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India – AI Impact Summit 2026, Scheduled from 19-20 February 2026 at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi, India

Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India, is hosting the India – AI Impact Summit 2026, Scheduled from 19-20 February 2026 at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi, India. The India–AI Impact Summit 2026, was announced by Hon'ble Prime Minister Narendra Modi at the France AI Action Summit and it will be the first-ever global AI summit hosted in the Global South.

2. **The Three Sutras:** The India - AI Impact Summit will be anchored on three foundational pillars, known as 'Sutras'—a Sanskrit term meaning guiding principles or essential threads that weave together wisdom and action. These three Sutras i.e. People, Planet and Progress, define how AI can be harnessed through multilateral cooperation for collective benefit.

3. **The Seven Chakras:** Building upon the three foundational Sutras, the deliberations at the AI Impact Summit will be organized around seven interconnected Chakras, areas of multilateral cooperation designed to channel collective energy toward holistic societal transformation. These Seven Chakras represent focused domains of international collaboration that translate the broader principles of People, Planet, and Progress into concrete areas of action: i. Human Capital ii. Inclusion for Social Empowerment iii. Safe and Trusted AI iv. Resilience, Innovation, and Efficiency v. Science vi. Democratizing AI Resources vii. AI for Economic Growth and Social Good

4. Following are the flagship initiatives to be hosted for the AI Impact Summit, in the coming two months:

a. **AI for ALL:** Global Impact Challenge to identify leading AI solutions across sectors turning vision into impact.

b. **AI by HER:** Global Impact Challenge to promote the scaling and adoption of women-led AI solutions to enable social impact.

c. **YUVai:** Global Youth Challenge to showcase innovation by youth (13 -21 years) while fostering AI enabled problem-solving for social good.

5. **Registration and Application:** The application for participating in the above events are open. The details of these flagships are in the link: <https://impact.indiaai.gov.in/home/presummit-events> along with communication guidelines and other related materials.

6. **Main Summit Events for India - AI Impact Summit 2026: Call for Proposals**

This Call for Proposals invites organizations across the globe to host events which will be included in the official Summit program for the India - AI Impact Summit 2026. The events must be conducted in-person at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi from 16th February to 20th February 2026. Proposals must be submitted via the online form at - <https://impact.indiaai.gov.in/home/main-summit-events/apply>

More details at : <https://impact.indiaai.gov.in/pre-summit/callForProposalsMainSummitEvents.pdf>

7. For Application, Registration, and any further query IndiaAI Mission Team at fellow1.gpaiindia@meity.gov.in / fellow3.gpai-india@meity.gov.in and impact-summit@indiaai.gov.in.

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