Global
Technology
Summit 2020:
Geopolitics of Technology

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## Five Sub-Themes



## Potential Outcomes

| Discussing ways to develop Health Stack in India |
| Discussing India's strategies to navigate an uncertain world, through technological cooperation |
| Debating ways to export UPI across South Asia, and other digital infrastructure, for the DPA at the MEA |
| Debating strategies to balance localization \& internationalization of data to promote innovation for India |
| Evaluating the importance of technology in mitigating the current pandemic and preventing future pandemics |
| Finding pathways to India's position on global data governance - that can be leveraged at the UNSC and the G20 |
|Fostering cooperation between the public and private sector to develop a sustainable innovation landscape, with Indian champions |
| Facilitating collaboration between India and Africa to promote digital financial inclusion through mainstreaming of UPI in Africa | Examining the impact of Central Bank Digital Currencies on the global financial system and discussing how the RBI could potentially

## Indian Policymakers:

- Shri Narendra Modi, Prime Minister of India
- Dr. S. Jaishankar, External Affairs Minister of India
- Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad, Minister for Communications, Electronics, Information Technology and Law \& Justice
- Shri Harshvardhan, Minister of Science \& Technology, Minster of Health \& Family Welfare and Minister of Earth Sciences
- Shri Harsh Shringla, Foreign Secretary of India
- Shri Amitabh Kant, CEO, NITI Aayog
- Dr. K. VijayRaghavan, Principal Scientific Advisor to the Government of India
- Dr. Balram Bhargava, Director General, ICMR
- Mr. Sanjeev Sanyal, Principal Economic Advisor to the Government of India
- Mr. Shaktikanta Das, Governor, Reserve Bank of India
- Ms. Renu Pall, Additional Secretary (New Emerging \& Strategic Technologies), Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India
- Dr. Anupam Ray, Joint Secretary (PP\&R), Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India


## Global Policymakers:

- His Excellency Paul Kagame, President of Rwanda
- His Excellency Nguyễn Phú Trọng, President of Vietnam
- His Excellency Nana Akufo-Addo, President of Ghana
- His Excellency Toomas Hendrik Ives, Former President of Estonia
- Ms. Dorothee Bar, Minister of State for Digitalization, Germany
- Mr. Takemoto Naokazu, Minister in-charge of Information Technology Policy, Government of Japan
- Mx. Audrey Tang, Digital Minister of Taiwan
- Mr. Fabrizio Hochschild, UN Undersecretary
- Ms. Cina Lawson, Minister of Posts, Digital Economy, and Technological Innovation of Togo
- Mr. Oliver Dowden, HM Secretary of State for Digital Culture, Media, and Sport \& Member of Parliament for Hertsmere
- Dr. Gita Gopinath, chief economist, International Monetary Fund
- Ms. Christine Lagarde, President of the European Central Bank
- Ms. Tamara Cook, CEO, Financial Sector Deepening, Kenya
- Ms. Esselina Macome, CEO of Financial Sector Deepening Moçambique \& former executive director of payment systems at Central Bank of Mozambique
- Mr. Kenneth C. Montgomery, First Vice President and COO, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston
- Dr. Soumya Swaminathan, chief scientist, World Health Organization
- Dr. John N. Nkengasong, Director, Africa Centers for Disease Control and Prevention


## Technology Community:

- Ms. Melinda Gates, co-chair, Bill \& Melinda Gates Foundation
- Mr. Satya Nadella, CEO, Microsoft
- Mr. Mark Benioff, CEO, Salesforce
- Mr. Eric Schmidt, Former CEO of Google
- Mr. Jeff Bezos, CEO, Amazon
- Mr. Aliko Dangote, founder and chairman, Dangote Group
- Mr. Kris Gopalakrishnan, chairman, Axilor Ventures
- Mr. Adar Poonawalla, CEO, Serum Institute of India
- Mr. Rishad Premji, Chairman, Wipro
- Mr. Natarajan Chandrasekaran, chairman, Tata Group
- Mr. Nandan Nilekani, Executive Chairman, Infosys

Day I - Geopolitics of Technology:
Technical gets Political

Day 4 - Digital Inclusion: Taking the Local to the Global

- Current Geopolitics and its Effects
- Growing Tech Tensions
- Future of Technology and Innovation
- Tech for Developmental Partnerships
- The Future of FAANG


## Day 2 - Data: Linking the World

- Localization and Internationalization of Data:

Getting the Balance Right

- India's Voice in International Data Governance
- Personal \& Non-personal Data: Role of India's Data

Protection Authority

- N.E.S.T in the Future of Geopolitics
- Karnataka's Digital Economy

Day 3 - Digital Payments: The Future of Global Financial Highways

- Central Bank Digital Currencies and Future of Global

Financial System

- Leveraging India's Unified Payments Interface in Asia and Africa
- Exporting India's Digital Infrastructure
- International Standard Setting in Digital Payments
- Building an Inclusive Digital Society: Lessons from


## Rwanda

- Digital Finance: Connecting the Next Billion in India and Africa
- Lessons from the Pandemic: Innovating for the Future
- Realizing the Green Digital Divide
- Tech R\&D: Cooperate or 'go it alone'?
- Digital IDs: The Way Forward
- India's Digital Health Mission
- Building Health Stack for India
- India and Africa: Collaborating in a Post-Pandemic

World

- Vaccine Nationalism and its Effects

Note: The agenda also includes 6 KnowledgeTransfer Workshops and 4 Closed-Door Roundtables on the various sub-themes.

