AGENDA, 4 OCTOBER, 2023



9:00 AM - 10:00AM

Registration and Refreshments

10:00AM - 10:25AM

Morning Music Performance

Indian Folk by Nathoo Lal Solanki & Harpreet Singh

10:25AM - 10:35AM

Welcome Address

Dr. Brian Grim, Global Chairman, Dare to Overcome **Sanjoy K. Roy**, Managing Director, Teamwork Arts

10:35AM - 11:20AM

Plenary A: Multinational Corporation (MNC) Keynote Panel

Karun Gupta, Finance Director - India, Salesforce Manoj Paul, Managing Director - India, Equinix

V Chandramouliswaran (Mouli), Vice President Data, PayPal

Sonia Singh, Editorial Director, NDTV

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President of Asia-Pacific, Equinix

11:20AM - 11:35AM

Dare to Overcome Employee Resource Group (ERG) Award

Practitioners leading cultural diversity groups in India from Equinix, PayPal, and Salesforce join their companies' senior leaders on stage to each provide an example of how their ERGs are making an impact in their companies and the local communities where they are located. Each company will be recognised with the Dare to Overcome ERG Award for their pioneering initiatives. The Awards will be presented by Dr. Brian Grim and Soniya Hiremath, President of the Indian EBRG at American Airlines.

11:40AM - 12:20PM

Plenary B: Women and Leadership

Dr. Jyotsna Suri, Chairperson & Managing Director,

The Lalit Suri Hospitality Group

Poonam Muttreja, Executive Director, Population Foundation of

Sanjoy K. Roy, Managing Director, Teamwork Arts

12:30PM - 1:10PM - Concurrent Breakouts A & B

A: How corporate cultural diversity groups grow and have impact (MNCs in India)

Aarti Joshi, Director - Legal, Corporate, Equinix India

Gulrez Khan, Data Science Leader, PayPal

Prabhdeep Kaur, Vice President Faithforce India, Salesforce

Rohan Singh, Consultant, NeuraFlash

B: Women Leaders Roundtable (By Invitation only)

The roundtable, chaired by Jean Sung, gathers women leaders to discuss how they can become allies of other forms of diversity, such as cultural diversity, in the workplace and marketplace. The anticipated outcome of the Roundtable will be to establish a working group that pursues this topic and reports back on progress at next year's Dare to Overcome Delhi conference.

1:10PM - 2:10PM - Buffet Lunch & Networking

2:15PM - 2:30PM

Afternoon Music Performance

Kartikey Vashist Duo (Flute & Percussion)

2:35PM - 3:05PM

Plenary Discussion – How to overcome difficult conversations about diversity at work

Gagan Singh, Chief Culture Evangelist,

Anarock Property Consultants Pvt Ltd

Zainab Patel, Inclusion and Diversity Lead, Pernod Ricard India

3:05PM - 3:20PM

Keynote: Each Other's Story: East Meets West

Sadhvi Bhagawati Saraswati, Renowned spiritual leader in India Introduction by Amb. Ashok Sajjanhar

 $3:20PM-4:00PM-Concurrent\ Breakouts\ C\ \&\ D$

C: Building Bridges of Support Between US & Indian Workplaces

Praveena Yagnambhat, Chief of Staff & Boeing Global

Engagement Leader, India & South Asia

Simran Stuelpnagel, Global Affairs Advisor, Yogi Tea

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Shreerupa Mitra,} Deputy MD \& Head of Strategic Initiatives for India, US-India Business Council \\ \end{tabular}$

D: King Husein Global Business & Intercultural Peace Awardees Reception (By Invitation Only)

Meet-and-greet session for all Global Business & Intercultural Peace Awardees and corporate award sponsors.

4:10PM - 5:10PM

Plenary Talks - King Husein Global Business & Intercultural Peace Award Winners' Panel

The Global Business & Intercultural Peace Award winners will each address the theme of Unity in Diversity, sharing their insights and inspiration.

Nadir Godrej, Chairman of Godrej Agrovet and Managing Director of Godrej Industries

Sangita Jindal, Chairperson of the JSW Foundation

Zainab Patel, Lead - Inclusion and Diversity, Pernod Ricard India

Ajay Prakash, Incoming IIPT President,

on behalf of ${\bf Louis}~{\bf D'Amore,}$ Founder and outgoing President IIPT

Prof. Maurizio Bragagni OBE, Chairman & CEO of Tratos Ltd and Chairman of the Esharelife Foundation

Nehmé Y. Taouk, CEO & Founder, VALOORES

6:30PM - Reception

7:00PM - 10:00PM

- Dare to Overcome India Anthem
- King Husein Global Business & Intercultural Peace Awards
- Unity Concert by Global Music Collective Featuring Harpreet & Santur Kundu
- Dinner

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