

Programme

The Summit discussions will be structured into the Opening Session for focusing policy related issues in Bengal beyond 2021, and Experts' Roundtable Sessions would focus primarily on the other instruments of growth for the State.

Day 1: 25th June 2021, e- Platform

10.00 a.m. – 10.30 a.m.	Logging time for Speakers and Sponsors	
INAUGURAL SESSION Theme: <i>"Bengal after Elections 2021: What Lies beneath- What lies ahead"</i>		
10.30 a.m. – 10.35 a.m.	Opening Remarks	Mr. Deb A Mukherjee, President, The Bengal Chamber of Commerce and Industry
10.35 a.m. – 11.45 a.m.	Panel Discussion on <i>"Bengal after Election 2021: What Lies beneath- What lies ahead"</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Indira Rajaraman, Former Member of The Thirteenth Finance Commission • Mr. Sandeep Kumar, Managing Director, Tata Metaliks Limited • Mr. Ajit Ranade, Group Executive President and Chief Economist, Aditya Birla Group Moderated by: Shri Sumit Bose, Chairman- Economic Affairs Committee, BCC&I and Former Finance & Revenue Secretary, Government of India	
11.45 a.m. – 11.50 a.m.	E-Break	
11.50 a.m. – 1.20 p.m.	Executive Track I: Panel Discussion on <i>"Transforming education, skills and employability in Bengal"</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Dhruvajyoti Chattopadhyay, Vice-Chancellor, Sister Nivedita University, Newtown, Kolkata • Ms. Lakshmi Chandrasekharan, Managing Director - HR Lead, Accenture India • Prof (Dr.) Sanjay Kumar, Vice Chancellor, Amity University, Kolkata • Mr. Anindya Mitra, Director and Location Head, IBM Moderated by: Mr. Somesh Dasgupta, Whole Time Director, India Power Corporation Limited & Chairperson, People Management Committee, BCC&I	
1.20 p.m. – 1.30 p.m.	e-Break	
1.30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Rapid Fire Chat Session with Mr. Abhijit Banerjee, MD, Linde India Ltd. On <i>"Manufacturing O2: Crisis and the Solution at present"</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderated by: Mr. Indrajit Sen, Managing Director, International Combustion (India) Limited and Past President, BCC&I 	
2:00 p.m. – 3.00 p.m.	e- Break	
3.00 p.m. – 3.30 p.m.	Executive Track II – Panel Discussion on <i>"Enabling innovation and entrepreneurship: Voice of Young Bengal"</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Suvankar Sen, Chief Executive Officer, Senco Gold Limited • Mr. Simarpreet Singh, Director, JIS Group Moderated by: Mr. Kalyan Kar, Co-Founder InQube Group and Startup Evangelist & Mentor	
3.30 p.m. – 3.35 p.m.	e-Break	

3.35 p.m. – 4.15 p.m.	<p>Address by: Mr. R C Bhargava, IAS, Chairman, Maruti Suzuki India Ltd.</p> <p>On “The Maruti Story: Lessons for the Revival of Manufacturing in Eastern India”</p> <p>Moderated by: Dr. Shiladitya Chatterjee, Member, Economic Affairs Committee, BCC&I, and Former Member Indian Administrative Service (IAS) and Asian Development Bank (ADB).</p>	
4.15 p.m. – 4.20 p.m.	e-Break	
4.20 p.m. – 5.00 p.m.	Executive Track III – Panel Discussion on “Industry and Trade: Growth Trajectory of Bengal”	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smt. Anindita Sen Gupta, Additional DGFT, Ministry of Commerce and Industry • Dr. Nagesh Kumar, Director, Institute for Studies in Industrial Development (ISID) • Mr. Ranjan Sarkar, President - HR, Exide Industries Ltd. <p>Moderated by: Mr. Ambarish Dasgupta, Past President, BCC&I and Senior Partner, Intueri Consulting LLP</p>	
5.00 p.m. – 5.05 pm	Conclusion of the e-Conclave	BCC&I