



Dear Patrons,

Last month was truly engaging as we geared up for one of the most significant milestones in India's semiconductor journey – **SEMICON India 2025**. From **2nd to 4th September 2025**, the event was successfully hosted at Yashobhoomi, New Delhi, bringing together global leaders, innovators, and policymakers in an unparalleled celebration of technology, collaboration, and ambition.

SEMICON® India 2025 was inaugurated by **Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi**, marking the official launch of India's next phase in semiconductor development and setting the stage for catalyzing the country's semiconductor ecosystem. With the ceremony featuring nine global CXO speakers—establishing a new benchmark for global industry events. The presence of Hon'ble Chief Minister of Delhi, **Smt Rekha Gupta**, and Chief Minister of Odisha, **Shri Mohan Charan Majhi**, further underscored the government's commitment to driving semiconductor growth. The Exhibition was formally opened by Hon'ble Union Minister **Shri Ashwini Vaishnaw**, accompanied by **MoS Shri Jitin Prasada** and **Shri Amitesh Sinha**, CEO ISM and AS MeitY along with **IESA EC and SEMI India RAB**.

The event witnessed record participation, with over **35,000 registrations, 30,000 on-site attendees, 25,000 online participants, 2,500 delegates from 48 countries, 1,275 booths, 350+ exhibitors, and 150+ expert speakers**—making it the largest gathering in India's semiconductor ecosystem to date. Other highlights included 27 Global CXO Roundtables, 50+ MoUs signed, Startup Mitra and Workforce Development Pavilions, 5 DLI-supported startups presenting directly to the Hon'ble PM, and 6 Country Roundtables with global participation. IESA played a pivotal role throughout, moderating key sessions, supporting collaborations, and amplifying India's vision of building a sustainable, future-ready semiconductor ecosystem.

Alongside SEMICON India, September was also a month of vibrant engagements reflecting IESA's growing leadership equally across industry and academia. From strong participation at Electronica & Productronica India 2025 in Bengaluru to meaningful exchanges at the UP International Trade Show and the India-Qatar Investment Meet, our presence reinforced India's collaborative edge. Academic engagements, including SRMIST's Abhigyan 2025, the T-CHIP Conclave in Hyderabad, and industry visits for faculty at Tessolve, strengthened our commitment to workforce development. Adding to this momentum, IESA proudly supported Endiya Partners' DEMO event, showcased deeptech innovations, and celebrated the recognition of Dr. V. Veerappan with the Lifetime Achievement Award at DVCon India 2025.

Together, these milestones underscore the dynamism and ambition driving India's semiconductor and electronics industry. As we move forward, let us continue to collaborate, innovate, and shape a future where India stands as a global hub of semiconductor excellence.



Yours Sincerely
Ashok Chandak
President, IESA



Yours Sincerely
Ruchir Dixit
Chairman, IESA

Happy Diwali



PR Coverage Summary: September Highlights

In September 2025, IESA amplified its leadership in shaping India's semiconductor and electronics ecosystem through extensive media coverage and strategic engagements.

Key Highlights:

269 media stories published across platforms

- Print – 107 stories
- Online – 155 stories
- Electronic/Broadcast – 7 stories
- Extensive PR around **SEMICON India 2025** amplified event visibility, with press releases on the inauguration, exhibition highlights, and wrap-up carried in leading national and regional media.
- Secured high-impact visibility in top outlets including **Bloomberg, CNBC-TV18, ET Now, DD India, ANI, IANS, Business Standard, The Times of India, and ET Telecom.**
- Key narratives covered included **India's semiconductor mission, GST reforms, PCB Park development in Mysuru, US tariff impacts, and market growth outlook.**
- Shri **Ashok Chandak** featured prominently across national and regional platforms, with an **exclusive Bloomberg interview** on India's chip ambitions and expert commentary in leading publications.
- Special coverage included **IESA's tribute to Hon'ble Prime Minister Narendra Modi on his birthday**, widely published across **Odisha and Gujarat.**

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Upcoming Events

1. **India Mobile Congress – 08-11 October 2025, Yashobhoomi, New Delhi**
2. **Skill training and interview Mastery Webinar Kanika Gupta – 2nd November 2025 at 11 AM**

PM's Historic walk of the SEMICON India exhibition

Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi graced the SEMICON India 2025 Exhibition, accompanied by Hon'ble Union Minister Shri Ashwini Vaishnaw, MoS Shri Jitin Prasada, and Secretary Shri S. Krishnan. His walkthrough connected vision with innovation as he interacted with global CXOs and technology leaders from leading companies and country pavilions, witnessing live demonstrations of semiconductor advancements. The exhibition, which doubled in scale and participation, marked a milestone in India's journey toward becoming a global hub for semiconductors and innovation.

[Watch the Full Video](#)



Highlights from 1st National Industry Consortium Conference on Semiconductor Innovation

The 1st National Semiconductor Industry Consortium Conference, hosted by IDSPS division of IESA under the leadership of Prof. Rao R. Tummala, was held on August 30–31, 2025, in Delhi. The closed-door conference brought together industry pioneers, research faculty, and PhD scholars from top R&D institutions, central and state government representatives on a common platform to explore next-generation semiconductor technologies, foster collaborations, and discuss future burgeoning opportunities in India's semiconductor ecosystem preparing India for the AI Era. Key guests included Mr. Amitesh Sinha, CEO ISM and Dr. Shivkumar, CEO ANRF. IESA's EC and members' participation highlighted its ongoing commitment to advancing research, industry engagement, and ecosystem development in the ESDM sector.

India's Semiconductor Growth in Focus: IESA President Speaks with Bloomberg

In a recent conversation with Bloomberg's (Live TV Show) Haslinda Amin, IESA President Mr. Ashok Chandak highlighted India's rising semiconductor ambitions, projecting the market to reach \$100–110 billion by 2030. He emphasized the strong momentum of the Indian ESDM sector, driven by central and State Government policy support, global partnerships, and growing domestic demand and member contributions. Mr. Chandak noted that India is steadily positioning itself as a vital player in the global semiconductor ecosystem amid shifting technology landscapes.

[Watch Full Interview](#)



Highlighting IESA Presence at Electronica & Productronica India 2025

Over 50 IESA member companies and several EC member companies actively participated in Electronica and Productronica India 2025, the country's largest gathering for the electronics and semiconductor industry happened in Bengaluru. The event served as a premier platform for showcasing innovations, building partnerships, and engaging with global stakeholders. IESA's strong representation underscored its role in driving industry collaboration, supporting member companies, and advancing India's vision of becoming a global hub for electronics and semiconductor manufacturing. Mr. Sanjeev Keskar hosted several podcasts with IESA leaders.



UP International Trade Show 2025 Highlights Electronics Leadership

The UP International Trade Show 2025, inaugurated by Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi and Chief Minister Shri Yogi Adityanath on 26th September, showcased Uttar Pradesh's global vision across multiple sectors, with a strong focus on electronics. Representing IESA, Shri Ashok Chandak, CEO & President, IESA & SEMI India, moderated a panel with industry leaders, including Mr. Vinod Sharma, Mr. Shyam Sundar Gupta, Mr. Yogesh Mittal, Mr. Pankaj Sharma, and Mr. Atul Gupta. The discussions highlighted UP's roadmap in policy, EMS, chip design, exports, and global collaborations.





Honoring Dr V. Veerappan with the Lifetime Achievement Award at DVCon India 2025

Dr. V. Veerappan, IESA former Chairperson and Advisor, and President Tessolve, was conferred with the prestigious Lifetime Achievement Award at DVCon India 2025 for his pioneering contributions to design and verification in India. In his address, he dedicated the honor to teams and innovators who shaped the industry, urging the next generation to “innovate fearlessly.” His remarkable journey and enduring legacy continue to inspire professionals, reinforcing the spirit of innovation that drives India’s semiconductor and electronics ecosystem.

IESA’s Presence at India-Qatar Investment Meet

The India-Qatar Investment Meet, held on 26–27 August 2025 at Vanijya Bhawan, focused on fostering collaborations and exploring investment opportunities in India’s semiconductor and electronics sector. IESA member Rakhi Nangia participated in the meet and spoke in the Breakout Session on Public Sector Project Discussions – Semiconductor and Electronics. Her participation highlighted IESA’s role in promoting industry growth, facilitating international partnerships, and providing insights on strategic investments in India’s evolving technology landscape.



Mr. Shankar Krishnamurthy Joins IESA as Director - Startup Ecosystem

IESA is delighted to welcome Mr. Shankar Krishnamurthy as Director - Startup Ecosystem. With over two decades of global technology industry experience, he brings expertise spanning Business Development, Solution Sales, Product & Program Management, and R&D. His cross-cultural experience across North America, Europe, and Asia, will significantly strengthen IESA’s efforts to empower and accelerate India’s startup ecosystem.

IESA Supports Endiya Partners’ DEMO Event to Strengthen the DeepTech Ecosystem

IESA proudly supported *DEMO*, an initiative by Endiya Partners held on September 22, 2025, at the Bangalore International Centre. The event showcased live product demonstrations, meaningful conversations between entrepreneurs, investors, industry executives, and policymakers, followed by a networking dinner. Focused on enabling the DeepTech ecosystem, *DEMO* provided a valuable platform for startups to move beyond pitch decks and present real innovations, reinforcing IESA’s commitment to nurturing India’s growing technology and startup landscape.



Highlights from IDSPS Awareness Session at Ahmedabad

On August 29, 2025, an IDSPS awareness session was hosted by Suchi Semicon at Taj, Ahmedabad, featuring Prof. Rao R. Tummala, Advisor ISM India, who shared valuable insights on the present and future of semiconductor packaging. Mr. Sudhir Naik, IESA member, was also a part of the event, which brought together leaders from industry, academia, and research. Key participants included IIT Gandhinagar, GTU, LD College of Engineering, Micron, Tata, Suchi Semicon, and ISRO, fostering discussions on advancing India’s semiconductor packaging ecosystem.

ACADEMIC ENGAGEMENTS



IESA at SRMIST's Abhigyan 2025: Bridging Industry and Academia

The Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering at SRMIST, Vadapalani Campus, hosted its 14th National Level Technical Symposium, *Abhigyan 2025 – Sustainable Synergy*, on September 11, 2025. Mr. Viswanathan KG, Director – Workforce Development, IESA, graced the event as the Chief Guest, emphasising the importance of industry-academia collaboration for skill development and sustainable innovation. The symposium featured technical and non-technical events, including Paper Presentation, Ideathons, Poster Pulse, and more, fostering creativity, practical learning, and engagement among students. IESA's participation reinforced its commitment to nurturing talent and advancing academia-industry synergy.

IESA & SiMS Facilitate Faculty Industry Visit to Tessolve

On September 27, 2025, IESA, in collaboration with SiMS organized a faculty industry visit to Tessolve, Bengaluru, with 24 faculty members from across Karnataka participating. The visit, coordinated by Viswanathan KG from IESA with support from Dr. Veerappan of Tessolve, provided faculty members with valuable exposure to Tessolve's advanced facilities and encouraged meaningful academia-industry collaboration.



Highlights from TIMES-2025 International Conference by NorthCap University

The International Conference on Technological Innovation in Multidisciplinary Engineering and Sciences (TIMES-2025) was hosted by The NorthCap University, Gurgaon, on September 11-12, 2025, under the chairmanship of Prof. Prem Vrat, Pro Chancellor. Ms. Rakhi Nangia represented IESA as Guest of Honour, alongside Chief Guest Shri Anup Shah, Sc'G, SSPL. The conference brought together thought leaders, researchers, and practitioners to deliberate on cutting-edge innovations, fostering collaboration across diverse disciplines of engineering and sciences.

IESA Member Sudhir Naik Speaks at TEDx talk at Ahmedabad International School

On 26 August, IESA member Sudhir Naik participated in the TEDx talk organized at Ahmedabad International School, held at the Management Conference Hall. The event, titled "*Future Frontier*", brought together thought leaders, innovators, and industry professionals to discuss emerging trends and future-ready solutions. Mr. Naik shared valuable insights from the semiconductor and electronics ecosystem, highlighting opportunities for growth, innovation, and collaboration, reinforcing IESA's commitment to fostering knowledge exchange within the industry.



IESA Leader Addresses Future Engineers at Acropolis Group of Institutes

The Acropolis Group of Institutes, **Indore, Madhya Pradesh**, hosted an orientation program on August 26, 2025, welcoming over 500 incoming engineering students. Mr. Sudhir Naik, IESA member was invited as Chief Guest to address the gathering. In his inspiring talk, he emphasized innovation, skill development, and opportunities in the electronics and semiconductor sector, reflecting IESA's commitment to nurturing young talent for India's ESDM ecosystem.

STARTUP OF THE MONTH - OCTOBER 2025



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