

Rail India

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Messe Frankfurt's Rail India Conference & Expo remains the leading railway industry conference in India attracting delegates from across the country and around the world. In addition to providing a highly anticipated forum for sharing information, gaining valuable project updates and learning about new technological advances in the world of railways, it also presents a high value place to meet and do business.

The conference and the exhibition are open only to paid delegates, ensuring the people you meet are the people you need to meet—the railway industry professionals. The conference presents a who's who line up of plenary speakers and an informative, content-packed business and technical paper program. The conference is unparalleled for its industry networking opportunities.

The two day conference brought together 200+ attendees including 32 eminent speakers representing entire cross section of the industry and addressing the major challenges in Indian rail industry, New initiatives and technological advancements in high speed rail, future of train sets in India, wagons for dedicated freight corridor, initiatives undertake and future plans for the redevelopment of existing stations, and high speed rail in India etc.

Attendees

200+
Delegates

Speakers

32

Railway Zones
Participated

20



The **Rail India Conference & Expo 2017** was inaugurated by the then Railway Board Chairman **Shri A K Mital** who was the Honorable Chief Guest at the event. He was joined by **Shri Arunendra Kumar**, Former Chairman, Railway Board, **H. E. Mr. Milan Hovorka**, Ambassador of Czech Republic to India and **Mr. Choi Bong-Kyu**, Minister Counsellor, Embassy of Republic of Korea to India. The event was supported by Ministry of Railways, Government of India and received special mention by the Railway Chairman

Participation from various Railway Zones

- Rail Coach Factory
- Diesel Locomotive Works
- East Central Railways
- South Eastern railways
- Northern Railway
- Rail Wheel Factory
- Central Railways
- Chiraranjan Locomotive works
- Western Railways
- DMW
- Dedicated Freight Corridor
- Modern Coach factory
- South East Central Railways
- South Western Railways
- Integral Coach Factory
- East Cost Railways
- North Central Railway
- Northern Frontier Railways
- Southern Railways
- Northeast Frontier Railway
- West Central Railways

Attended by Senior Railway Board Officials

- Shri A K Mital, Chairman, Railway Board
- Shri Ghanshyam Singh, Member Traction, Railway Board
- Shri Ravindra Gupta, Member Rolling Stock, Railway Board
- Shri A K Mittal, Member Engineering, Railway Board
- Shri Akhil Agrawal, DG (S&T), Railway Board
- Shri Achal Khare, MD, National High Speed Rail Corporation Ltd
- Shri Vinay Kumar Singh, Managing Director, National Capital Region Transport Corporation
- Shri Girish Pillai, General Manager, West Central Railways
- Shri Adesh Sharma, MD, Dedicated Freight Corridor
- Shri Rajiv Chaudhary, Adviser (Station Dev. Engg.), Railway Board
- Shri S K Lohia, MD, Indian Rail Station Development Corporation
- Shri L C Trivedi, CME, Integral Coach Factory
- Shri S D Sharma, Director- BD, Delhi Metro Rail Corporation
- Shri P K Agrawal, Director (Domestic & HR), CONCOR
- Shri Sudheer Kumar Advisor(Loco and Rolling stock)

Industry Speaks

The seminar gives you a bird eye view of the future of Indian Railways. Interaction between Railways and Industry in such forum is a welcome change. It gives the field unit an idea, in the direction the railways are moving forward. The conference was well organised and full of information.

-Shri J.K Saha, Chief Mechanical Engineer,
South Eastern Railway

The conference was very insightful and provided lot of inputs on latest developments. Seminar provided an opportunity to interact with people across different fields in the Rail Industry. It was truly an amazing experience to learn through their experience and getting familiar with the latest trend and technologies.

-Dr. Monica Agnihotri, General Manager- BD, RVNL

The conference proved to be very informative on various aspects of Indian Railways varying from engineering infrastructure to coaching to freight issues. The conference was useful to deliberate the bright bright future of Indian Railways, the constraints as well as the solutions to tackle each one of them. The overall arrangement was also conducive.

-Shri Prabhakar Mishra, Joint General Manager,
Dedicated Freight Corridor of India

Rail India Conference & Expo (second edition) is a commendable effort from Messe Frankfurt. Lot of Good informative presentations were shown from many government authorities. A good platform to network with people from the industry and many seniors from the government.

-Shri Rajeev Gupta, General Manager – Marketing,
Jindal Stainless

Very well organised conference & expo consisting of cross section participants. It was relevant, the presentations made were of high quality.

-Shri Mukund Sinha, OSD (Urban Transport) & Ex. Officio
Joint Secretary, MoUD

A well focused event covering "niche" aspects of the rail industry. It was really informative and insightful, the audience was really attentive and interested in the presentations. It is a great platform for the people to network in the industry.

-Shri Akhil Agrawal, Railway Board Director, DG (S&T)

Nicely organised event with excellent speakers. Please continue to organize such event with deep dive into specific areas.

-Shri Rahul Agarwal, AVP, Invest India

The conference was really informative. Indian railways are really poised for giant leap. Many of their initiatives are on the floor now. A well organised conference. Good job Messe Frankfurt !

-Shri Sandeep Kumar, Sales Manager, LG Electronics



CHIEF GUEST

SHRI A K MITAL
Chairman, Railway Board



Indian Railways is the lifeline of the economy. The central government is investing hugely towards modernization of railway infrastructure to push growth and provide better services and safety to passengers. Various reforms have been initiated to put Indian railways on the fast track.

Railway Safety and security of passengers has always been our top most priority. I am glad that Messe Frankfurt Trade Fairs India has organised the second edition of Rail India Conference & Expo focusing on the very important subject of Railway Safety & Development

I am sure that the summit would provide a good opportunity for industry players, technology and solution providers, funding agencies, etc to have meaningful interactions and discussions on the latest development and technology in the field of Railway Infrastructure, Investments and Safety.

I congratulate the organizers and wish all the success for the event.



Mr Eppner Enrico
BSW



Shri Mukesh Nigam
Director Operations, CRIS



Shri Arunendra Kumar
Former Chairman, Railway Board



H. E. Mr. Milan Hovorka
Ambassador of Czech Republic to India

Meet the Speakers



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Shri A K Mital
Chairman,
Railway Board



GUEST OF HONOR

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**Shri Vinay Kumar
Singh**
MD, NCRTC



Shri S K Lohia
MD, Indian Rail Station
Development Corpo-
ration



Shri Adesh Sharma
MD, DFCC



Shri Girish Pillai
General Manager, West
Central Railways



Shri Rajeev Jyoti
Chief Executive-Rail-
ways, Larsen & Toubro



Shri Subrat Nath
Director India and Asia
Pacific, Talgo



Shri L C Trivedi
CME, Integral Coach
Factory



**Mr Yoshihiro
Kumamoto**
Senior Executive Officer,
East Japan Railway
Company



**Mr Svyatoslav
Afanasev**
Director-BD, PTK Group-
Freight Corridor



Shri Mukesh Nigam
Director Operations,
CRIS



Shri P K Agarwal
Director (Domestic &
HR), CONCOR



Shri Rajeev Gupta
GM-Marketing, Jindal
Stainless Limited



Shri Achal Khare
MD, National High
Speed Rail Corporation
Ltd



Shri Rajiv Chaudhary
Adviser (Station Dev.
Engg.), Railway Board



Shri S D Sharma
Director – BD , Delhi
metro rail Corporation

Key Points of Discussion

- Update on Government plans and reforms
- Station Redevelopment & Port Connectivity
- Creating the Metro Networks for the Future
- Dedicated Freight Corridors- The Future of Railways
- Likely challenges in the implementation of high speed projects
- Rail Amenities, Safety & Rolling Stock
- Adopting Intelligent Railway Safety Solution
- New Technology in Railway Signalling
- Digitisation on express mode in Indian Railways
- Opportunities in areas of manufacturing, engineering and electrification
- Future of train sets in India

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