

14th IAA-INDIA-DAY 2022

Physical Event

Live Stream Link: [14th IAA India Day - YouTube](#)

Wednesday, 21st of September 2022

10:00-12.30 hrs. German time (CET)

12:30-13.30 hrs. Indian Buffet Lunch “Eat and Meet” sponsored by VDA

Convention Center/Room 1 (Trade Fairground D-30521 Hanover)

Organizers:

German Association of the Automotive Industry (VDA)

Automotive Component Manufacturers Association (ACMA)

Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers (SIAM)

Indo-German Chamber of Commerce (IGCC)



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The Topic

Our IAA-India-Day has become a tradition, an expression of the close partnership between India and Germany and a meeting point for high-level representatives from industry and politics. In the recent years topics such as cooperation in the field of electric mobility, battery technologies and the development of alternative fuels have formed the focus of IAA-India Days. These issues remain relevant and continue to shape current discussions in politics and in the automotive industry.

Within our strong and long-standing partnership with the suppliers' association ACMA and the manufacturers' association SIAM, we continue to pursue the goal of supporting the sustainable development of the automotive industry locally and strengthening exchange between the players in the automotive industry. Our partnership is based on the valuable work within the framework of the “Indo-German Working Group on Automotive” and the ACMA, SIAM and VDA Association

Partnership. We especially thank our both Governments and the relevant ministries for all their support.

Indo-German cooperation is and remains an important pillar of the global automotive industry development and will even get more important in the light of the negotiations of a Free Trade Agreement between the EU and India.

This year, at the IAA Transportation” in Hanover, we continue with our tradition and would like to invite you to the 14th IAA-India Day. The focus of this year's event will be on Indo-German Cooperation in the Commercial Vehicle Sector. High ranking speakers will give an overview about new trends and opportunities in the Indo-German Commercial Vehicle Sector.

The new “IAA Transportation” will take place in Hanover from 20 to 25 September 2022. Under the motto "People and Goods on the Move", the exhibition will present innovations in the fields of commercial vehicles, transport, logistics and buses. In addition to the presentation of new vehicles, the focus will be on logistics, transport and the digitalisation of commercial vehicle transport on the way to climate neutrality.

Draft Program:

- 10:00 - 10:10 h Welcome**
Special Address by Hildegard Müller, President, VDA (confirmed)
- 10:10 - 10:25 h Overview over the Indian Commercial Vehicle Market**
Mr. Vinod Aggarwal, Vice President, SIAM (Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers) (confirmed)
- 10:25 - 10:40 h Overview: Indian Suppliers for the Commercial Vehicle Sector**
Mr. Sunjay Kapur, President, ACMA (Automotive Component Manufacturers Association of India) (confirmed)

Indo-German Cooperation in the transport sector – Messages from the Governments

- 10:40 – 11:00 h Inputs from:**
- Dr. Klaus Bonhoff, Director General, Federal Ministry for Digital and Transport (BMDV) (confirmed)
 - Mr. Amit Mehta, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Heavy Industries & Co-Chair of the Indo-German Working Group on Automotive (confirmed)

Input Presentations & Q&A with the Speakers

New trends and opportunities in the Indo-German Commercial Vehicle Sector

Moderation: Angela Mans, VDA

- 11:00 – 11:10 h** **Introduction and Overview on German Business in India**
Mr. Dirk Matter, Managing Director, Indo-German Chamber of Commerce, Dusseldorf (confirmed)
- 11:10 – 11:20 h** Mr. Periakaruppa Nadar Kaniappan, Managing Director, ZF Commercial Vehicle Control Systems India Ltd (confirmed)
- 11:20 – 11:30 h** Mr. Rajinder S Sachdeva, Chief Operating Officer, VE Commercial Vehicles Ltd. (confirmed)
- 11:30 – 11:40 h** Garrett Advancing Motion (Speaker, tbd)
- 11:40 – 11:50 h** Mr. Rajesh Menon, Director General, SIAM (Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers) (confirmed)
- 11:50 – 12:00 h** Mr. Vinnie Mehta, Director General, ACMA (Automotive Component Manufacturers Association of India) (confirmed)
- 12:00 – 12:20 h** **Final Q&A with all Speakers**
Angela Mans, VDA
- 12:20 h** Summary of 14th IAA-India-Day by Dirk Matter and Angela Mans
- 12:30 h** End of the Event
- 12.30 – 13.30 h** Indian Lunch “Eat and Meet”

Please register for the event here: [IAA-India Day 2022](#).

Note: **Participation in the event requires the purchase of an IAA day ticket.** For more information, please click here: [Tickets \(iaa-transportation.com\)](#).

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