

# GLOBAL MEDTECH CONNECT

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New Delhi (formerly Pragati Maidan)

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Patient Care Through  
**MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY**



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# ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

Over the past decade, the medical device industry has undergone transformative innovation, driven by evolving patient needs, regulatory shifts, and advancements in AI, SaMD, and cybersecurity. As we move into 2025, navigating this dynamic landscape requires a strong foundation in quality assurance and regulatory affairs to ensure successful device development, approval, and commercialization across global markets. This conference will bring together MedTech leaders, regulatory experts, and industry pioneers to explore critical topics such as global regulatory harmonization, AI-driven medical technologies, cybersecurity in SaMD, drug-device combination product compliance, and sustainable MedTech manufacturing. Sessions will provide deep insights into regulatory frameworks like the eSTAR applications for US FDA approvals, and India's evolving regulatory landscape under CDSCO and IMDRF alignment. Key discussions will focus on integrating risk management in product lifecycle planning, optimizing quality management systems (QMS), post-market surveillance, and ensuring data privacy and security in medical devices. Attendees will also gain actionable strategies to navigate geopolitical trade challenges, strengthen supply chain resilience, and leverage AI in medical device localization and compliance. Designed for MedTech professionals, this conference will deliver the latest regulatory intelligence, practical compliance tools, and forward-looking strategies to accelerate market entry while fostering innovation and patient safety.





# KEY FEATURES

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**15** hours of engaging  
content across 2 days



**25+** Speakers



**150+** MedTech  
Professionals  
under one roof



Panel discussions,  
Roundtables and  
fire side chats



**Networking**  
sessions



# KEY TOPICS

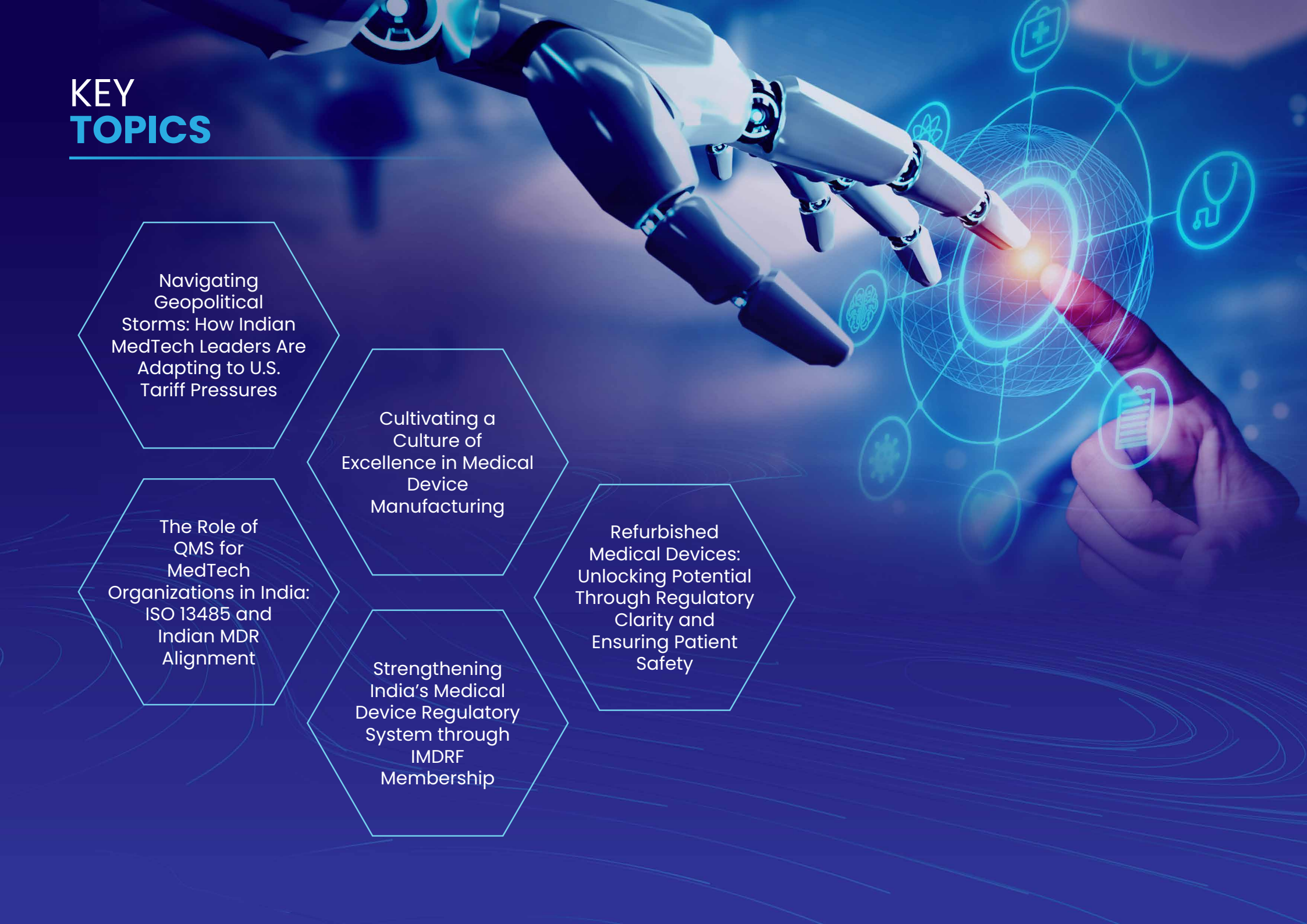
Navigating  
Geopolitical  
Storms: How Indian  
MedTech Leaders Are  
Adapting to U.S.  
Tariff Pressures

Cultivating a  
Culture of  
Excellence in Medical  
Device  
Manufacturing

The Role of  
QMS for  
MedTech  
Organizations in India:  
ISO 13485 and  
Indian MDR  
Alignment

Strengthening  
India's Medical  
Device Regulatory  
System through  
IMDRF  
Membership

Refurbished  
Medical Devices:  
Unlocking Potential  
Through Regulatory  
Clarity and  
Ensuring Patient  
Safety



# WHO CAN ATTEND



## Departments:

REGULATORY AFFAIRS

REGULATORY

REGULATORY STRATEGY

QUALITY

QUALITY ASSURANCE

QUALITY CONTROL

CLINICAL

POST MARKET SAFETY / SURVEILLANCE

## Designations:

Director

HOD

President

VP

AVP

GM

## Associations:

Departments:

Development | Regulatory  
Research

Designations:

Chairman | Director  
President | Researchers



# SPEAKERS 2025



**Rajiv Nath**

Managing Director &  
Forum Coordinator (AiMeD)  
**Hindustan Syringes & Medical Devices**



**Himanshu Baid**

Managing Director  
**Poly Medicure**



**Bivash Chakraborty**

Head - Regulatory, Quality &  
Government Affairs - South Asia  
**Biomerieux India Pvt.Ltd**



**Sundeep Agarwal**

Vice President-Regulatory Affairs &  
Quality Assurance  
**Remidio Innovative Solutions**



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Director - Quality and Regulatory,  
APAC NPD  
**Stryker**



**Dr. Muthu Dhandapani**

Vice President- Quality & Regulatory Compliance  
**Tricog Health**



**Parveen Jain**

Senior Director, Quality and  
Regulatory Affairs, Asia Pacific  
**Fresenius Medical Care**



**Jhankhana Gyani**

Head - QRA  
**Draeger India Private Limited**



**Preety Sharma**

Head - Regulatory Affairs  
**Edwards Lifesciences**



**Aaditya Vats**

Director Regulatory Affairs and  
Quality Assurance  
**Terumo India Private Ltd.**

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**Dr. Rajiv Chhibber**

Vice President – External Affairs  
**Sahajanand Medical Technologies Ltd.**



**Somesh Rasal**

Global Service Line Manager MHS–  
Cyber Security  
**TÜV SÜD**



**Dr. Ashish Indani**

(Author – Essentials of Medical Device  
Clinical Research) General Manager  
Clinical and Medical Affairs  
**Advanced MedTech Solutions**



**Dr. Ravi Rathod**

General Manager – Policy &  
Strategic Affairs, (Regulatory Division)  
**Innovation**



**Sailesh YHNB**

Associate Director  
**Novo Nordisk**



**Rupam Chaudhary**

Global Head – MedTech & LifeScience  
**TCS**



**Malte Knowles Schmidt**

Manager Global Service Portfolio SW,  
AI and Cybersec. for medical devices  
**TÜV SÜD**



**Nitin Gupta**

Managing Director India & South Asia  
**Fujifilm Sonosite India Pvt. Ltd.**



**Shri Katipally Karthik Reddy**

Scientist-B/Assistant Director,  
Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS)  
**Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public**



**Sushmita Roy Chowdhury**

General Manager –  
Global Regulatory Affairs  
**Romsons Group Pvt. Ltd.**

# SPEAKERS 2025

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**Goutam Bhattacharya**

Chief Executive Officer  
**Life Sciences Sector Skill  
Development Council**



**Venkatesh Barat**

Senior Manager,  
Quality- Digital Solutions,  
**Wipro GE Healthcare**



**Anil K Srivastava**

Chief Operating Officer  
**Nihon Kohden India Private Limited**



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Transforming MedTech: Pioneering Innovation and Global Compliance

DAY 1: FRIDAY, 11<sup>th</sup> July 2025

10:00 – 11:00

Registration and Refreshments



11:00 – 11:30

Opening Remarks by Informa Markets

11:30 – 12:30

**Leadership Panel Discussion: Navigating Geopolitical Storms: How Indian MedTech Leaders Are Adapting to Tariff, Regulatory, and Supply Chain Disruptions to Ensure Global Resilience and Local Relevance**

- Balancing global demand with domestic healthcare priorities
- Ensuring seamless pharma supply chains despite geopolitical tensions and trade restrictions
- Streamlining regulatory pathways for cross-border collaboration

**Moderator: Parveen Jain**, Senior Director, Quality and Regulatory Affairs, Asia Pacific, **Fresenius Medical Care**

**Panellist:**

**Rajiv Nath**, Managing Director **Hindustan Syringes & Medical Devices** Forum Coordinator (**AiMeD**)

**Himanshu Baid**, Managing Director, **Poly Medicure**

**Dr Rajiv Chhibber**, Vice President - External Affairs, **Sahajanand Medical Technologies. Ltd.**

**Anil K Srivastava**, Chief Operating Officer, **Nihon Kohden India Pvt. Ltd.**



12:30 – 13:00

**The Role of QMS for MedTech Organizations in India: ISO 13485 and Indian MDR Alignment**

- Harmonization of standards between ISO 13485:2016 and the Indian Medical Device Rules (MDR) 2017
- Highlight how adherence to ISO 13485 supports compliance with Indian regulatory requirements for quality management
- Challenges and benefits of integrating global standards into local regulatory frameworks

**Sreejith Viswam**, Director- Quality and Regulatory, APAC NPD, **Stryker**

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13:00 – 13:30

## Role of BIS in the MedTech Quality Ecosystem

- Overview of BIS
- Standard Formulation Process
- National Standards and Harmonization with International Standards
- Role of Standards in Innovation, Quality, and Regulatory Frameworks

**Karthik Reddy Katipally**, Scientist-B/Assistant Director,  
**Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution**

13:30 – 14:30

## Networking Lunch Break



14:30 – 15:15

## Panel Discussion: Cultivating a Culture of Excellence in Medical Device Manufacturing

- QMS integration to ensure tracking, documentation, and training to adapt to regulations & consistent quality
- AI-Powered advanced manufacturing systems streamline track maintenance and complex monitoring
- Strategies for minimizing human error
- Strategic localization

### Moderator:

**Bivash Chakraborty**, Head - Regulatory, Quality & Government Affairs - South Asia, **Biomerieux India Pvt. Ltd**

### Panellist:

**Sreejith Viswam**, Director- Quality and Regulatory, APAC NPD, **Stryker Global Technology Centre**

**Dr Rajiv Chhibber**, Vice President - External Affairs, **Sahajanand Medical Technologies. Ltd.**

**Jhankhana Gyani**, Head – QRA, **Draeger India Private Limited**



15:15 – 15:45

## Strength In Collaboration: Sourcing Quality Raw Materials for Manufacturers'

- Developing long-term partnerships with suppliers for quality materials
- Implementing rigorous verification process for sourced materials adhering to industry standards
- Prioritize environmentally sustainable and ethically sourced materials

**Jhankhana Gyani**, Head – QRA, **Draeger India Private Limited**

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15:45 – 16:15

## **Streamlining Labelling Compliance in India: A Unified Approach**

- Addressing dual compliance requirements under the Ministry of Health and Legal Metrology
- Crafting a cohesive labelling framework to reduce complexities and enhance transparency
- Best Practices

**Rajiv Nath**, Managing Director **Hindustan Syringes & Medical Devices** Forum Coordinator (**AiMeD**)

16:15 – 16:30

## **Networking Coffee Break**

16:30 – 17:00

## **Strengthening India's Medical Device Regulatory System through IMDRF Membership**

- Explore the significance of India's membership in the International Medical Device Regulators Forum
- Understand how alignment with IMDRF frameworks can enhance CDSCO's regulatory system and ensure global harmonization
- IMDRF guidelines to tackle emerging technical challenges in the Indian MedTech sector

**Sushmita Roy Chowdhury**, General Manager - Global Regulatory Affairs, **Romsons Group Pvt. Ltd.**

17:00 – 17:30

## **Medical Device Cybersecurity: A Checklist or a Culture?**

- What is Cybersecurity in Medical Devices
- Regulatory Landscape
- Are we overdoing the cybersecurity?
- Current and Ideal (appropriate) practice
- Current Challenges and Solutions

**Somesh Sanjay Rasal**, Global Service Line Manager – Cybersecurity, **TÜV SÜD South Asia Pvt. Ltd.**

**END OF THE CONFERENCE DAY 1**



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DAY 2: SATURDAY, 12<sup>th</sup> July 2025

10:00 – 10:30	Registration And Refreshments	
10:30 – 11:00	<p><b>Fireside Chat: Global Harmonization of Medical Device Standards: A Roadmap for India</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Integrating ISO, European, and U.S. standards into India's regulatory framework</li><li>Opportunities for Indian manufacturers in global markets through standard harmonization</li><li>Leveraging IMDRF membership to align India's regulations with international best practices</li></ul> <p><b>Moderator: Dr Ashish Indani</b> (Author - Essentials of Medical Device Clinical Research), General Manager Clinical and Medical Affairs, <b>Advanced MedTech Solutions</b></p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> <b>Preety Sharma</b>, Head - Regulatory Affairs, <b>Edwards Lifesciences</b> <b>Aaditya Vats</b>, Director Regulatory Affairs and Quality Assurance, <b>Terumo India Private Ltd.</b> <b>Sailesh YHNB</b>, Associate Director, <b>Novo Nordisk</b></p>	
11:00 – 11:30	<p><b>Clinical Evaluation vs. Clinical Investigation: Key Differences in Medical Device Compliance</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Defining clinical evaluation and clinical investigation</li><li>Regulatory expectations and requirements:</li><li>Strategic planning for transitioning between evaluation and investigation to meet global compliance standards</li></ul> <p><b>Aaditya Vats</b>, Director Regulatory Affairs and Quality Assurance, <b>Terumo India Private Ltd.</b></p>	
11:30 – 12:00	<p><b>Post-Market Risk Assessment and Management for SaMD: Lessons for Indian Manufacturers</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Understanding the Unique Risks of SaMD</li><li>Leveraging data analytics and AI tools for predictive risk assessment and proactive issue resolution</li><li>Collaborating with stakeholders to ensure compliance, patient safety, and product reliability</li></ul> <p><b>Dr Ashish Indani</b> (Author - Essentials of Medical Device Clinical Research), General Manager Clinical and Medical Affairs, <b>Advanced MedTech Solutions</b></p>	
12:00 – 12:30	Networking Coffee Break	

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## Panel Discussion: Emerging Cybersecurity Trends in Medical Devices: Addressing Risks for SaMD and AI Devices

- Identifying Key Cybersecurity Risks for SaMD and AI Devices
- Overview of global standards like the FDA's cybersecurity guidance and ISO/IEC 27001
- Leveraging AI and machine learning for proactive threat detection and adaptive security measures



**Moderator:** Venkatesh Barat, Senior Manager, Quality- Digital Solutions, **Wipro GE Healthcare**

### Panellist:

**Dr Muthu Dhandapani**, Vice President – Quality & Regulatory Compliance, **Tricog Health**

**Dr Ravi Rathod**, General Manager- Policy & Strategic Affairs, (Regulatory Division), **Innvolution**

**Malte Knowles Schmidt**, Global Portfolio Manager SaMD, AI and Cybersecurity, **TÜV SÜD**

13:15 – 13:45

## Fundamentals and Emerging Regulatory Perspectives in AI and SaMD: Decoding EU vs US Requirements

- Understanding the classification systems, approval pathways, and key documentation requirements
- Examine recent updates in regulatory guidelines - EU's AI Act and the FDA's guidance on AI/ML-based SaMD
- Explore the role of international harmonization efforts and how these are shaping future regulatory landscapes

**Sundeep Agarwal**, Vice President–Regulatory Affairs & Quality Assurance, **Remidio Innovative Solutions**

13:45 – 14:45

## Networking Lunch Break



14:45 – 15:15

## Data Privacy and Security in Medical Devices

- Managing patient health data under GDPR while exporting medical devices to the EU
- Role of data localization and its impact on multinational MedTech firms
- Implications for Indian companies conducting clinical trials for EU regulatory submissions

**Dr Muthu Dhandapani**, Vice President – Quality & Regulatory Compliance, **Tricog Health**

15:15 – 15:45

## Fireside Chat: Upskilling Healthcare Professionals for the Evolving MedTech Landscape

- Exploring training programs and initiatives to equip healthcare professionals
- Fostering industry-government collaborations
- Leveraging digital tools and simulation technologies to provide hands-on training

**Moderator:** Sailesh YHNB, Associate Director, **Novo Nordisk**

**Speakers:**

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**Goutam Bhattacharya**, Chief Executive Officer, **Life Sciences Sector Skill Development Council**  
**Dr Arijit Guha**, Head-Medical Affairs, India & Subcontinent, **Boston Scientific**  
**Nitin Gupta**, Managing Director India & South Asia, **Fujifilm Sonosite India Pvt. Ltd.**

15:45 – 16:00

**Networking Coffee Break**



16:00 – 16:30

**AI-Enabled Medical Devices and How to Bring them to European Markets**

- Understand the current regulatory framework for AI-enabled medical devices under the EU MDR
- Learn how to navigate the EU MDR requirements to prepare a CE submission effectively
- Discover the types of supporting materials needed to strengthen your CE submission

**Malte Knowles Schmidt**, Global Portfolio Manager SaMD, AI and Cybersecurity, **TÜV SÜD**

16:30 – 17:00

**Innovating MedTech: Harnessing Circularity and Sustainable Design for a Greener Future**

- Exploring the shift from linear to circular models to reduce waste and extend product lifecycles
- Sustainable design strategies to enhance device longevity and environmental impact
- Aligning circular practices with global compliance standards and cost-effectiveness
- Building partnerships for material recovery, refurbishment, and recycling

**Dr Ravi Rathod**, General Manager- Policy & Strategic Affairs, (Regulatory Division), **Innovation**

17:00– 17:30

**Refurbished Medical Devices: Unlocking Potential Through Regulatory Clarity and Ensuring Patient Safety**

- Overview of CDSCO and Indian MDR guidelines for refurbished devices
- Environmental benefits of refurbished devices: Reducing e-waste and conserving resources
- Ensuring patient safety and regulatory compliance

**Rupam Chaudhary**, Global Head Lifesciences Engineering, **TCS**

**NETWORKING COFFEE BREAK & END OF THE CONFERENCE**



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