

# GLOBAL INDIA BUSINESS FORUM



“Every one has a Key, it's just a matter of using it Right”



## About GIBF

India is a fast growing country and an emerging Super Power. With Indian Government's drive for initiatives such as "Make in India", "Skill Development" and "Aatmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan (Self-Reliant India Mission)" there are ample opportunities for both Indian and Global companies to run start-ups and make exponential growth in all business sectors. These initiatives also provide a golden opportunity for Indian MSMEs to promote themselves and show their true potential to grow and flourish.

In such a dynamic and vibrant business scenario, to promote synergy, a need for the formation of a common platform was felt. The idea was perceived and progressed further by Dr. Jitendra Joshi, a successful businessman and visionary who has over a glorious 25+ years of experience in Manufacturing and Service Industry at Senior Level Management in numerous MNC companies.

To fulfill this need and to bring together business professionals from various segments like Automobile, Engineering, FMCG, Chemical, Pharmaceuticals, Electronics, Heavy Metal, Service Industry etc., Global India Business Forum (GIBF) was formed.

Today, Global India Business Forum is one of the fastest growing networking platforms in the world that has successfully connected businesspeople from different countries and sectors on one platform and is raring to go for more.

We, at GIBF, bridge the gap between demand for opportunities and their supply by conducting webinars, seminars and conferences. These webinars, seminars, and conferences shall help Ambassadors and Consul Generals of countries across the world shed light on several business opportunities their countries have in store for foreign investors. They will also help businesspeople identify business opportunities that best suit them and we shall help them come together on our platform.

GIBF consists of members from all fields of business, industry, academics and other professions without any segment boundaries. In India, GIBF has its head office in Delhi, Corporate Office in Pune, and Global offices in Dubai, USA, UK, Singapore and China. It also has a presence in Mumbai, Chennai, Ahmedabad, and Kolkata & Cuttack in India.

### VISION

Become the best-in-class business networking platform that creates and builds a world business community that would see MSMEs flourish across the world in the next 10 years

### MISSION

To provide a common platform for businesses and entrepreneurs to share their ideas & experiences for entrepreneurial development.

### VALUES

We value holistic growth, humanistic diversity and are committed to professionalism, excellence, community involvement, accountability and timely progress with ethical values.





# OUR STRENGTHS



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# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**D**iplomatic relations is the path to successful convergence in many ways and trade is one of the most crucial factors. With the changing business scenario worldwide, adapting to the changes and making amendments in the functioning of business processes have become critical.

Technological advancements have forced us to look beyond the brick-and-mortar offices and embrace the new-found methods of business adventures and dealings. Now, it is time to enhance business connectivity worldwide for economic well-being and amicable foreign relations. Here is where Global India Business Forum comes to the picture. It acts as catalyst by connecting business leaders across the globe through its number of unique activities.

We, at GIBF, set the right combination of face-to-face interaction and social media connectivity among entrepreneurs and entrepreneurships. Through seminars, webinars, workshops and several types of memberships for networking, GIBF provides a forum for businesspersons to expand their businesses across the globe. In addition, we also acknowledge the efforts of successful businesspersons throughout GIBF Awards (divided into three categories: State, National and International)

These awards celebrate the ingenuity and innovativeness of our members business vision, mission, and values. These awards speak volumes of their achievements and they are recognized worldwide: The awards are given away by ministers, governors and diplomats of various countries. The selection panel for GIBF Awards consists of highly esteemed members of the business community. The panelists are passionate about selecting the best in each category. GIBF can contribute significantly to your business roadmap ahead. So, come grow your business trajectory with us as we help you build and elevate your businesses with the right tools and knowledge. You can also register under our memberships Corporate, Associate, Student for wider connectivity and reach.

GIBF membership enhances a company's position as one of the most promising companies in the world. | welcome you on board onto this exciting new journey of business networking! Register and become a part of GIBF, now!

**Dr. Jitendra Joshi**  
**Founder & Global President**  
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AFRICAN COUNTRIES: JULY 14th, 15th & 16th 2021  
AMERICAN COUNTRIES: OCT 20th, 21st & 22nd 2021  
ASIAN COUNTRIES: JAN 19th, 20th & 21st 2022

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## GIBF meets Armenian Ambassador

The Global India Business Forum (GIBF) team met the Ambassador of the Republic of Armenia to the Republic of India H.E. Mr. Vahagn Afyan and shared about GIBF's activities, initiatives, motto and work done till date to promote economic growth of all the countries. Founder and Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi and Co-founder and Secretary General, Deepali Gadkari felicitated the ambassador and presented a memento to him. They unanimously agreed to work in collaboration for uplifting the economies of their respective countries.



## Ambassador of Guatemala to India praises GIBF's India-Latin America and Caribbean Countries Conclave

The Ambassador of the Republic of Guatemala to the Republic of India, H.E. Omar Lisandro Castaneda Solares praised Global India Business Forum's recently-organized India-Latin America and Caribbean Countries Business Conclave when the GIBF team met him on March 27, 2024. The ambassador who was unable to attend the Conclave due to prior commitments assured the GIBF team of his presence in the next event. He said that the Conclave was appreciated by the diplomats of the Latin America and Caribbean Countries. Founder and Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi and Co-founder and Secretary General, Deepali Gadkari felicitated the ambassador and presented a memento to the ambassador. They mutually agreed to work together for benefitting the economies of their respective countries.



## GIBF has fruitful discussions with Algerian ambassador to India

Founder and Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi met the Ambassador of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria to the Republic of India, H.E. Mr. Ali Achoui, and had a great discussion regarding GIBF's activities and initiatives. Dr. Joshi gave an account of the work done by GIBF until now and presented a memento to the ambassador in his honour. The ambassador assured the support of his embassy to GIBF for the benefit of Algeria and India.



## GIBF has successful dialogue with Ambassador of Azerbaijan to India

The Global India Business Forum (GIBF) team met the new Ambassador of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the Republic of India and felicitated him with a memento. The GIBF team explained the aims and objectives of GIBF to the ambassador and updated him with GIBF's work. The ambassador assured the Founder and Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi and Co-founder and Secretary General, Deepali Gadkari of cooperation and collaboration with GIBF for mutual trade.



# Incoming Delegation

Global India Business Forum handles incoming and outgoing delegations to support countries by arranging B2B meetings and Business-related programmes across various countries.

## Russian Delegation



Global India Business Forum was part of the Russian delegation led by Timur Vekilov, Head representative of Russian Export Centre in India. The delegation had business (B2B) meetings with 25 companies from the construction, agriculture, jewelry and interior trends, and cosmetics sector at the Russia Trade Centre Office in World Trade Centre, Mumbai on November 16, 2022.



Eminent companies from Russia like Znamensky Composite Plant, Kalina Farm, SE Pechnikov Facades and Spring LLC were part of the delegation. Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi, Co-Founder and Director of GIBF, Deepali Gadkari, Marketing Head and India Coordinator, Neelkamal Anchan, Assistant Marketing Manager, Aditya Agrawal and other representatives of GIBF and Abhi Group of Companies were present on the occasion.

On November 17, 2022, GIBF hosted the Russian delegation for Logistics/SCM/Transportation at The Fern, Chembur, Mumbai. The delegation met representatives from Abhi Group of Companies to collaborate on logistics and related sector. Global President of Global India Business Forum and Chairman and Managing Director of Abhi Group of Companies, Dr. Jitendra Joshi, marketing Head and India Coordinator of Global India Business Forum, Neelkamal Anchan and other representatives of Abhi Impact Logistics and Ash Logistics from Abhi Group of Companies were present on the occasion.

## Indonesian Delegation



Global India Business Forum along with Indonesian Consulate in Mumbai organized a B2B meet for International Furniture Manufacturers on November 18, 2022 at Royal Dudes, Goregaon East, Mumbai. It was a complete strategic converging event for manufacturers from India to discuss and explore business with Indonesian furniture manufacturers, their comprehensive range of products and designs to India's top importers, retailers, chain stores, e-retailers, agents and distributors.

The highlights of this meet included attracting and bringing quality international manufacturers with contemporary and trendy furniture, and bringing together various sectors of the industry to bring about success in business.

From Indonesian Consulate General - Mr. Agus Saptono (Consul General), Mr. Tolhah Ubaidi (Consul Economic), Mr. Pangky Saputra (Consul Economic), Mr. Vijay V. Tawdee (Senior Assistant of Economic) were present on the occasion. Ms. Djudjuk Aryati, Ms. Veronika Anggraini, Mr. Biyp Mukksen, Mr. Husein Jufri, Mr. Dafa Dzaki Nur Hakim, and EO officials were part of the Indonesian delegates.

Indian importers, Mr. Sanjiv Sunu, Mr. Peter Louis and many others were present for the meet. Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi, Co-Founder and Director of GIBF, Deepali Gadkari, Marketing Head and India Coordinator, Neelkamal Anchan, Assistant Marketing Manager, Aditya Agrawal and other representatives of GIBF and Abhi Group of Companies were present on the occasion.

## Uzbekistan Delegation



H.E. Dilshod AKHATOV, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Uzbekistan to the Republic of India visited Pune on November 24, 2022 when GIBF organized B2B meetings with 15 companies from the construction, travel and tourism, IT, finance, logistics, education and pharma sectors. The meet was held at Ramada, Hinjawadi. Ex. Dy Prime Minister of Uzbekistan was also present.

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## Taiwan Delegation



GIBF organised a summit on business opportunities in Taiwan. The Taiwan External Trade Development Council has developed a well-coordinated trade promotion and information network. TAITRA's major functions are Market Development, Strategic Marketing, Trade Information Services, Exhibitions, and Convention Services.



# Malaysian Delegation



Global India Business Forum (GIBF) that manages incoming and outgoing business delegations globally handled the Malaysian delegation on October 31 in Mumbai and also facilitated the business networking session between Malaysian and Indian companies.

The Consulate General of Malaysia (Trade Section), MATRADE Mumbai organised the Export Acceleration Mission for Malaysian Companies to Mumbai, India. The objective of the mission was to enhance bilateral trade, explore new business opportunities and potential business collaboration with Indian businesses. The sectors included - ICT, housewares, machinery, oil and gas, food and beverages, building materials, pharmaceuticals, electrical and electronics, chemical and chemical products, construction and professional services.

Around 100 persons attended the meeting, including 25 Malaysian companies and about 25 Indian companies. On behalf of MATRADE, Norman Dzulkarnain Nasri, Trade Commissioner/Counsellor, Consulate General of Malaysia Trade Section (MATRADE Mumbai) was present while on behalf of GIBF, Founder and Global President Dr. Jitendra Joshi, Co-founder and Secretary General Deepali Gadkari and team were present.

# Jordan Delegation

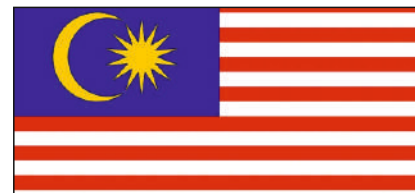
Global India Business Forum had hosted the Jordanian delegation meet in New Delhi, India on July 12, 2023 at Avanta Business Centre, Connaught Place, for textile, agro food, pharmaceuticals, cotton, fertilizers, and mining sectors. Around 45 businesspersons marked their presence for the exclusive B2B meet.



The diplomats from Jordan included Mr. Mohammad Harahsheh - Economic Councilor, Embassy of The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, Mr. Bilal Hammouri, Director of Investment Promotion Department, Ministry of Investment, Mr. Tariq Hijazi, Assistant Secretary General of Arab Businessmen Federation, Mr. Ali Qussairy, Head of India Desk - Jordan Ministry of Investment, The diplomats were welcomed and felicitated by Neelkamal Anchan (Marketing Head and India Coordinator – GIBF). The programme was anchored by Arushi Agrawal, Ms. Neelkamal introduced the concept of GIBF, its vision/plans with Jordan and other countries. GIBF and Jordan Businessmen Association (JBA) signed the Memorandum of Understanding on Jordanian-Indian Business Council during the delegation meet.

Mr. Tariq spoke about the bilateral relationship between Jordan and India when he made the announcement affirming GIBF's role in the bilateral business relation between the two countries. He also informed that there was no tax up to five years for businesspersons wanting to expand their business in Jordan and briefed the audience about the benefits given by the Jordanian government to businesspersons. Mr. Bilal gave a presentation on Investment Climate and Opportunities in Jordan. Mr. Ali spoke at length about the success story of India and Jordan business relations. He added that Jordan was the gateway of business to the Middle East as it was the beginning of the Middle East and everything starts from Jordan.

# Malaysian Delegation



Global India Business Forum in collaboration with MIDA organized a seminar on business opportunities in Malaysia for businesspersons from all sectors. A delegation from Malaysia visited Mumbai on 13th February 2023 at Hotel Taj Lands End, Band Stand, BJ Road Bandra West, Mumbai



# Argentina Delegation

Global India Business Forum along with the Argentine Consulate General and Trade Centre of Argentina hosted a business delegation of Argentine exporters of various sectors (veterinary health - vaccines against salmonella for poultry, microencapsulated minerals - iron and magnesium, pulses, eco-friendly textile bags, olive oil, yerba mate tea, jams, sauces, pasta, and other food products) and Indian businesspersons at Mumbai. B2B meetings were also organized at the Nidhi Meeting Room of The Leela Mumbai, Sahar on March 1, 2023.



# Sweden Delegation



Global India Business Forum along with the Consulate General of Sweden organized the Sweden-India Smart City and Innovation roundtable on 14 February 2023 at NKN E-Classroom, The Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Pune. Vinnova, IVL Swedish Environmental Research Institute, Smart City Sweden, and Business Sweden India were among the organizers. The workshop on sustainable solutions included waste management, water literacy, and automobile sectors. Researchers, companies, innovators exchanged knowledge, technologies and discussed possible opportunities with Swedish counterparts within the areas of Smart cities.



## Uganda Delegation



Forty business leaders participated in the incoming delegation from Uganda, handled by GIBF on 16 November, 2023. They discussed business opportunities in sectors like agriculture, IT and ITES, energy, leather, chemicals, plastics and tourism. The esteemed dignitaries of the UIA included Margaret L. Kyogire, Deputy High Commissioner, Uganda High Commission; Naima Obombasa, Uganda Investment Authority Board Member and Richard Nuwenyesiga, Deputy Director - Innovation, Science and Technology Development at Uganda Investment Authority. Also present were Sanjiv Ramanlal Patel, Director of Tomil Group of Companies and the oldest Indian in Uganda, and Dr. Amol Shinde, Private Secretary to Chief Minister, Government of Maharashtra and Private Secretary to Union Minister of State for Agriculture and Farmer Welfare.

Ms. Margaret introduced Uganda and its investment opportunities in the country. Ms. Naima while informing about the opportunities and government schemes for foreign direct investment said that Uganda is a haven for investments.

Ms. Naima spoke about the Uganda government's commitment in improving Uganda's business environment with its investment security, reliable electricity, improved roads and other infrastructure developments.

Mr. Sanjiv, while speaking about his experience in Uganda said, "Uganda is a zero default country. If you invest in India, you will get the returns in two years."

## Tanzania Delegation



Global India Business Forum had organized the India-Tanzania Investment Forum on 19 January, 2024 in association with Tanzania Investment Centre and Marketing Assistance and Research Support (MARS). Chief Guest, Her Excellency Ms. Anisa Kapufi Mbega, High Commissioner of the Republic of Tanzania to the Republic of India shared comprehensive insights into the economic landscape of Tanzania and the potential for fruitful collaboration with India. She also spoke about the long-standing relation between India and Tanzania and it can be further strengthened.

Ms. Latiffa Kigoda of the Tanzania Investment Centre shared a valuable presentation on the opportunities that business leaders of the respective countries can explore. Other delegates also spoke about business opportunities and possible trade relations between the two countries.

Rekha Sharma, Founder of MARS, spoke about collaboration between India and Tanzania to boost economic ties.

Business delegates from several sectors of India and Tanzania attended the event and had fruitful discussions during the B2B meeting at the event. Many business deals also are in the pipeline.

## GIBF and Uzbekistan Embassy successfully organized India-Uzbekistan Pharmaceutical Meet

The Global India Business Forum (GIBF) and the Embassy of Uzbekistan in India organized the India-Uzbekistan Pharmaceutical Meet on June 24, 2024, which saw a resounding success. The GIBF was established to promote businesses, with special emphasis on the MSME sector, across the globe and facilitate cultural exchanges, through its various unique initiatives. This India-Uzbekistan Pharmaceutical Meet was organized in this backdrop and to foster bilateral trade between India and Uzbekistan in the pharmaceutical sector.

The event was held at the Embassy of Uzbekistan in New Delhi from 03:00 pm to 5:30 pm. It started with the opening of the business forum and introduction of the event by GIBF. India Coordinator of GIBF, Mr. DP Mishra introduced GIBF, its aims and initiatives. The opening address was delivered by H.E. Mr. Sardor Rustambayev, Ambassador of Uzbekistan to India. There were 22 business delegates from India and six pharmaceutical companies from Uzbekistan at the event. The Indian pharmaceutical sector is a thriving one and investors from this sector can expand their business in Uzbekistan.

Director of Pharmaceutical Industry Development Agency, Uzbekistan, Mr. Abdulla Azizov gave a presentation on investment opportunities in Uzbekistan. The Pharmaceutical Meet concluded with B2B round table meetings of the delegates with many deals being discussed.





## GIBF Collaborates with Moscow Export Center for Russian-Indian Business Mission

**M**oscow Export Center in collaboration with ICIB and GIBF had organized Russian-Indian Business Mission on August 6, 2024 at Jio World Centre, BKC, Mumbai.

The event was graced by the presence of the Russian Consul General, Mr. Aleksei V. Surovtsev Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi, Secretary General of GIBF, Deepali Gadkari and others.

About 20 Russian companies and more than 100 Indian companies from various sectors were present for the event. The sectors included – IT, Service and Equipment, Film Industry, and Medicine.

Russian companies from the IT sector included – LLC BIMAR System, LLC MISS Engineering, LLC Trend Soft, LLC Elbius, LLC Awatera, LLC Self Soft Production, LLC Montrans, LLC Seventech, LLC AXELOT, JSC BIFIT, and JSC Business Tech. From the Service and Equipment sector, LLC Mach Unit, LLC AQUATECHEXCEL, and LLC SOXRF were present.

From the Film Industry, LLC Look Film, LLC Premier Documentary Movie Fellowship, LLC Home Production, and LLC Terra Anima participated. The medicine sector included LLC Melfon.

After the inauguration, each company gave presentations about their company, their products/services and other details.

In the post-lunch session, the participants of the Russian-Indian Business Mission held B2B meetings with Indian companies to discuss the prospects of cooperation.



# Trinidad & Tobago Delegation (October 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024)



The GIBF organized a delegation from Trinidad & Tobago in Mumbai which was attended by 12 Indian businesspersons from diverse sectors including pharmaceuticals, healthcare, manufacturing and infrastructure. The GIBF delegation was led by its Co-founder and Secretary General, Deepali Gadkari.

The event was graced by the High Commissioner of Trinidad & Tobago to India, H.E. Dr. Roger Gopaul; Administrative Attaché, Ms. Charlene Ramsundar; President of InvesTT - Trinidad & Tobago, Mr. Sekou Alleyne; and Business Advisor of ExporTT - Trinidad & Tobago, Ms. Sharmilla Khan.

The event promoted trade, investment, and trading opportunities in Trinidad & Tobago, particularly in sectors of manufacturing, pharmaceuticals, healthcare & infrastructure.

H.E. Dr. Roger Gopaul spoke about the deep connections that Trinidad & Tobago has with India culturally and bilaterally. He said that Diwali is the national festival of Trinidad & Tobago.

Mr. Sekou Alleyne shared insights on the pharmaceutical industry and the huge opportunities that Indian pharmacy manufacturers have in Trinidad & Tobago. He also informed about the various advantages of investing in Trinidad & Tobago and the lucrative incentives those Indian business leaders can avail.

Ms. Sharmilla Khan shared what could be exported from Trinidad & Tobago and what they would like to import from India.

The event was followed by B2G meetings over high tea wherein the government authorities from Trinidad & Tobago and business leaders from India interacted with each other to explore various opportunities in each other's countries.





# Incoming Delegation from Tanzania

## India-Tanzania Investment Forum & Road Show 2024 (October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024)



The Global India Business Forum (GIBF) in collaboration with the Marketing Assistance and Research Support (MARS), and in partnership with the Tanzania High Commission, Tanzania Investment Centre (TIC), Zanzibar Investment Promotion Authority (ZIPA), and other key bodies organized the India-Tanzania Business Forum and Investment Roadshow at Hotel Rangsharda (BKC), Bandra West in Mumbai on October 21, 2024. The event was graced by the High Commissioner of the United Republic of Tanzania to India, HE Anisa Kapufi Mbegi.

The GIBF is a leading international business chamber that supports SMEs across the world and facilitates bilateral trade and relations between India and other countries. MARS is an international trade and investment organization that facilitates successful partnerships between nations.

The event promoted trade, investment, and tourism opportunities in Tanzania, particularly in sectors such as agriculture, manufacturing, pharmaceuticals, mining, renewable energy, infrastructure, blue economy, and tourism. The event highlighted Tanzania's commitment to strengthening ties with India and fostering mutual growth. The event saw the presence of 52 well-known Indian companies and 20 Tanzanian companies.

At the onset, representatives of GIBF and MARS introduced their respective organizations to the dignitaries after welcoming them.

Latifa Kigoda, TIC Desk Officer – India gave a presentation on Investment Opportunities in Tanzania and introduced the Tanzanian delegation members.

Representatives of various organizations present for the roadshow gave presentations regarding their respective organizations, the investment opportunities and how trade relations could be fortified.

After the presentations by business organizations, HE Anisa Kapufi Mbegi delivered the keynote speech. She spoke about the trade relations between India and Tanzania and emphasized how these relations could be strengthened further. She appreciated the efforts of GIBF and MARS in building stronger business relations between India and Tanzania.

The event was followed by B2B meetings over lunch wherein the business leaders from both the countries could interact with each other.

The Tanzanian delegates included Mujaheed Mukadam of Muju Company T Limited that is into Export of Timber, Nestory E. Kissima, Investment Officer of Tanzania Investment Centre (TIC), Stephen Mlabwa, Investment Manager of Tanzania Ports Authority, Twahiri Magoolo, General Manager - MSD Medipharma

Manufacturing Co. Ltd, Hafsa Burhan, Marketing Manager of Zanzibar Investment Promotion Authority (ZIPA), Juma Mtono, Planning Officer of Tanzania Ports Authority, Baraka Imanyi, Director of Tz1st Co Ltd / Wazazi Co Ltd, Dr. Gloria Kessy Mheta, Managing Director of Hovite Holdings Ltd (Healthcare & Pharmaceuticals), Stanley Joel Bendera, Founder/CEO of Zumbe One (T) Limited (Exports - Agro-Business), Ms. Latiffa Kigoda, India Desk Incharge of Tanzania Investment Centre, Easter Constantine, Manager of Kamaka Modern Industrial Park, Augustino Saibull, Director of Project Development & Appraisal, PPP Centre, Shoma Kibende, Director of Corporate Services of Public Private Partnership Centre, Mr. Hassan, Director of Medical Store Department, Mr. Panduka of EPZA, Sector Manufacturing and Mr. Wilson Malosha, Director of EPZA (Export Processing Zones Authority).





# Russian Business Delegation led by Ministers (October 24-25, 2024)



The Global India Business Forum handled an incoming multi-sector business delegation from Russia to India on October 24 and 25. This event scored another milestone in strengthening bilateral trade relations between India and Russia.

The delegation was supported by the Government of the Sverdlovsk Region and the Ministry of International and Foreign Economic Relations. It was led by Mr. Oleg Aleksandrin, Deputy Minister of International and Foreign Economic Relations; Mr. Zelenkin Igor, Deputy Minister of Industry and Science; and Ms. Selyakhina Elena, Chief Specialist of the Export Support and Development Department.



## October 24, 2024

The GIBF team handled the multi-sector Russian business delegation to India on October 24, 2024 at the Trident Hotel, Mumbai.

The delegation was led by Mr. Oleg Aleksandrin, Deputy Minister of International and Foreign Economic Relations; Mr. Zelenkin Igor, Deputy Minister of Industry and Science; and Ms. Selyakhina Elena, Chief Specialist of the Export Support and Development Department.

The sectors included oil and gas, metallurgy, education, pharmaceutical, lubricants, special purpose machine parts, isotopes, engineering - engine building and ultra-tech filter engineering. The Russian business leaders were looking to collaborate with Indian industries specifically on these sectors.

Around 30 business leaders from Russia and 120 from India attended the meeting. Initially, Mr. Oleg introduced the purpose of the delegation and spoke about how India-Russia relations could be further strengthened.

The business leaders from both the countries exchanged information regarding their respective businesses and discussed about taking forward their business relations.

## October 25, 2024

The GIBF team along with the Abhi Group of Companies welcomed a ten-member multi-sector business delegation from Russia at its Pune office for a business networking meet.

The delegation was spearheaded by Mr. Oleg Aleksandrin, Deputy Minister of International and Foreign Economic Relations; Mr. Zelenkin Igor, Deputy Minister of Industry and Science; and Ms. Selyakhina Elena, Chief Specialist of the Export Support and Development Department. Notable Russian companies such as Intell Rus LLC and Kushva Roll Manufacturing Factory, JSC, were also represented.

The GIBF team, led by Founder and Global President Dr. Jitendra Joshi and Co-founder and Secretary

General Deepali Gadkari, was present for the networking event alongside members from the Abhi Group of Companies. Dr. Joshi opened the meeting with an inspiring introductory speech, emphasizing GIBF's dedication to fostering stronger bilateral trade relations between India and Russia.

Mr. Oleg expressed his appreciation for the warm welcome and highlighted the similarities between the Sverdlovsk Region and Pune, signaling a mutual interest in enhancing trade collaboration.

During the networking session, Indian business delegates shared their perspectives on expanding operations in Russia and discussed potential mutual benefits from increased bilateral trade. The dialogue underscored the commitment from both sides to explore new avenues for partnership.

Following the meet, the Russian delegation participated in industrial visits to manufacturing companies in Chakan, further solidifying the collaborative spirit and exploring firsthand the opportunities available in the Indian market.

The visit marks a significant step towards deepening the economic ties between India and Russia, with GIBF at the forefront of this collaborative effort.





# Outgoing Delegation

## Dubai Delegation



The Global India Business Forum (GIBF) in collaboration with the Indian Chamber of Commerce (ICC) organized an outgoing business delegation to Dubai from May 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup>. The 26 delegates included Indian business leaders from various sectors. The delegates had an industry visit to Ras-Al-Khaimah Free Zone (RAKEZ) and Meydan Free Zone. The delegates visited the BAPS Hindu Mandir and then had networking lunch was hosted by - Indian Business & Professional Group wherein the diplomats could interact with each other and their counterparts, and the dignitaries. Session on Fostering Entrepreneurship & Global Business Relationships (UAE-India) was held at Sofitel – Dubai Downtown.



# Outgoing Delegation

## Tanzania Delegation

The Global India Business Forum successfully organized a business delegation to Tanzania from 21<sup>st</sup> to 25th April, 2024.

Business delegates from different sectors led by the Global India Business Forum (GIBF) team visited the country that is one of the ten fastest growing countries in Africa and promises ample investment opportunities.

On April 22, the delegation met Ms. Latifa Kigoda, Communication Officer of the Tanzania Investment Centre (TIC), and Petrus Emmanuel Mbassa, Head of Investment, Tanzania Investment Centre (TIC) at the TIC office in Dar es Salaam. They informed about the functioning of TIC and the benefits of investing in Tanzania.

The delegation then visited the Tanzania Chamber of Commerce Industry and Agriculture (TCCIA) where everybody shared their profiles for the B2B meeting scheduled on April 23rd. They met Ms. Fatima Hamisi, First Secretary of TCCIA and David Onogeha, Trade Head of TCCIA. This was followed by high tea and networking at the Indian High Commission at Tanzania. It was attended by 28 delegates and the Deputy High Commissioner, Mr. Manoj B Verma and Second Secretary of the High Commission of India in Tanzania, Mr. Naresh Kumar. At the onset of the event, Vaishali Badle, GIBF's Director-Business Development, introduced GIBF and thanked the high commissioner for welcoming the delegation and hosting the event. She spoke about bilateral trade between India and Tanzania and how it could further enhance the economic ties.

Rekha Sharma, Founder of Marketing Assistance and Research Support (MARS), briefed about MARS and that investing in Tanzania could be beneficial.

Second Secretary, Mr. Naresh Kumar explained why it was good to invest in Tanzania and how safe it was here. He said that Tanzania was a safe haven to do trading.

Mr. Antaryami Sarangi, MD of Bank of India (Tanzania), spoke about the safety of money in Indian banks, how the bank can help in joint ventures and how it can help in transferring their money to India.

This was followed by high tea and networking. Despite the heavy showers and traffic jam, the delegates made it to the event, which shows their seriousness to do business in Tanzania.

On 23<sup>rd</sup> April, a day-long B2B meeting was organized at the TIC from 10 am to 4pm. The sectors included – CNG, textiles, mining, agriculture, agro products, spirits, healthcare, and medical equipment.

From 5 pm to 7 pm, the delegates had individual meetings at different offices.

On 24<sup>th</sup> April, every delegate had at least five meetings throughout the day. In the evening, they had dinner at Sea Cliff Hotel with a cultural night of music and dance, hosted by GIBF.





# Outgoing Delegation

## Ethiopia Delegation

The Global India Business Forum successfully organized a business delegation to Ethiopia from February 19-23, 2024. Business delegates from different sectors led by the Global India Business Forum (GIBF) team visited the country that promises ample investment opportunities.

The delegates included - Founder and CFO of ENAICTECH Software Technologies Private Limited, Rohit Bellur and its Co-founder and MD, Sreelakshmi Hindupur who represented the IT sector; Pinaki Chakraborty Owner of PR Kabita Textiles represented the textile sector; Vrushali Borade CEO of Everest Pharma represented herbal medicines; Nikunj Rabara, Managing Director of Niva Green India represented health, textile and packaging sectors; Deepali Gadkari, Secretary General of GIBF and Director of Bella Vida represented the brand and silver jewelry manufacturing segment while CMD and MD of Abhi Group, Dr. Jitendra Joshi represented the logistics sector as well as GIBF as its Global President.



The delegation met the Ethiopian Investment Commission (EIC). Deputy Commissioners Dagato Kumbé and Dr. Zeleke Temesgen gave an elaborate presentation on investment opportunities in Ethiopia. The delegation also visited two industrial parks - Kilinto and Bole Lemi Industrial Park. Mr. Aklilu Tadesse, CEO of Industrial Parks Development Corporation (IPDC) held a discussion with the GIBF team and investors delegation who are interested in engaging in agro-processing and pharmaceutical sectors. They also visited a textile manufacturing factory - JJ Manufacturing. They met the State Minister of Health, Ethiopia, Ms. Frehiwot Abebe and had a good discussion on how software can be developed for hospitals. The ministry is keen on getting investments for hospitals. The delegation had discussions with Minister, Advisor of the Industrial Ministry, Asfaw Abebe Eregnewe. The business delegates had fruitful meetings with fellow business leaders. The Indian Embassy in Ethiopia hosted dinner for the Indian delegates. The delegation had an elaborate meeting with the Addis Ababa Chamber of Commerce followed by a B2B meeting. They visited the Addis Ababa Chamber of Commerce Trade Fair and Exhibition Centre. Deputy Secretary General of Addis Ababa Chamber of Commerce and Sectoral Associations (AACCSA), Zekarias Assefa informed about the work of the Chamber of Commerce.

The delegation was supported by the Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Ethiopia to the Republic of India, H.E. Demeke Atnafu Ambulo, the Deputy Ambassador Bizunesh Meseret, (Deputy Head of Mission) at the Ethiopian Embassy in India and Mr. Ravi Rai, Commercial Head (Economic and Trade Sector). Ms. Bizunesh attended all the meetings with the delegation.



## Mauritius Delegation



Global India Business Forum took a delegation of businesspersons from different sector to Mauritius in March 2023. GIBF organized the event along with the Economic Development Board, Mauritius. The EDB gave away the International Business Excellence Award to the businesspersons. The delegations had meetings with Chamber of Commerce, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Economic Development Board, Indian High Commission, B2B Meetings, Networking and Industry Visits.

## Tashkent, Uzbekistan Delegation

Global India Business Forum was invited by the Republic of Uzbekistan to attend the Tashkent International Investment Program with a delegation at Tashkent Hall. GIBF had fruitful discussions with the embassy on bilateral trade, cultural exchange and Business and Cultural Council. Founder & Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi, Co-Founder & Secretary General, Deepali Gadkari exchanged ideas for business opportunities. His Excellency Shavkat Mirziyoyev, President of Uzbekistan attended the plenary session. Communications Director, EBRD, Jonathan Charles was the moderator of the program.



## Outgoing Delegation to Uganda (21st-24<sup>th</sup> September, 2024)



Global India Business Forum - a leading International Business Chamber successfully organized a business delegation to the Republic of Uganda from September 21-24, 2024. The visit enhanced the business prospects of the visiting Indian business delegates from various sectors and built stronger trade ties between the two countries. On behalf of GIBF, the Founder and Global President, Dr. Jitendra Joshi and Co-founder and Secretary General, Deepali Gadkari accompanied the delegation.



Uganda is a landlocked country in East Africa with Kenya on the east, South Sudan on the north, Democratic Republic of the Congo to the west, Rwanda to the south-west and Tanzania to the south. Uganda is diverse, with volcanic hills, mountains, and lakes, including Lake Victoria, the world's second-largest freshwater lake. The country has significant natural resources.

On **21<sup>st</sup> September**, the business delegation led by GIBF, explored the capital city. On **22<sup>nd</sup> September**, the delegation visited the Ngamba Island Chimpanzee Sanctuary where 52 rescued chimpanzees have been sheltered and trained. Surrounded by the pristine Victoria Lake, the Sanctuary is well-maintained and the chimpanzees well-behaved.



Uganda is a growing economy and has investment opportunities in almost all sectors. The priority sectors include – agri business, agro-processing, energy (electricity generation), mining (mineral beneficiation), untapped oil reserves, manufacturing, service sector and ICT.

# Investment Opportunities



September 23, 2024







The second meeting of the day was with Uganda Manufacturers Association (UMA). All the manufacturers of UMA had productive meeting with the delegation wherein in they shared about their products with each other and how they could collaborate for mutual benefit.



The next meeting was with the Ministry of Agriculture, Animal Industry and Fisheries. Senior Agribusiness Officer at the ministry, Hosea Kizimula, informed the delegation about the working of the ministry and the possible investment opportunities in the sector. Okanya Boniface, Project Engineer MAAIF, Commissioner - Agriculture, Infrastructure, Mechanisation, Irrigation and Water for Agriculture Production gave details about the sector and how trade could be facilitated between the two countries. Henry Nakelet Opolot, Commissioner – Agricultural Extension and Skills Management; Major General David Kasura-Kyomukama, Permanent Secretary – MAAIF also met the delegation and had productive interaction.





The delegation then met the High Commissioner of India to Uganda, H.E. Upender Singh Rawat. He shed light on how trade can be facilitated. He said that Uganda was positive about trade with India. He assured his support in strengthening trade relations.

The final meeting was with the Indian Business Association comprising the Indian business community in Uganda. The delegation had prolific discussions with the business leaders there.

# Outgoing Delegation to Rwanda

(25th-28<sup>th</sup> September, 2024)



## Global India Business Forum (GIBF) Leads Multi-Sector Business Delegation to Rwanda

Global India Business Forum - a leading International Business Chamber successfully organized a business delegation to the Republic of Rwanda from September 25-29, 2024 with the support of the High Commissioner of India to Rwanda, H.E. M'ridu Pawan Das; the High Commissioner of Rwanda to India, H.E. Mukungira Jacqueline, and the Rwanda Development Board.

The visit that included multi-sector Indian business delegation promised to strengthen and build stronger business relations between the two countries. The sectors included wastewater management, engineering and heavy fabrication, steel industry, logistics and supply chain, warehousing, cosmetics and healthcare, and turnkey water projects. On behalf of GIBF, the Founder and Global President, Dr. Jitendra Joshi and Co-



founder and Secretary General, Deepali Gadkari accompanied the delegation.

These meetings were aimed at fostering strong bilateral ties between India and Rwanda, while exploring new opportunities for investment, collaboration, and growth in the above sectors.

This visit represents a significant step toward expanding business cooperation between India and Rwanda, reinforcing GIBF's commitment to facilitating global business opportunities.



## Investment Opportunities

Rwanda has investment opportunities in a wide range of sectors. The priority sectors include –education, health services, financial services, agri business, tourism, real estate and construction, energy, mining, infrastructure, manufacturing and ICT.



**September 25, 2024**

The multi-sector business delegation from India along with the GIBF team visited two industries at the Kigali Free Economic Zone – Safintra and Tolirwa Rwanda. The companies owned by Indians are into metal sheets and fabrication materials. They exchanged information with the delegation about the business and prospects. The Zone is well-structured with roads, electricity, water and firefighting systems and sewage network.



**September 26, 2024**

The delegation visited the Rwanda Private Sector Federation where they met the CEO, Stephen Ruzibiza, the board of directors and the members. The Federation is a professional organization promoting and representing the interests of the Rwandan business community. It is an umbrella organization that groups nine professional chambers.

The discussions focused on how GIBF and the members of the Federation can collaborate for business development. The GIBF team and the Federation also discussed about signing a Memorandum of Understanding and the process is underway. The business delegation also had good interaction with the Federation.



The second meeting of the day was with the Deputy CEO of Rwanda Development Board (RDB). The RDB is a one-stop solution for investors who want to register their company in Rwanda. A company can be registered online for free with minimum documentation. All the information regarding registration, banks etc. are available here.



The delegation then met the Director General: Ministry of Trade and Industry, Fred MUGABE. He shared in detail about the ministry and the efforts of the government in developing trade, and to achieve accelerated and sustained economic growth led by a dynamic and competitive private sector.



The next meeting was with CEO of Water and Sanitation Corporation (WASAC), Dominique MUREKEZI. WASAC is responsible for the growth and development of the water and sanitation sector in Rwanda and has been taking measures to streamline water supply. It aims at providing quality, reliable and affordable water and sewerage services to all. There are several areas for investment in this sector.

In the evening the High Commissioner of India to Rwanda, Mridu Pawan Das, hosted dinner for the delegation with sumptuous Indian food.

### September 27, 2024

The delegation visited the Bugesera Special Economic Zone in the Bugesera district of Rwanda, which is being constructed by Arise Integrated Industrial Platforms under the Public-Private Partnership model. An investor buying land in the zone is provided with all the facilities required for an industry, like power, water supply and other infrastructure. The zone provides access to key areas, facilitating transportation and market opportunities. Presently, the industries in the zone include timber, packaging, agro-processing, construction materials, and logistics.



The division of the economic zones is very well-planned. Each sector is placed in one division. With a new airport in Bugesera, the zone is expected to develop very well and promote trade within and outside the country. The delegation had a very good interaction, visit and productive talks.

The delegation was hosted for dinner in the evening by the owner of Safintra at his home.

On September 28, 2024, the delegation did some sightseeing of the beautiful Rwanda.





# National Business Seminar and Felicitation of MSMEs

Global India Business Forum (GIBF) is the biggest business networking platform promoting businesses globally, particularly the Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSME) sector. It brings together business leaders from various sectors under one roof.

MSMEs are the backbone of every country's economy due to their significant contributions to employment generation, economic growth, and fostering innovation. GIBF recognizes the importance of this sector and works diligently to bolster its growth and development on a global scale. It is committed to supporting and promoting the interests of the MSME sector across the world. It provides a platform where businesses, policymakers, diplomats and industry experts can collaborate to address the challenges and opportunities facing MSMEs.

The GIBF organizes conferences, seminars, webinars and events where MSME owners can connect, share insights, and explore potential collaborations. This networking can lead to partnerships, investments, and business expansion opportunities.

It supports MSMEs in accessing global markets by facilitating interactions with diplomats of different countries. It also felicitates business leaders by the hands of governors/ministers of various Indian states and diplomats of different countries.

**( Raj Bhavan, Mumbai, Maharashtra )**

**Chief Guest: Hon. Shri. Bhagat Singh Koshyari Ji**  
(Governor of Maharashtra)



Chief Guest, Hon. Shri Bhagat Singh Koshyari Ji  
Governor of Maharashtra along with the dignitaries & business people after their felicitation



Egypt

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# National Business Seminar and Felicitation of MSMEs



Governor of Maharashtra,  
Hon. Shri Bhagat Singh Koshiyari felicitated  
Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi



Inauguration of GIBF Coffee Table Book by  
Chief Guest Hon Shri Bhagat Singh Koshiyari - Governor of Maharashtra  
along with Bangladesh and Egypt Embassie



Governor of Maharashtra,  
Hon. Shri Bhagat Singh Koshiyari felicitated  
Mr Attia Abou Fnaga (Consul General of Egypt)



# National Business Seminar and Felicitation of MSMEs (Bengaluru, Karnataka)



Chief Guest: Hon. Shri. Thawar Chand Gehlot Ji  
(Governor of Karnataka)



Global President of GIBF Dr. Jitendra Joshi, Welcomes Governor of Karnataka  
Hon. Shri Thawar Chand Gehlot



Governor of Karnataka, Hon. Shri Thawar Chand Gehlot  
Felicitated by Global President of GIBF Dr. Jitendra Joshi



The dignitaries on dais, from left, Embassies of Belarus  
Trinidad and Tobago, Fiji & Niger



Trinidad & Tobago



Belarus



Fiji



Niger



A Moment to Relive the Award Ceremony



# National Business Seminar and Felicitation of MSMEs

(Jaipur, Rajasthan)

Chief Guest: Hon. Shri Kalraj Mishra Ji  
(Governor of Rajasthan)



The Dignitaries, (L to R) From Embassies of Trinidad and Tobago, Cuba, Nigeria, Costa Rica, Jamaica



Tanzania



Jamaica



Costa Rica



Cuba



Trinidad & Tobago



Nigeria



Dr. Jitendra Joshi Founder & Global President of Global India Business Forum (GIBF) addressing the dignitaries on the dais and the audience



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Governor of Rajasthan, Hon. Shri Kalraj Mishra Ji  
felicitated by Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi



# National Business Seminar and Felicitation of MSMEs (Kolhapur, Maharashtra)

**Chief Guest: Shreemant Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj**



**Shreemant Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj felicitated by Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi**



**Awardees of Kolhapur at the Award Ceremony.**



**Awardees of Kolhapur felicitated by Chief Guest Shreemant Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj**



H.E Naseem Sharifi, Counsul General of The Embassy of Islamic Republic of Afghanistan and Guest of Honour,  
H. E Dr. Abolfazl M. Alikhani, Consul General of Islamic Republic of Iran in Mumbai,  
H.E. Demeke Atnafu Ambulo, Ambassador of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia



**Speech by Chief Guest Shreemant Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj**



**Afghanistan**



**Iran**



**Ethiopia**



# National Business Seminar and Felicitation of MSMEs

(Novotel Vijayawada Varun, Vijayawada A.P.)

**Chief Guest: Hon Shri Biswabhusan Harichandan**

(Governor of Andhra Pradesh)



Hon Chief Guest Shri Biswabhusan Harichandan lighting the traditional lamp



Hon Chief Guest Shri Biswabhusan Harichandan governor of Andhra Pradesh giving away the Business Excellence Award to the title sponsor Shri Raghuvendra Rao Bondada as Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi looks on



The dignitaries inaugurating The Business Tycoons magazine



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Fiji



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## Dignitaries on the dais

Mr. Horsfall Attanu, Head of Industry Trade & Investment, Federal Republic of Nigeria.

H.E. Arunkoemar Hardien, Ambassador Extraordinary Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Suriname.

H.E. Kamlesh S. Prakash, High Commissioner, High Commission of the Republic of Fiji.

H.E. Dr. Shankar Prasad Sharma, Ambassador Nepal.



# National Business Seminar and Felicitation of MSMEs

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International Business Seminar in Pune at Ramada Plaza by Wyndham, Pune

Indonesia Trinidad & Tobago Egypt



International Seminar for Business Opportunities at Joshi Farms in Kondhapuri Pune, Maharashtra

Belarus Trinidad & Tobago Fiji Niger



International Business Networking Seminar at Bengaluru, Karnataka

Tanzania Jamaica Costa Rica Cuba Trinidad & Tobago Nigeria



International Business Networking Seminar at Jaipur, Rajasthan



# BUSINESS & CULTURAL COUNCIL

INDIA-UZBEKISTAN

**Chief Guest: Mr. Furkat SIDIKOV**

(Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs)

&

**H.E. Mr. Dilshod AKHATOV**

(Ambassador of the Republic of Uzbekistan in India)



Welcome of Chief Guests by GIBF



H.E. Mr. Furkat SIDIKOV - Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs  
felicitated by Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi



H.E. Mr. Dilshod AKHATOV - Ambassador of the  
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## INDIA-NIGERIA BUSINESS & CULTURAL COUNCIL



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H.E. Mr. Ahmed Sule, High Commissioner of the Federal Republic of Nigeria  
with Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi, & Co-Founder GIBF, Deepali Gadkari



# Inauguration of India-Trinidad and Tobago Business and Cultural Council (New Delhi)



**Chief Guest: Hon. Smt. Meenakshi Lekhi Ji**  
(Minister of State for External Affairs and Culture)



The Dignitaries on dais, from left High Commissioner of Suriname, Belarus, Uruguay, Trinidad and Tobago, Guyana, Jamaica, Zimbabwe, Dominican Republic



Suriname



Belarus



Uruguay



Trinidad & Tobago



Guyana



Jamaica



Zimbabwe



Dominican Republic



Lamp Lighting Ceremony



Inauguration of GIBF Booklet by Chief Guest

## INDIA-MAURITIUS BUSINESS & CULTURAL COUNCIL





# International Business Conclave

## SEMINAR ON GLOBAL BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY (DELHI)



The Dignitaries, (L to R) from Embassies of Niger, Zimbabwe, Trinidad and Tobago, Ecuador, Nigeria, Indonesia



Niger



Zimbabwe



Trinidad & Tobago



Ecuador



Nigeria



Indonesia



Lighting of the traditional lamp by the dignitaries



Bharatnatyam performance by young artists



Renowned sculptor Shri Ram Sutar, who designed The Statue of Unity, being felicitated by Union Minister Ramdas Athawale



Padmashree Pandit Bhajan Sopori (from Srinagar, Kashmir) being felicitated by H.E. Roger Gopaul, High Commissioner of Trinidad and Tobago in India



# International Business Conclaves by GIBF

As part of its endeavor to promote business at the global level and promote bilateral trade and cultural relations between India and countries, the Global India Business Forum organizes high-level business conclaves. Ambassadors, high commissioners, trade counselors and other diplomats from different countries share information with business delegates regarding business opportunities in their countries.

## India- Africa Business Conclave 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition

**O**n July 19 and 20, 2024, Global India Business Forum organized the India-Africa Business Conclave (2nd Edition) at Ahmedabad, Gujarat. Diplomats from 16 African countries and 500 plus businesspeople, exporters, importers and investors were present for the conclave. The diplomats included - H. E. Mr. Haymandoyal (Dev) Dillum,

H. E. Kwaku Asomah Cheremeh - High Commissioner of the Republic of Ghana to the Republic of India, Amb. Munyiri Peter Maina - High Commissioner of the Republic of Kenya to the Republic of India, H.E. Gabriel Sinimbo - High Commissioner of the Republic of Namibia to the Republic of India, H.E. Mrs. Hayet Talbi - Ambassador of the Republic of Tunisia to the

Counsellor, Head of Economic Trade and Consular at the Nigeria High Commission, Mr. Abdelali BOUILLOUTA - First Secretary of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria to the Republic of India Mr. Ernest Nana Adjei – Minister-Counsellor, Political and Economic of the Republic of Ghana to the Republic of India, Mr. Gebru Teklay – Second Secretary of the



CSK - High Commissioner of the Republic of Mauritius to the Republic of India, H.E. Clemente Pedro Francisco Camenha - Ambassador of the Republic of Angola to the Republic of India, H. E. Mr. Gilbert Shimane Mangole - High Commissioner of the Republic of Botswana to the Republic of India, H.E. Mr. Raymond Serge Bale - Ambassador of the Republic of Congo to the Republic of India,

Republic of India, H.E. Prof. Ms. Joyce Kakuramatsi Kikafunda - High Commissioner of the Republic of Uganda to the Republic of India, H.E. Ms. Stella Nkomo - Ambassador Designate of the Republic of Zimbabwe to the Republic of India, Ms. Bizunesh Meseret Tegegne - Deputy Head of Mission, Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia to the Republic of India, Mr. Abbas Abdullahi - Minister

Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia to the Republic of India, Mr. Gabriel ITOUA – Economic Counsellor of the Republic of Congo to the Republic of India, Mr. Thabang Linus Kholumo – Charge d' Affairs a.i. of the Kingdom of Lesotho to the Republic of India, Emile Mwepsei – Deputy High Commissioner and Second Counsellor of the Republic of Rwanda to the Republic of India,



Mr. Julius Tsheko – Director, International Business for India and Asia at Botswana Investment and Trade Centre and Trade Attaché at Botswana High Commission in New Delhi, Jared Bironga Mayeika – Trade Counsellor of the Republic of Kenya to the Republic of India, Ms. Ireen Akombelwa Apuleni – First Secretary, Economic and Trade, Republic of Zambia to the Republic of India, and Mr. Peter Hobwani – Deputy Head of Mission, Republic of Zimbabwe to the Republic of India. Mrs. Bharati Dillum – the Secretary of the spouse of African Head of Mission of the Republic of Mauritius, Agaba Arthur (Research Assistant of Uganda High Commissioner) were also present. On 19th July, the GIBF team took the African diplomats for a visit to Sabarmati Ashram, also known as Gandhi Ashram - a historic site located in Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India. It was one of the residences of Mahatma Gandhi, who lived there from 1917 to 1930 and used it as one of the main centers of the



Indian freedom struggle. Mr. Virat Kothari, Deputy Director of Sabarmati Ashram gave us and the diplomats a tour of the place and informed about its

significance. Some of the African diplomats tried their hand at the Charkha (spinning wheel) to weave cloth. They wrote their feedback and experience in the visitor's book before leaving. In the evening, GIBF had organized a business networking dinner with the title sponsors, and other sponsors along with some esteemed companies invited by us for interacting and networking with the ambassadors. Our title sponsors Lilavati Hospital and Research Centre, and Lilavati Foundation, co-sponsors Abhi Group and The Grand Heritage Resort and supporting partners Young India Business Club, ATBO Harita, Global Fortunes LLC, and companies like Reliance India Ltd, Growit, Core Green, Gujarat Pesticides, United



Raw Material, Global Eye, National Biostimulant Industry Federation etc., and some government officials were present for the business networking and dinner meet with the diplomats. The diplomats appreciated GIBF's efforts in organizing such events and promoting bilateral trade. They also appreciated our Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi for his efforts to include the African Union in the G-20 making it G-21. The main Conclave took place on July 20 at The Grand Bhagwati, Ahmedabad. At the onset, Founder and Global President of Global India Business Forum, Dr. Jitendra

Joshi, delivered the welcome note and informed about the purpose of the Conclave. The diplomats were felicitated by Dr. Joshi and Deepali Gadkari, Co-founder, Secretary General and Director of GIBF. The title sponsors were also felicitated on the occasion. The



diplomats shared engaging presentations emphasizing upon the untapped business opportunities in their respective countries, government policies and benefits for foreign investors. GIBF's mouthpiece, The Business Tycoons, featuring the African countries was inaugurated by the dignitaries. The event also saw the inauguration of GIBF's Business and Cultural Councils between India and each of the participating African country. The conclave also included panel discussion/question and answer session moderated by Dr. Joshi, wherein the diplomats answered the queries of the business delegates. The conclave concluded with a well-organized B2B meeting. The tiara on our hat was the appreciation letters by the Honorable Chief Minister of Gujarat Shri Bhupendra Rajnikant Patel and the Cabinet minister of Industries, Civil Aviation, Rural Development, Labour and Employment in the Government of Gujarat, Shri Balvantsinh Rajput, who we had invited for the Conclave.





# INDIA-AFRICA BUSINESS CONCLAVE

## Joshi Farms & Resorts, Pune

Close on the heels of the African Union's inclusion in the G20 Countries, the GIBF organized a grand two-day India-Africa Business Conclave at Joshi Farms and Resorts in Pune on October 6 and 7, 2023. This biggest-ever conclave played an important role in strengthening India's relations with African countries.

Dr. Neelam Gorhe, Deputy Chairperson of Maharashtra Legislative Assembly inaugurated the program in the presence of Ambassadors of 15 African countries and more than 800 industrialists, exporters, importers and investors. Founder and Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi, Secretary General Deepali Gadkari and Director Abhishek Joshi were present on the occasion with their team.

Diplomats from the Republic of Uganda, the Republic of Kenya, the Republic of Ghana, Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia, Federal Republic of Nigeria, the Kingdom of Lesotho, the Republic of Djibouti, the Republic of Rwanda, the Republic of The Gambia, The Gabonese Republic, the Republic of South Sudan, the Republic of Angola, the Republic of Congo, the Republic of Niger, and the Republic of Malawi gave informative presentations on business opportunities in their countries and the government's policies for foreign investors. More than 800 delegates from agriculture, education, health, mining, textiles, food and food processing, restaurants, hotels, travel and tourism, gems and jewellery, information technology, electronic,



Diplomats of African countries releasing the latest edition of The Business Tycoons magazine - the GIBF mouthpiece in the presence of Founder and Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi and Secretary-General, Deepali Gadkari



Chief guest, Dr. Neelam Gorhe, Deputy Chairperson of Maharashtra Legislative Council, addressing the delegates of the India-Africa Business Conclave

electrical, automobile, FMCG, infrastructure, logistics, exporters, importers, traders and investors from sectors like iron and steel, renewable energy, news, entertainment, oil and gas, attended the conclave. Networking meet, B2B meetings, and personal interactions with the ambassadors, cultural evening marked the event besides the presentations given by the ambassadors.

Besides, businesspeople were felicitated for their outstanding work in their fields. The latest edition of GIBF's mouthpiece, The Business Tycoons, featuring success stories of these businesspeople was released by the diplomats. Most importantly, Business and Cultural Councils between India and each of the African countries were inaugurated, marking the beginning of a long-term association of India and GIBF with these nations.

Diplomats from 15 African countries after being felicitated by the chief guest Dr. Neelam Gorhe, Deputy Chairperson of Maharashtra Legislative Council.





# INDIA-ASIA BUSINESS CONCLAVE

Pune

On December 09, 2023, Global India Business Forum (GIBF) organized the India-Asia Business Conclave at Yashada, Baner in Pune (Maharashtra). The event was aimed at improving mutual trade and cultural relations between India and other Asian countries. Diplomats from six Asian countries gave presentations on business opportunities in their respective countries.

The diplomats included H.E. Mr. Ganbold Dambajav, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of The Mongolian People's Republic to the Republic of India; H.E.

Ibrahim Shaheeb, High Commissioner of the Republic of Maldives to the Republic of India; Mr. Ahmad Zuwairi Yusoff, Consul General of Malaysia in the Republic of India; Mr. Shazri Hidayat (Consul – Investment Section) of Malaysia in the Republic of India; Do Duy Khanh, First Secretary of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam; Mr. Tara Nath Adhikari (Minister Economic), Federal Democratic Republic of Nepal; Mr. Badri Prasad Tiwari (Counsellor) Federal Democratic Republic of Nepal, and Ms. Kakoli Saha (Counsellor), People's Republic of Bangladesh. The Business Tycoons magazine - A Tale of Economic Triumph, was also released by the diplomats.

More than 150 business leaders from various sectors registered their presence. The event also included a question and answer session.

Business and Cultural Councils between India and each of the country were inaugurated by the diplomat of the respective countries and Founder and Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi and Co-founder and Secretary General, Deepali Gadkari.







# India-Latin America & Caribbean Countries Business Conclave Pune

2<sup>nd</sup> March 2024



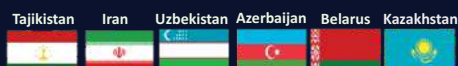
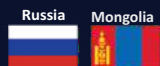
The Global India Business Forum (GIBF) organized the first of its kind India-Latin America and Caribbean Countries Business Conclave in Pune on March 2, 2024, at Hotel Ramee Grand. The Conclave with more than 250 business leaders from across sectors saw a resounding success. Diplomats from 10 countries graced the event that had the esteemed presence of former national secretary of BJP, Mr. Sunil Deodhar, as chief guest. The diplomats included - H.E. Alberto Guani – Ambassador of Uruguay, H.E. Guillermo Rubio Funes – Ambassador of El Salvador, H.E. Ms. Capaya Rodriguez Gonzalez – Ambassador of Venezuela, Mr. Abel Aballe Despaigne - Charge d' Affairs of Cuba, Ms. Sofia Salas – Charge d' Affairs of Costa Rica, Mr. Steven Ramirez – Economic Counsellor of El Salvador, Ms. Rojyar Seyeddi – Minister Counsellor of Venezuela, Mr. Daniel Delgado – Head of Economic and Trade Promotion of Mexico, Mr. Kayshav Tewari – Second Secretary of Guyana, and Mr. Luis Miguel Cabello – Trade and Tourism Counsellor of Peru, Mr. Gopal Singh Rajput – Trade Officer of Brazil, and Ms. Priyam Arora – Senior Agriculture Officer at the Embassy of Chile.





# India-Central Asia Business Conclave

Pune  
18<sup>th</sup> May 2024



**O**n May 18, 2024, the Global India Business Forum (GIBF) had conducted the India-Central Asia Business Conclave at Symbiosis, Pune, India.

Diplomats from Central Asian countries and more than 350 businesspeople, exporters, importers and investors were present for the conclave. The participating countries were Russia, Iran, Tajikistan, Belarus, Mongolia, Uzbekistan, Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan and Armenia.

The diplomats included - H.E. Mr. Sardor Rustambaev, Ambassador of the Republic of Uzbekistan to the Republic of India; H.E. Mr. Elchin Huseynli, Ambassador of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the Republic of India; H.E. Mr. Ganbold Dambajavyn Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Mongolian People's Republic to the Republic of India; H.E. Mr. Vahagn Afyan, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Armenia to the Republic of India; Mr. Aliaksandr Matsukou, Consul General of the Republic of Belarus to the Republic of India; Dr. Davoud Rezaei Eskandari, Consul General of the Islamic Republic of Iran; Mr. Habib Mirzozoda, Deputy Chief of Mission of the Republic of Tajikistan to the Republic of India; Mr. Khurshidbek Samiev, Trade-Economic Counsellor of the Republic of Uzbekistan; Mr. Aitmagambetov Epmek Yermek, Second Secretary of the Republic of Kazakhstan to the Republic of India; Mr. Alexander Rybas, Trade Commissioner, Embassy of Russian Federation in the Republic of India; Mr. Hamid Sharifi, Consular Assistant of the Islamic Republic of Iran; and Mr. Mamed Akhmedov and Mr. Alexander Miasnikov, trade assistants at the Russian Embassy.

Founder and Global President of Global India Business Forum, Dr. Jitendra Joshi delivered the opening note with information about GIBF, its motto, achievements and purpose of the India-Central Asia Business Conclave. The diplomats were felicitated with a memento, shawl and the Puneri turban by Dr. Joshi, and Co-founder and Secretary General of GIBF, Deepali Gadkari.

The diplomats shared engaging presentations about their countries, emphasizing the Central Asia's prominence as the most happening and sought-after in the world, teeming with untapped business opportunities and the potential Indian exporters and importers have in their respective countries.

GIBF's mouthpiece, The Business Tycoons, featuring Central Asian countries was inaugurated by the Central Asian diplomats, Founder and Global President Dr. Jitendra Joshi and Co-founder & Director Deepali Gadkari.

The event also saw the inauguration of GIBF's Business and Cultural Councils between India and each of the Central Asian countries. The conclave included question and answer session wherein the diplomats answered the queries of the business delegates. The conclave concluded with a well-organized B2B meeting.



# GIBF Events

## Business Opportunities in Belarus



The Global India Business Forum organized a seminar on Investment Opportunities and Prospects for Indian businesses in the Republic of Belarus at Yashada, Pune. Mr. Alexander ZHYTKO, First Secretary Embassy of the Republic of Belarus in the Republic of India, was the chief guest and eminent speaker. He spoke elaborately about the opportunities in his country for Indian businesspeople in several sectors. He informed that natural resources, human resources, big market and tax incentives were some of the major reasons to invest in Belarus. Around 80 business leaders from various sectors attended the seminar that was followed by a Q and A Session wherein the queries were answered satisfactorily by Mr. ZHYTKO. Initially, Founder and Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi introduced GIBF and explained its aims and objectives.

## India-Tanzania Investment Forum

**G**lobal India Business Forum had organized the India-Tanzania Investment Forum in association with Tanzania Investment Centre and Marketing Assistance and Research Support (MARS). Chief Guest, Her Excellency Ms. Anisa Kapufi Mbega, High Commissioner of the Republic of Tanzania to the Republic of India shared comprehensive insights into the economic landscape of Tanzania and the potential for fruitful collaboration with India. She also spoke about the long-standing relation between India and Tanzania and it can be further strengthened.

Ms. Latiffa Kigoda of the Tanzania Investment Centre shared a valuable presentation on the opportunities that business leaders of the respective countries can explore. Other delegates also spoke about business opportunities and possible trade relations between the two countries.

Rekha Sharma, Founder of MARS, spoke about collaboration between India and Tanzania to boost economic ties.

Business delegates from several sectors of India and Tanzania attended the event and had fruitful discussions during the B2B meeting at the event. Many business deals also are in the pipeline.



# SGCCI and GIBF successfully organizes G-84 Diplomats Night

The Southern Gujarat Chamber of Commerce and Industries (SGCCI) and Global India Business Forum (GIBF) organized the G-84 Diplomats Night at the Embassy of Ethiopia with the aim of reuniting 84 embassies on occasion of the 84<sup>th</sup> anniversary of SGCCI.

The networking and cultural exchange evening saw the esteemed presence of ambassadors of 31 countries and other diplomats. All the ambassadors were felicitated by the host and the co-host. The event was a grand success with good interaction regarding trade and cultural exchange between India and the G-84 countries.



On behalf of GIBF, its Founder and Global President, Dr. Jitendra Joshi and Co-founder and Secretary General, Deepali Gadkari were present for the event. They explained about GIBF's prime objective and milestones achieved. They also had fruitful discussions with the Second Secretary, Economic Section of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Dr. Mostafa Goharifar.

## Webinar on Business Opportunities in Azerbaijan

The Global India Business Forum organized a webinar on Business Opportunities in Azerbaijan on April 17, 2024, as part of its International Webinar Series initiative. Ambassador of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the Republic of India, H.E. Elchin Huseynli was the keynote speaker who shed light on the myriad business opportunities in Azerbaijan and the government's policies to support foreign investors.

The webinar had business leaders from various sectors who were interested in expanding their businesses in Azerbaijan. GIBF is supporting and trying to explore business opportunities for the MSME sector in different parts of the world. Founder and Global President of GIBF, Dr. Jitendra Joshi delivered the opening note and shared about GIBF's objective. He introduced the webinar's purpose and the keynote speaker. Co-founder and Secretary, General Deepali Gadkari was the moderator of the webinar.

H.E. Huseynli spoke about the ease of doing business in Azerbaijan. He shared about the government's open door policy to attract investments to Azerbaijan. He spoke about the flourishing tourism industry and the hospitality of Azerbaijani people. The ambassador said that there were several Indian companies in Azerbaijan and that there were opportunities in energy sector, education, perfumery products, household appliances, construction materials, food processing, poultry farming, wine-making, growing tea and pulses, computer technology and tourism. He said that Azerbaijan is the favourite tourist destination for Indians.

He said that in the hospitality sector there was zero land tax, zero property tax and zero VAT. Besides, the free economic zone made it possible for companies to avail the production facilities and export their products to UK and other countries.

The webinar concluded with a question and answer session. The attendees queries were satisfactorily addressed by the ambassador.





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Honourable Governor of Uttar Pradesh



**Shri Devendra Fadnavis**  
Deputy Chief Minister of Maharashtra



**Shri Bhagwat Karad**  
Union Minister of State for Finance



**Shri Ramesh Bais**  
Honourable Governor of Maharashtra



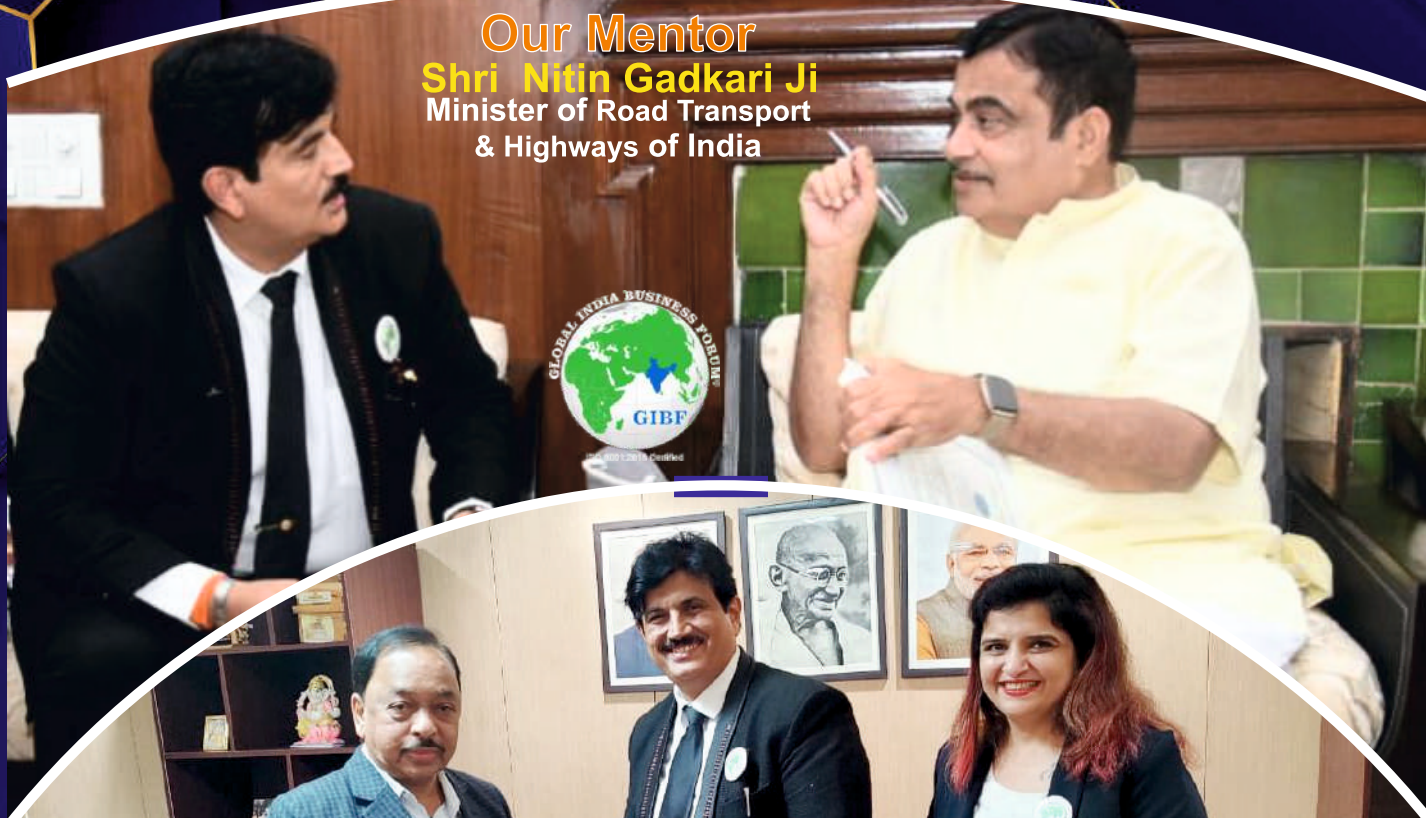
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Honourable Governor of Goa



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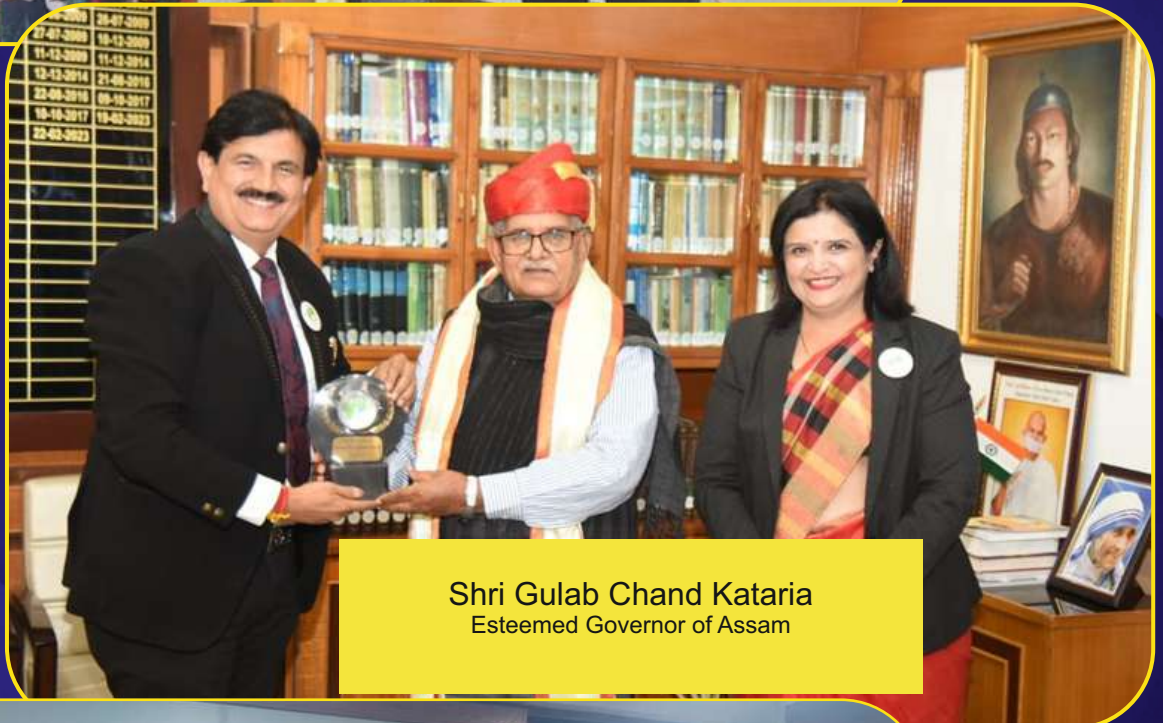
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Government of Kerala





**Mr. Sniawbhalang Dhar**  
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Secretary of The Cochin Chamber of Commerce  
and Industry.



**Anu Joseph**  
Secretary of the Indian Chamber of Commerce &  
Industry, Cochin.



# Ambassador Interviews



H.E. Alberto A. Guani  
Ambassador of Uruguay  
Embassy of Uruguay



H.E. Alejandro Simancas Marin  
Ambassador of the Republic of Cuba



H.E. Reuben Gauci  
High Commissioner  
Republic of Malta



H.E. Federico Salas Lotfe  
Ambassador of Mexico



H.E. Dr. Ashraf Shikhaliyev  
Ambassador, Embassy of the  
Republic of Azerbaijan



H.E. Mr. Jason Hall  
High Commissioner of Jamaica



H.E. Santi Bai Hanoomanjee  
GCSK High Commissioner of Mauritius  
to the Republic of India







H.E. Yuri Babakhanian  
Ambassador of the Republic of Armenia  
to the Republic of India



H.E. Ganbold Dambajav  
Ambassador of Mongolia  
to the Republic of India



H.E. Dr. Gopaul Roger  
High Commissioner of Trinidad and Tobago  
to the Republic of India



H.E. Claudio Ansorena Montero  
Ambassador of Costa Rica  
to the Republic of India



H.E. Freddy Svane  
Ambassador of Denmark  
to the Republic of India



H.E. Mr Thabang Linus Kholumo  
Ambassador of Lesotho to the Republic of India



H.E. Kamlesh Shashi Prakash  
High Commissioner of Fiji to the Republic of India





# CSR Activities

GIBF conducts blood donation camps, health check-up camps, tree plantation drives and many more activities as part of its corporate social responsibility. It also donated food during floods.



**Health Checkup Camp**



**Medicine Donation**



**Blood Donation Camp**



**Tree Plantation**



**Food Donation**



**Helping the Flood Affected Areas**



# GIBF Country & Sector-wise Webinar Series



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# Business opportunities in Jordan



**Garment sector**



**Information & Communication Technology**



**Pharmaceutical sector**



**Chemical sector**  
(Potash, Phosphates, and Fertilizers)



**Tourism sector**

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### Business Opportunities in Zambia



H.E. MRS. JUDITH K.K. KAN'GOMA - KAPIJIMPANGA



**Sat 5<sup>th</sup>**  
**Sept. 2020**



**3 P.M.**



**Dr. Jitendra Joshi**  
Global President  
Global India Business Forum



**Deepali Gadhkari**  
Global Coordinator  
Global India Business Forum

**THE HIGH COMMISSIONER OF THE  
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**Dr. Jitendra Joshi**  
Global President  
Global India Business Forum

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**Business Opportunities in Egypt**



**Sat 12<sup>th</sup>**  
**Sept. 2020**

 **4 P.M.**



**Dr. Khaled Melad Rezek Abdelmalek**

Commercial Counselor  
Embassy of Egypt-Delhi.

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## Business opportunities in Azerbaijan



Dr. Ashraf Shikhaliyev  
Ambassador of the Republic of  
Azerbaijan to India



Mr. Valeh Alasgarov  
Chairman of the Board of Directors  
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Mr. Rajeev Khade  
Global India Business Forum  
(HOST)

 Sat 4<sup>th</sup>  
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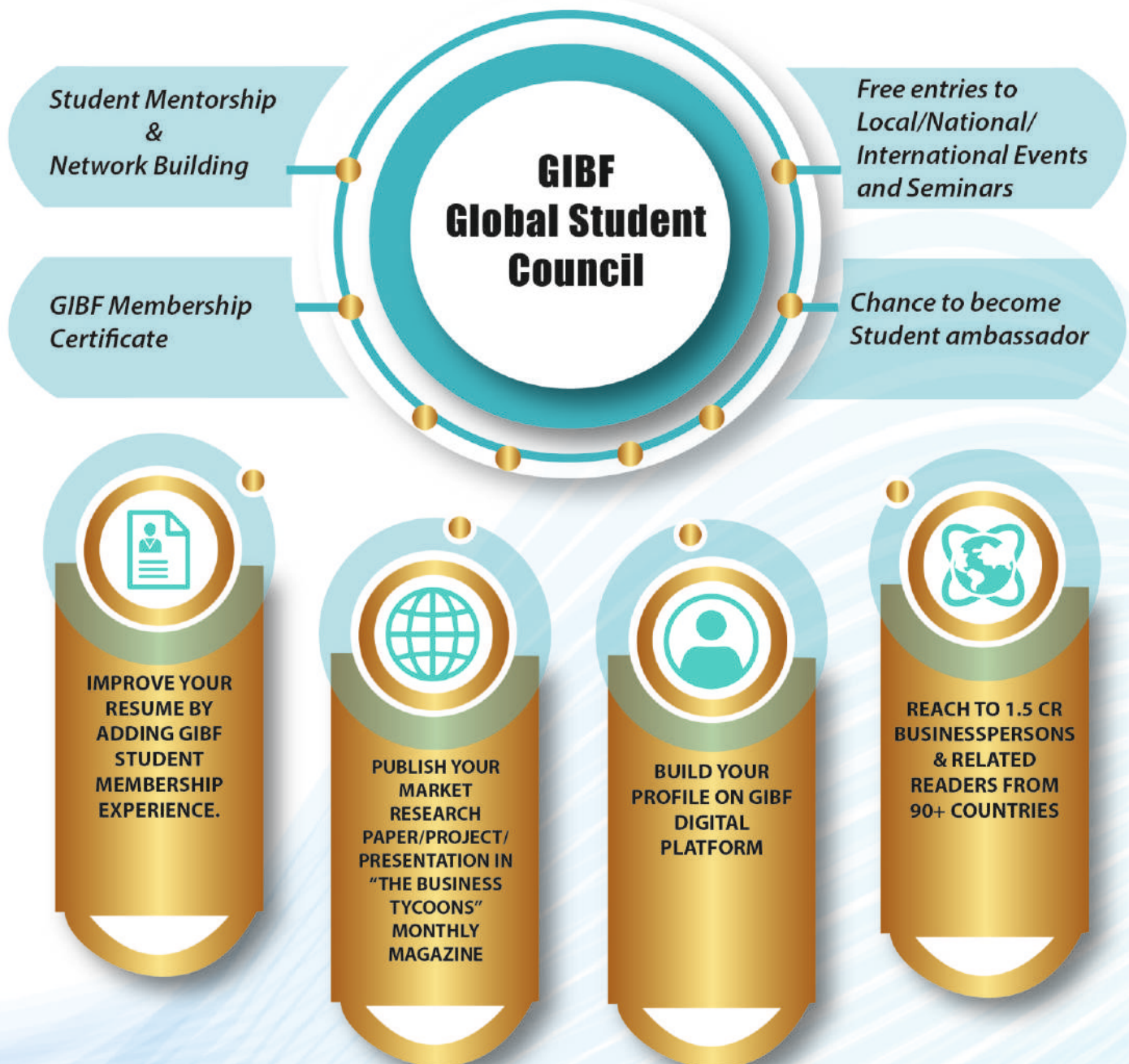






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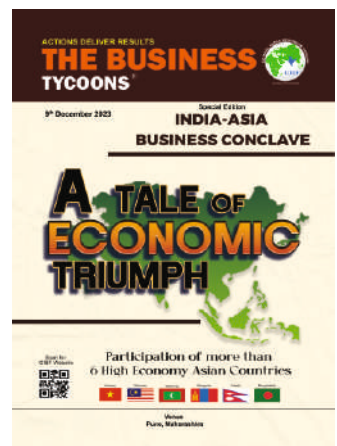
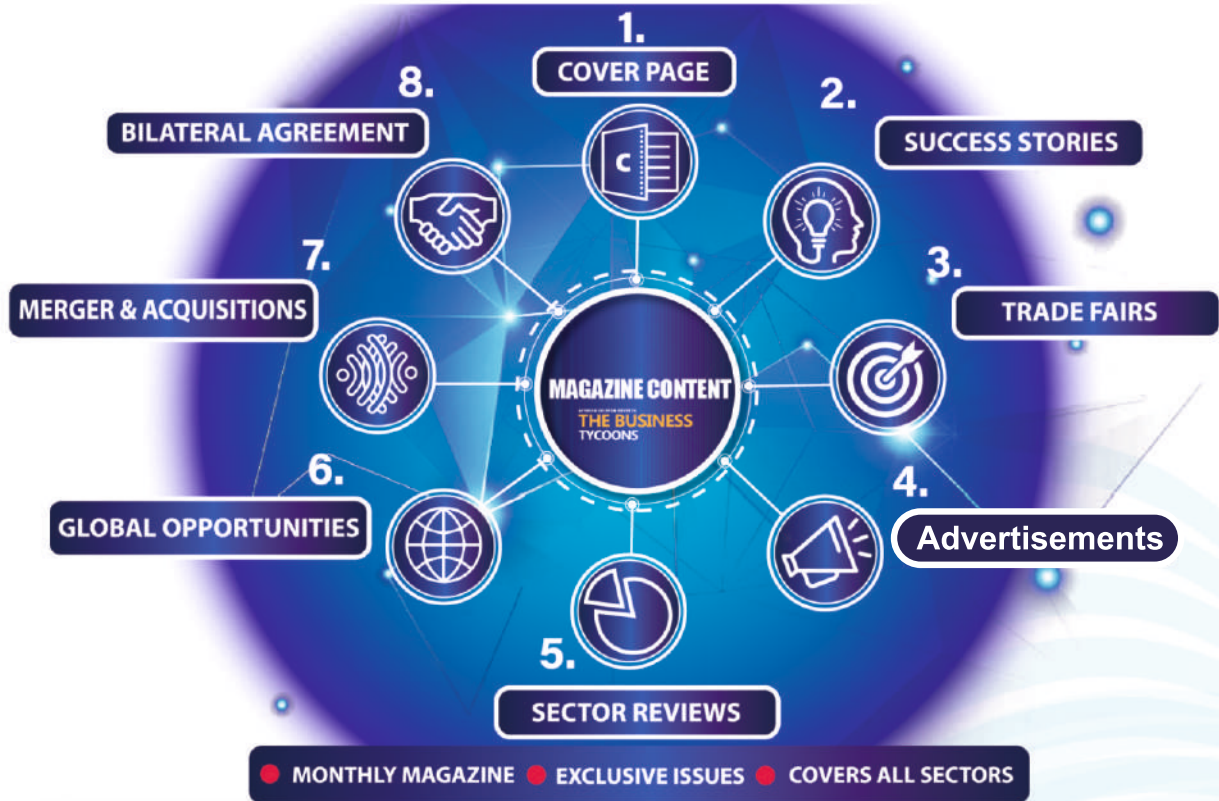
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- True and Verified Profile
- Connect business [Local/National / International] by using GIBF Platform
- Run networking project of GIBF as per the requirements from GIBF Core team
- Attend the GIBF Free events compulsory under the guidance of GIBF Team.
- Review building and connecting it to GIBF digital platform



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## We **help** you grow **your business!!**

### Benefits of Membership

**National & International Business opportunities** 

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**The Business Tycoons Magazine** 

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### Benefits with GIBF

- Opportunity to feature your success story in our e-magazine The Business Tycoons.
- Company logo/Brand name in our events or other promotional activities
- Company Representative participation to our webinars, seminars, events – such as talk- shows, master classes
- Access to financial reports
- Assistance in/as Financial Advisory, Transactional support etc
- Direct connectivity with your preferred business partners and customers by adding you to our 300 WhatsApp groups.
- Premium membership entitles you to a business interview that will be telecasted live on our social platform
- Database amounting to over 20 lakhs
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