

Agenda

0845 - 0900 hrs

Registration & Tea/Coffee

0900-1000 hrs

Need and Progress on Indic Computing

Panel Moderator: Ajay data, Data Xgen Technologies

- *Current state of Indic use and domestic Internet accessibility [Rajesh Kalra, Chief Editor, Times Internet]*
- *Challenges with publishing local content. Government Department, Media Company, Social Network operator [Gyan Gupta, CEO, Dainik Bhaskar Digital]*
- *Discoverability of Indic content [Divyashree Bhat, Program Manager-Indic Initiatives, Google]*
- *Standard for ensuring quality Indic computing and Multilingual input; why every website and app needs a way to allow user generated input [Vijayananda Prabhu, VP - Client Engagement, Reverie]*

1000-1100 hrs

Universal Acceptance and Case Studies from Around the World

Panel Moderator: Don Hollander, ICANN

- *Universal Acceptance Initiative – Need, Progress and Role for Local Stakeholders – [Ram Mohan, ICANN Board and Chair, Universal Acceptance Steering Group]*
- *E-mail in Indic- ‘Need to connect’ for non-English speakers- [Ajay Data, Co-Founder, Data Infosys Limited]*
- *ICANN’s internal UA exercise [Ashwin Ragan, CIO, ICANN]*
- *Microsoft’s efforts for Universal Acceptance [Mark Svancarek, Microsoft]*

1100-1200 hrs

Internationalized Domain Names and Local Initiatives

Panel Moderator: Sarmad Hussain, ICANN

- *ICANN’s efforts towards promoting IDNs in local languages and scripts – [Rinalia Abdul Rahim, ICANN Board]*
- *Developing the root zone Label Generation Rules for Neo-Brahmi Script – [Akshat Joshi, CDAC]*
- *IDN ccTLDs for Indian Languages and Scripts: Status and Vision – [Rajiv Bansal, CEO NIXI]*