

ABOUT SYMBIOSIS SKILLS AND OPEN UNIVERSITY

Symbiosis Skills and Open University (SSOU) is Maharashtra's first Skill Development University established with a vision to provide skill-based education in high growth sectors. SSOU is set up on a sprawling campus in Kiwale located near Pune. It houses state of the art technical infrastructure, laboratories and learning factories with specialized skill training equipment enabling students to become industry-ready.

CONFERENCE THEME

Skills Conference-2018 on "Opportunities in High-Growth Sectors" will focus on the evaluation of niche sectoral areas in which future growth opportunities exist. The conference will give a deep insight into the present and future skill requirements and emerging job roles in various high growth sectors. Challenges being faced by companies will also be discussed. There is a special track to discuss & learn from innovators.



CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

- To analyse the changing landscape of the industry and emerging job roles & skilling requirements in various high growth sectors
- To discuss the opportunities and challenges for companies operating in these sectors
- To learn from innovators & Entrepreneurs



EXPECTED TAKE AWAYS FROM SKILLS CONFERENCE

- An understanding of present and future opportunities in various sectors
- Initiatives and approaches to tackle new challenges
- Identification of present and upcoming job roles and skilling needs in the specific sectors
- Challenges faced by the sector vis-à-vis human resource needs and business perspective
- To learn from innovators & understand emerging domains

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Skills Conference-2018 will bring together top experts from sectors including - Innovations and Entrepreneurship, Engineering and Manufacturing, IT & ITES, Healthcare - Pharma - Biomedical & Medical Technology, Sports and Wellness, Education and Training, Oil and Power, Energy and Natural Gas, Food Processing & Allied Services, Hospitality - Tourism & Event Management, Fashion and Apparels, Gems and Jewellery, Agriculture - Manufacturing and Services, Media and Entertainment, Branding and Advertising, Retail & Logistics, BFSI and Construction, Infrastructure and Architecture.

Industry partners & other stakeholders from all sectors shall be attending the conference for an insightful discussion on present and future opportunities. The event will have several sectoral specific panel discussions as well as keynote addresses.



CONFERENCE SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

DAY-1, 15TH DECEMBER, 2018

Program Name	Time	Topic / Sectors
Inauguration	11:00am - 12:00pm	Inaugural Session & keynote addresses
Panel Discussions I	12:15pm - 1:45pm	Innovations & Entrepreneurship Engineering & Manufacturing IT & ITES Healthcare, Pharma, Biomedical & Medical Technology
Lunch	1:45pm - 2:15pm	
Panel Discussions II	2:30pm - 4:30pm	Sports & Wellness Education and Training Oil & Power and Energy & Natural Gas Retail & Logistics
Tea break	4:30pm - 4:45pm	

DAY-2, 16TH DECEMBER, 2018

Program Name	Time	Topic/Sectors
Panel Discussions III	11:00am - 1:00pm	Food Processing & Allied Services Hospitality, Tourism and Event Management Fashion & Apparels, Gems & Jewellery Infrastructure, Construction & Architecture
Lunch	1:00pm - 1:30pm	
Panel Discussions IV	1:45pm - 3:45pm	Agriculture-Manufacturing & Services Media & Entertainment BFSI and Allied Services
Tea Break	3:45pm - 4:00pm	
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