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An aerial photograph of India, with the state boundaries highlighted in a bright white, glowing outline. The background is a dark, textured aerial view of the country's terrain, showing various geographical features like mountains, plains, and water bodies. The entire image has a dark red color cast.

India

An outsized opportunity

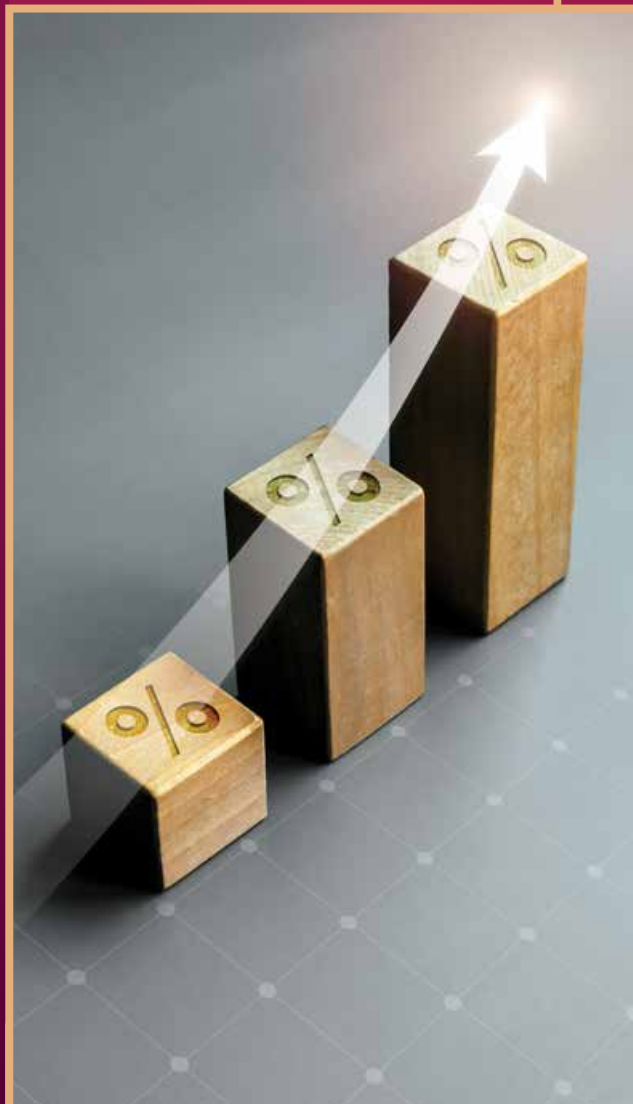
The tapestry of the world as we know it is being rewoven. There are multiple threads running through the fabric of the global order that one needs to be wary of, such as the climate crisis, a rewiring of the workplace, technological advances, and changes in social values. When viewed in totality, they are creating a completely new landscape for humankind.

For India, this represents a massive opportunity, some of which can be simply attributed to foresight and

geopolitics, such as the rolling out of a national tech stack that is ushering Indians into the 21st century and powering the rise of a startup ecosystem dwarfed only by America and China, or the Sino-American split that is seeing industries view India as a potent hedge against Chinese hegemony.

These transitions present India with a rare opportunity to grow at a sustained rate of 7-8% for years to come. The ripple effects of this could be far-reaching; it could lift millions out of poverty, turbocharge the growth of industries, and shift the global balance of power.

For leaders too, this represents a gilt-edge generational opportunity to navigate the turbulence of uncertain times and chart a course to a promised land of glory and greatness. But seizing the moment will call for a restructuring of business and leadership as usual.



Rewiring for outperformance

Inevitably, the performance of great organisations cannot be seen in isolation from that of great leaders. For decades, in times of instability, strong and capable leadership has steered the ship right on many an organisational journey.

Think of a great company or brand name, and the roots of its success can be traced back to the leaders that set its agenda and lived its corporate mission and values.

For long, performance was geared towards delivering value, scalability, and predictability when it comes to maximising earnings for shareholders. Today, that perspective has been broadened, with the ambit of performance now calling for a closer focus on actions that impact the greatest swathe





of the community and stakeholders. Pursue profit, but with purpose. Champion the shareholders but keep the community in mind too. The societal demands of organisations and leaders have given rise to a new cadre of leader, who wields an influence that is broad-based, and whose actions see them outperform their peers significantly. These are the Influential Leaders of India, setting benchmarks that shatter norms and redefine the nature of leadership.

Now in its 3rd edition, the Influential Leaders of India celebrates leaders at the vanguard of a wave of change. Their focus is sharply aligned with the needs of a dynamic reality, and they are deftly reshaping organisations and serving communities to match an all-new strategic vision.

Why Attend?

- *Networking opportunities with a diverse group of C-SUITE PROFESSIONALS*
- *In-depth discussions on critical issues faced by BUSINESS LEADERS across industries.*
- *Explore innovative approaches to decision-making, managing change, and DRIVING ORGANIZATIONAL GROWTH.*
- *Get inspired by thought LEADERS AND VISIONARIES.*
- *Collaborate with fellow leaders, share best practices to drive BUSINESS TRANSFORMATION.*



Leaders

were upraised on below parameters:



*Progressive
Mindset*



*Emotional
Intelligence*



*Stakeholder
Management*



*Leadership
Development*



*Crisis
Management*



*Result
Orientation*



*Nurturing
Workplace Culture*



*Ethical
Practices*

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Transformative Titans of Industry

The convictions and vision of a cohort of multi-faceted leaders has separated them from the pack, making them the industrial leaders of India 2022

Those that strong leadership conviction, vision, strong character and a sense of mission to bring that vision to life are the ones that stand out in this world as we know it. Leadership challenges are many, but the ones that stand out are the ones that require the greatest leadership skills. The Industrial Leaders of India 2022 are the ones that stand out in this world as we know it. They are the ones that have a vision, a mission, a purpose, and a sense of responsibility that goes beyond their own interests. They are the ones that have a vision, a mission, a purpose, and a sense of responsibility that goes beyond their own interests.

In Focus

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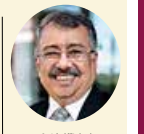
Leadership Learnings

Every year, our conversations with leaders across the globe have revealed some common themes that we can learn from.

1. Vision and Purpose: Leaders who have a clear vision and purpose are more likely to succeed. They know where they want to go and what it will take to get there.

2. Empowerment: Leaders who empower their team members are more likely to succeed. They trust their team and give them the authority to make decisions.

3. Communication: Leaders who communicate effectively are more likely to succeed. They listen to their team and share their thoughts and feelings.



Atul Boda, Chairman of Boda Group, reflects on his professional journey, and proffers sage advice as those looking to scale dizzy heights

Influential Leaders of India 2022

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Industry Perspectives

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Creating a culture of care

Balfour Manick, Managing Director, Blue Dart, shares some sage advice for up-and-coming executives

As the business world evolves, so do the expectations of employees. They want more than just a paycheck; they want a sense of purpose and a supportive work environment. Leaders who understand this and create a culture of care are more likely to succeed. They listen to their team, show empathy, and provide the resources and support needed for their team to thrive.

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Boundlessly innovative

T.A. Krishnan, CEO & Co-Founder, Ecom Express, identifies the need to leverage innovation in order to outperform consumer expectations

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Bringing innovation to the fore

Anil Gokul, Founder and MD, Space World, and Radehy R. Sharma, Co-Founder and Director, Space World, reveal how the brand is building a differentiated offering through innovative measures

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A multi-faceted leadership model

Hareeshwara Zaveri, Vice Chairman & Managing Director, MIB Bearings Ltd, highlights key qualities modern-day leaders must possess to enjoy sustained success in leading their model

Leadership is a complex skill that requires a combination of technical and soft skills. Modern-day leaders must be able to manage a diverse team, make strategic decisions, and communicate effectively. They listen to their team and create a supportive work environment.

Resilience and reinvention

Rishabh Gupta, MD & CEO, INSIGN Insurance Brokers, illuminates the path ahead for up-and-coming leaders

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Leading from the heart

Puneet Gupta MD & VP, NetApp, elaborates the core principles he holds dear as a leader

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Unearthing new growth opportunities

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The democratisation of digital finance

Nikhilesh Tiwari, CEO, Spay India, talks of how fintech is deepening financial inclusion across India's grassroots

Fintech is a term that has become synonymous with digital finance. It refers to the use of technology to provide financial services. Fintech is deepening financial inclusion across India's grassroots by providing access to financial services to people who were previously excluded.



A commitment to quality

Ronak Chikhalji, CEO, Nandan Pvt. Sheds light on delivering top-quality products that delight customers

Quality is a commitment to excellence. Companies that invest in quality and embrace new technologies are more likely to succeed. They listen to their customers and create products and services that meet their needs and exceed their expectations.

Achieving more, together

Caesary Gupta, MD, DSV Solutions, lays out his philosophy for powering through challenges

Achieving more, together is a key to staying ahead in a competitive market. Companies that collaborate and embrace new technologies are more likely to succeed. They listen to their customers and create products and services that meet their needs and exceed their expectations.

Walking that extra mile

Alin Brijendra Agrawal, MD, AutoMech (India) Pvt Ltd, talks about putting innovation at the heart of all organisational decisions

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Pursuing a common sense of purpose

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