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About ICAI

The Institute of Cost Accountants of India (ICAI) is a Statutory Body set up under an Act of Parliament in the year 1959. The Institute as a part of its obligation, regulates the profession of Cost and Management Accountancy, enrolls students for its courses, provides coaching facilities to the students, undertakes professional development and continuing education programmes for the members and conducts research work in the field of Cost and Management Accountancy. The Institute pursues the vision of cost competitiveness, cost management, efficient use of resources and structured approach to cost accounting as the key drivers of the profession.

With the current emphasis on management of resources, the specialized knowledge of evaluating operating efficiency and strategic management, the professional members of the Institute are known as "Cost and Management Accountants (CMAs)". ICAI is the largest Cost & Management Accounting body in the world, having more than 5,00,000 students and 90,000 members all over the globe. The Institute is headquartered in Kolkata with an office at New Delhi. The Institute operates through four regional councils at Kolkata, Delhi, Mumbai and Chennai and 114 Chapters situated at important cities in the country as well as 11 Overseas Centres, 61 Support Centres & 382 ROCCs. It is under the administrative control of the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India.

Vision Statement

The Institute of Cost Accountants of India would be the preferred source of resources and professionals for the financial leadership of enterprises globally.

Mission Statement

The CMA Professionals would ethically drive enterprises globally by creating value to stakeholders in the socio-economic context through competencies drawn from the integration of strategy, management and accounting.

Motto

From ignorance, lead me to truth
From darkness, lead me to light
From death, lead me to immortality
Peace, Peace, Peace

असतोमा सद्गमय
तमसोमा ज्योतिर् गमय
मृत्योर्मा मृतं गमय
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About the Theme

The concept of Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) has gained significant traction in recent years as a framework for assessing sustainability and societal impacts of business entities. The ESG ecosystem refers to the interconnected network of stakeholders, including companies, investors, regulators, government, and civil society organizations, that play critical roles in promoting and implementing sustainable practices.

Business entities are increasingly being held accountable for sustainability of their performance by all stakeholders. This is prompting a growing number of companies to incorporate ESG considerations into their operations and reporting on their initiatives for sustainable performance through various frameworks and reporting standards.

Regulators have also started playing an important role by setting standards and guidelines for sustainable practices, and by enforcing those. This can help to ensure that companies are held accountable and that investors have access to reliable and comparable ESG data.

The civil society organizations also play an important role in the ESG ecosystem by raising awareness, and building pressure on companies and governments to be responsible for their actions, by advocating for policy changes that promote commitments for sustainability.

In summary, the ESG ecosystem is increasingly becoming significant in the 'new world order' as sustainability challenges become more overwhelming to force all concerned to collectively play a role in promoting and implementing sustainable practices. To achieve true sustainability transformation, all stakeholders must work together and incorporate ESG at the top of their agenda and a critical consideration for pervasive decision-making. This will be a key driver for sustainable development and long-term economic growth.

The G20 Presidency's pivotal role in paving the way for this ESG-driven New World Order cannot be overstated. This summit provides us with a unique opportunity to collectively redefine our priorities, reimagine our strategies, and forge partnerships that will steer us towards a more sustainable and resilient future.



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Message from the President



CMA Vijender Sharma
 President, ICAI

I am pleased to invite you all in the *Two-day Global Summit 2023* on the theme **Unlocking Sustainability: G20 Presidency Paves the Way for an ESG-driven New World Order** to be held on **14 - 15 July 2023** at **Manekshaw Centre, Delhi**.

With the continuous change in the business environment, the investors and stakeholders seek business to be not only responsible but to be sustainable towards the environment and society. In recent years, sustainability taking centre stage in an enterprise's strategic and operating environment, ESG (Environmental, Social and Governance) has become quite the buzzword in corporate circles, both Indian as well as global.

ESG goals are a set of standards for a company's operations that force companies to follow better governance, ethical practices, environment-friendly measures, and social responsibility. They are used by socially conscious investors to screen potential investments. Companies with better ESG performance have a better track record on issues such as human rights, climate change, environmental sustainability, social responsibility, ethics, and transparency, and hence are more resilient against future risks.

Sustainability reporting frameworks have evolved over time and companies worldwide have adopted these frameworks for measuring, monitoring and disclosing performance in areas related to environmental, social and governance

(ESG). ESG reporting in India started in 2009 with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs issuing the Voluntary Guidelines on Corporate Social Responsibility as the first step towards mainstreaming the concept of business responsibility. Since then, the reporting landscape has come a long way with the introduction of Business Responsibility Reporting (BRR), Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR), IR, National Guidelines on Responsible Business Conduct (NGRBC) and now Business Responsibility and Sustainability Report (BRSR). Reporting is mandatory for the top 1,000 listed companies (by market capitalisation) from FY2022-23, while disclosure was voluntary for FY2021-22.

On January 25, this year, India issued the first tranche of its \$2 billion green bond issuance commitment. Though this sovereign issuance is just around 0.2 percent of the total net issuance for the year, it will mark India's much-awaited entry into the environmental, social and governance (ESG) debt market, which is estimated by Bloomberg to be worth \$15 trillion by the year 2025. The thinking behind the green bond issuance is to seek out international investors, who give climate change mitigation a priority and help India achieve its climate change targets.

Further, India has made a commitment to become net zero by 2070. Addressing the 26th COP at Glasgow, the Hon'ble PM of India, Shri Narendra Modi announced the *Panchamrit* to mitigate climate change including achieving net zero by 2070. Consequently, various steps including promoting renewable and alternate energy sources such as solar, wind, hydrogen, reducing emission from vehicles through adoption of B-VI norms, increasing green cover, promoting R&D, adoption of carbon neutral technologies like CCS/ CCUS have started gaining prominence. By enabling scientific ESG adoption, professionals like CMAs can ensure the sustainability of corporate performance. By adopting ESG and other sustainability practices, making use of the valuable services of the CMAs, and above all with the policy support of Union and State Governments, let us hope that India can attain its net zero target.

I am confident that with the participation of Global leaders, valuable guidance of esteemed speakers, gracious presence of distinguished guests and delegates from profession, industry, academia, regulators and government, this Global Summit 2023 will be a highly successful event of the Institute and the CMA profession.

Wishing all the participants a very happy, healthy and enlightening stay at GS2023, New Delhi.

Warm Regards,

CMA Vijender Sharma

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Message from the Chairman

Welcome to the Global Summit 2023 - Unlocking Sustainability: G20 Presidency Paves the Way for an ESG-driven New World Order!

As the Chairman of this prestigious summit, it is my utmost pleasure to extend a warm welcome to all the distinguished delegates, experts, thought leaders, members and students from around the world to attend this Summit to shape the future of sustainability. This summit marks a crucial milestone in our collective journey towards building an ESG-driven New World Order, and I am honoured to be a part of this momentous occasion.

The theme of this year's summit, "Unlocking Sustainability," encapsulates the spirit of our shared vision. It acknowledges the need to break free from the shackles of unsustainable practices and embrace a more responsible and inclusive approach towards development. It is a call to action for governments, businesses, and civil society to join forces and prioritize environmental, social, and governance (ESG) considerations in all our endeavours.

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Throughout this summit, we will engage in dynamic discussions, exchange ideas, and explore innovative solutions to some of the most pressing challenges of our time. From climate change and resource depletion to social inequality and corporate responsibility, we will delve into the multifaceted dimensions of sustainability and uncover pathways for transformative change. By leveraging the collective wisdom and expertise of our diverse participants, we aim to unlock the full potential of sustainable development and lay the foundation for a better world.

We encourage each and every one of you to actively participate in the various sessions, workshops, and networking opportunities that this summit offers. Your insights, experiences, and perspectives are invaluable in shaping the outcome of our deliberations. Together, we can create a powerful ripple effect that transcends borders and inspires action at all levels of society.



CMA H Padmanabhan
Chairman, Global Summit 2023
Former Vice President, ICMAI

As we embark on this transformative journey, let us remember that sustainability is not a mere buzzword or a passing trend. It is a moral imperative, an urgent necessity, and a pathway to a prosperous future for generations to come. By embracing sustainability in all its dimensions, we can unlock immense opportunities for innovation, economic growth, and social progress.

We are confident that this summit will be a resounding success and leave an indelible impact on the global sustainability agenda.

Once again, welcome to the Global Summit 2023 - Unlocking Sustainability: G20 Presidency Paves the Way for an ESG-driven New World Order. Together, let us embark on this transformative journey and unlock the full potential of sustainability for a brighter future.

Looking forward to meet you at New Delhi.

Thanking you,
Yours Sincerely,

CMA H Padmanabhan



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Programme Schedule

Day/Session	Topic of discussion
14th July 2023	Day-1 (Pre-Lunch)
Inaugural Session	ESG Ecosystem - A Clarion Call for the New World Order and India's G20 Presidency
Plenary Session	ESG - From Theory to Actions for Effective Contributions with Measured Values
14th July 2023	Day-1 (Post-Lunch)
Technical Session-I	Governance of Energy Transformation through Sustainable Sources
Technical Session-II	Governance of Green Mobility - Surface, Air and Ocean
Cultural Event	7:00 pm onwards followed by dinner
Day/Session	Topic of discussion
15th July 2023	Day-2 (Pre-Lunch)
Technical Session-III	ESG, Collaboration and Business Responsibilities - The CEO's Dilemma and CMA's Role
Technical Session-IV	Green Finance - Why, When, How, Challenges, Progress, and Impacts
15th July 2023	Day-2 (Post-Lunch)
Technical Session-V	Green Entrepreneurship and GloCal Dimensions of E, S, and G in search of Excellence
Valedictory Session	ESG Ecosystem for Globally Oriented and Socially Responsible Corporate World

Who can attend?

Cost & Management Accountants, Company Secretaries, Chartered Accountants, Legal Professionals, MBAs, Directors and other Senior Management Executives in the Corporate & Services Sector and other Professionals and Policy Makers working in Costing, Financial, Management and Academic Disciplines from across the Globe would benefit from participating in the Summit.

Who will address?

Eminent personalities from the Govt., Industry and Academia including Professionals & Management Experts will address the delegates.

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- ⊙ Mementoes ₹2,00,000 each
- ⊙ Others (Banners/Publicity Material) ₹1,00,000

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- ⊙ Back Cover ₹2,00,000
- ⊙ Front / Back Cover Inside ₹1,50,000
- ⊙ Full Page ₹1,00,000
- ⊙ Half Page ₹75,000

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Foreign Delegate	US\$ 250

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