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SUMMIT &
AWARDS

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ABOUT CFO SUMMIT & AWARDS

ASSOCHAM Vibrant Bharat CFO Summit & Awards is a distinguished platform that acknowledges the vision, innovation, and leadership of Chief Financial Officers (CFOs) across industries. Building on the resounding success of its previous three editions, this 4th edition of the summit aims to bring together the brightest minds in finance, corporate strategy, and policymaking to explore the evolving role of financial leaders in a rapidly changing business landscape. Scheduled for February 2027 in New Delhi, the summit is designed to recognize and honor the extraordinary contributions of CFOs who have demonstrated excellence in financial leadership, governance, and innovation.

The event will feature in-depth panel discussions and thought-provoking conversations, delving into topics that matter most to financial leaders, offering practical insights and strategies to enhance effectiveness and drive success in the organization. With its unique blend of knowledge-sharing, thought leadership, and sector-specific recognition, the Vibrant Bharat CFO Summit & Awards continues to be an unmissable gathering for professionals seeking to stay ahead in the dynamic world of finance.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- Chief Financial Officers (CFOs), CXOs
- Finance Directors and VP-level Finance Professionals
- Corporate Strategists and Business Leaders
- Finance Consultants and Advisors
- Regulators and Policymakers
- Technology and Digital Transformation Experts
- Academia and Research Scholars
- CA, CS, CFA & Financial Controllers
- Risk Management Professionals
- Tax and Compliance Professionals
- Investment Bankers & Banking Executives
- Private Equity and Venture Capital Professionals

COUNCIL LEADERSHIP

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Mr. Ajay Bagri

Chairman, National Council for CFOs,
ASSOCHAM & Chief Financial Officer,
SEIL Energy India Limited



Dr. (CA) Chanchal Rajora

Co-Chairman, National Council for
CFOs, ASSOCHAM & Director-Finance,
Transformers and Rectifiers (India)
Limited

NOMINATION CATEGORIES

MAIN AWARDS

- CFO – Lifetime Achievement Award
- CFO of the Year
- Young CFO of the Year (Under 40)

EXCELLENCE CATEGORIES

- Excellence in Capital Sourcing
- Excellence in Corporate Governance
- Excellence in Digital Transformation
- Excellence in Environmental, Social, Governance (ESG)
- Excellence in Finance Transformation & Innovation
- Excellence in Risk Management
- Excellence in Turnaround

SECTOR CATEGORIES

- Best CFO – Agri & Agri Business
- Best CFO – Auto & Auto Components
- Best CFO – Aviation
- Best CFO – Banking

- Best CFO – Chemicals & Specialty Materials
- Best CFO – Construction & Real Estate
- Best CFO – Consumer Durables
- Best CFO – E-Commerce
- Best CFO – Fintech
- Best CFO – FMCG
- Best CFO – Healthcare & Pharmaceuticals
- Best CFO – Insurance
- Best CFO – IT & ITeS
- Best CFO – Logistics
- Best CFO – Manufacturing & Capital Goods
- Best CFO – Metals & Mining
- Best CFO – NBFC
- Best CFO – Oil & Gas
- Best CFO – Power & Utilities
- Best CFO – Renewable Energy
- Best CFO – Start-Up
- Best CFO – Travel, Tourism & Hospitality

NOMINATION FEE

₹ 15,000 + 18% GST

(Per nomination per category)

Note: 10% discount for two and 20% discount for three or more nominations from the same organization.

Award Nomination Form:

<https://forms.office.com/r/b7xkKyQ8qU>

EVALUATION PROCESS (ASSESSMENT & JURY ANALYSIS)

Finalizing the award winners involves a meticulous and transparent process, ensuring the highest standards of fairness and integrity. This process begins with our esteemed Knowledge & Evaluation partner, who undertakes a comprehensive analysis and initial assessment of all nominations. Their expertise ensures that every candidate is evaluated on a robust set of criteria tailored to recognize excellence in financial leadership and innovation. The shortlisted candidates are presented to an independent jury comprising seven distinguished members from diverse sectors after this preliminary evaluation. These jury members, known for their unbiased judgment and industry expertise, deliberate and meticulously review each shortlisted nomination. Through their collective wisdom and critical assessment, the most deserving winners are selected, ensuring that the awards truly celebrate the pinnacle of financial excellence and innovation.

3rd Vibrant Bharat CFO Summit & Awards

The Growth Conclave: CFOs Leading the Charge



Group of Awardees

R S Sharma
Former CMD, ONGCSri Ram
Head - Marketing and Alliances
BeyondSquare Solutions Pvt. Ltd.

The 3rd Vibrant Bharat CFO Summit & Awards 2025 by ASSOCHAM in New Delhi brought together industry leaders and financial experts to explore the evolving role of CFOs as strategic growth enablers.

The event featured a special address by Mr RS Sharma, Former Chairman and Managing Director of ONGC, who emphasized the expanding role of CFOs beyond traditional financial functions. CFOs are now the face of the company, engaging with stakeholders, investors, and supporting CEOs in steering organizations toward

success, he stated. Mr Sharma highlighted the importance of interactive sessions like these in empowering finance professionals to enhance their skills, stay informed

on the latest trends, and navigate challenges in a dynamic business environment. The awardees were felicitated by CA Charanjot Singh Nanda, Jury Chairman and President

of The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI).

The summit continued with thought-provoking panel discussions, focusing on key challenges and opportunities in modern finance:

- **Navigating Growth:** The Start-up CFO's Strategic Playbook
- **Beyond Spreadsheets:** CFOs in the Age of Tech Innovation

The 3rd Vibrant Bharat CFO Summit & Awards 2025 successfully highlighted the strategic importance of CFOs in driving growth, fostering innovation, and leading organizations toward a resilient and prosperous future.

Gandharv Tongla
Chairman, National Council for CFOs
ASSOCHAM and ED & CFO, Polycab India Ltd.Rakesh Nangia
Chairman, National Council on International Taxes
ASSOCHAM & Chairman, Nangia Andersen India

WINNERS

MAIN AWARDS

- **CFO - Lifetime Achievement Award**
R S. Sharma, Former Chairman & Managing Director, Oil and Natural Gas Corporation
- **CFO of the Year**
Hemant Kumar Rula, DP World
- **CFO of the Year - MSME**
S Gautham, Lotus Chocolate Company Ltd (Subsidiary of Reliance Ltd)

SECTORAL AWARDS

- **Best CFO - Agri & Agri Business**
Madhur Sharma, Louis Dreyfus Company India Private Limited
- **Best CFO - Auto & Auto Components**
Yashpal Jain, Sandhar Technologies Limited
- **Best CFO - Auto & Auto Components**
Arav Roy, Maruti Suzuki India Limited

- **Best CFO - Bank**
Sunil Jain, Indian Bank
- **Best CFO - Capital Goods**
Chanchal Singh Satyandra Rajora, Transformers and Rectifiers (India) Limited
- **Best CFO - Chemicals**
Priyanshu Jindal, Safex Chemicals India Private Limited
- **Best CFO - Construction & Real Estate**
Preethi Chheda, Mindspace REIT K Raheja Group
- **Best CFO - E-Commerce**
Abhishek Gupta, Myntira
- **Best CFO - Energy & EPC**
G Ravikiran, Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd.
- **Best CFO - Fintech**
Abhinav Jain, ComDocX
- **Best CFO - FMCG**
Ankush Jain, Dabur India Ltd
- **Best CFO - Healthcare & Pharma**
Nitin Kumar Parekh, Zydus Group

- **Best CFO - IT & ITes**
Vikash Kumar Jain, Hexaware Technologies Limited
- **Best CFO - Logistics & Transport Services**
CA Amit Puri, Central Warehousing Corporation
- **Best CFO - Media & Entertainment**
Yatender Kumar Tyagi, TV Today Network Limited
- **Best CFO - Metals & Mining**
Amit Harilalka, ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Pvt Ltd.
- **Best CFO - NBFC**
Pratik Adatia, Mintifi
- **Best CFO - Oil & Gas**
Anuj Jain, Indian Oil Corporation Limited
- **Best CFO - Renewable Energy**
Sant Kumar Verma, Luminous Power Technologies Pvt. Ltd.
- **Best CFO - Start-Up**
Priyanka Gupta, Ignio Labs Private Limited (Brand - Emoha Eldorcan)
- **Best CFO - Travel, Tourism & Hospitality**
Rakesh Kumar, OYO

EXCELLENCE AWARDS

- **Excellence in Capital Sourcing (Gold)**
Amit Harilalka, ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India Pvt Ltd.
- **Excellence in Capital Sourcing (Silver)**
Rakesh Kumar, OYO
- **Excellence in Corporate Governance (Gold)**
Kamini Shah, Birlasoft
- **Excellence in Corporate Governance (Silver)**
Suparna Banerjee, Schneider Electric Infrastructure Ltd (SEIL)
- **Excellence in Digital Transformation (Gold)**
Anil Kavadiya, MSP Limited
- **Excellence in Digital Transformation (Silver)**
Sant Kumar Verma, Luminous Power Technologies Pvt. Ltd.
- **Excellence in Environment, Social, Governance (ESG) (Gold)**
Neha Bhandari, Runaya Group

- **Excellence in Environment, Social, Governance (ESG) (Silver)**
Nikhil Loharika, Gabriel India Limited
- **Excellence in Finance Transformation & Innovation (Gold)**
Anupam Agarwal, ONGC Videsh Limited
- **Excellence in Finance Transformation & Innovation (Silver)**
Manoj Kumar Rathi, FarEye Technologies Private Limited
- **Excellence in Risk Management (Gold)**
Anil Kavadiya, MSP Limited
- **Excellence in Risk Management (Silver)**
Kamini Shah, Birlasoft
- **Excellence in Turnaround (Gold)**
Chanchal Singh Satyandra Rajora, Transformers and Rectifiers (India) Limited
- **Excellence in Turnaround (Silver)**
Ketan Merchant, Fino Payments Bank Limited

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MARKETING OPPORTUNITIES

Benefits & Deliverables to Partner Company	Presenting Partner (Exclusive)	Platinum Partner	Gold Partner	Kit Partner (Exclusive)	Badge & Lanyard Partner (Exclusive)	Exhibition Partner
Amount (excluding GST)	₹ 10,00,000	₹ 7,00,000	₹ 4,00,000	₹ 2,00,000	₹ 2,00,000	₹ 1,00,000
Speaking Slots & Opportunities						
Inaugural Session	YES	YES	-	-	-	-
Panel Discussion / Presentation	2 Slots	1 Slots	1 Slots	-	-	-
Branding@Venue of the Event						
Corporate Video	YES	YES	YES	-	-	-
Backdrop	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	-
Thank You Partner Board	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	-
Company Standees	3	2	1	-	-	1
Exhibition Booth	YES	YES	YES	-	-	YES
Tent Card@Table	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Selfie Booth	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	-
ASSOCHAM Website & Social Media Promotion						
Social Media Handle	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Event Creative	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Video Bytes (Expert & Speaker)	YES	YES	YES	-	-	-
Thank You Partners Post (Post Event)	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Complimentary Benefits						
Award Nominations	4	3	1	-	-	-
Company Literature	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Delegate Passes	20	15	8	3	3	2

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