Assistant Secretary General, BCIC; Mr. Vishwas Reddy, MD, Vishwas Constructions; Dr. Lakshmi Jagannathan, CEO, Derbi Foundation; Ms. Soumya Kushwaha, Co-Founder, Leaf Round; Ms. Sruthi Kannan, Head – Cisco LaunchPad; Mr. Vijetha Shastry, Associate Director, Dexter Capital Advisors; Dr. L Ravindran, Senior Vice President, BCIC; Mr. K R Sekar, President, BCIC; Dr. S Devarajan, Vice President, BCIC; Mr. A Murali, Advisor, BCIC



Mr. Devendra Agrawal, Founder, Dexter Capital Advisors receiving the memento from Mr. Giridhar Rajagopal, Jury Member and Group Editor, Nine Dot Nine Mediaworkx Pvt Ltd



Jury Members Dr. Lakshmi Jagannathan and Mr. Ravi Challu, Founder, Bulletproof Your Startup receiving the memento from Mr. Pradip Chakrabarty, Founder & CEO, GameChanger Business Services (I) Pvt Ltd.

## Winners



Start-up Name	Category Name	Location
Vivesty Green Recyclers Pvt Ltd	Social	Kozhikode



Start-up Name	Category Name	Location
Trashin Recycling Pvt Ltd	Customer Service	Bengaluru



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testAling	Technology Led Innovation	Noida



Start-up Name	Category Name	Location
LOGNINE Materials scintific Pvt. Ltd.	Customer Service	Bengaluru



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Cunomial Technologies	Women-Led	Bengaluru

## Jury members present on the occasion being honoured



Dr. L Ravindran handing over the memento to Dr. Krishnashree Achuthan, Jury Member and CEO, Amrita Technology; Dr. Krishnashree also addressed on Business Incubator to Post awards engagement with BCIC and the constituent partners at the session



Mr. K R Sekar handing over the memento to Mr. Giridhar Rajagopal, Jury Member and Group Editor, Nine Dot Nine Mediaworkx Pvt Ltd



Dr. KV Omprakash, Corporate lawyer & Director, Conscientia Consultancy; Dr. Prashanth Reddy, Managing Director, FunderMax India handing over the memento to Dr. Lakshmi Jagannathan, Jury Member and CEO, DERBI Foundation



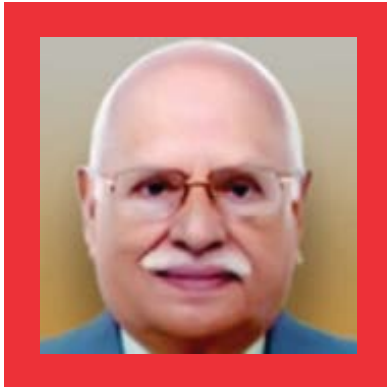
Mr. H V Harish, Jury Member receiving the memento from Mr. K R Girish, Past President, BCIC

## Section of the audience





# CONDOLENCE MESSAGE



## CA . K Purnachandra Rao

President (1990-1991) of

The Greater Mysore Chamber of Industry-GMCI  
(Now Bangalore Chamber of Industry and Commerce-BCIC)

With deep regret, the BCIC condoles the sad demise of CA K Purnachandra Rao (Shri K P Rao as fondly remembered) on April 7, 2022 in Bangalore. He was the President of BCIC during the year 1990-1991. His firm KP Rao and Associates is a leading Chartered Accountant firm.

The Chamber prays to the almighty for his soul to rest in peace and offers heartfelt condolences to the members of the bereaved family.





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