

NORWEGIAN RISK FORUM 2011
NOVEMBER 10 - 11
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Risks & Rewards for Norwegian Businesses in India

This year's topics:

Understanding the Political Risks and Maritime Security issues

Opportunities and Challenges for Norwegian Businesses and Investors

Legal Challenges and CSR Considerations

Three reasons why you should take part:

Expertise: Meet experts on India such as Piyush Mathur, Anit Mukherjee, Laxmi Akkaraju, Rina Sunder and Harald Nævdal among others

Business opportunities: Learn about growth sectors, consumer market trends and meet relevant players such as Piyush Mathur and Laxmi Akkaraju among others

Corporate Social Responsibility: Gain insight into challenges with corporate social responsibility in India and how to find solutions to corporate responsibility issues with experts such as Erik Lundeby, Are-Jostein Norheim and Maria Gjøølberg

Norwegian Risk Forum Staff:

Conference Director & Moderator: Arne Elias Corneliusen, Chairman & CEO, NRCI
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Day 1, Thursday 10th of November - Part 1:

Welcome and Keynote Addresses

08.30 - Arrival & registration

09.00 - Welcome and introductory remarks
By Arne Elias Corneliussen
Chairman & CEO
Norwegian Risk Consulting International

09.15 - Embassy of India
First Secretary Commerce – Mr. D.K. Nanda

09.30 - Coffee and networking break

Day 1, Thursday 10th of November - Part 2:

Understanding the Political Risks & Maritime Security Outlook Confronting India

10.00 - Maritime Security in South Asia - The View from the Norwegian Shipowners' Association
By Haakon Svane, Director, Contingency Planning Secretariat, Norwegian Shipowners' Association

10.45 - Challenges and developments in Indian Counter-Insurgency and Anti-Terror Operations
By Anit Mukherjee, Research Fellow, Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses, New Delhi

11.30 - Lunch

13.00 - Panel debate: Security Challenges and Political Risks - Outlook on India

Moderator:

Arne Elias Corneliussen, Chairman & CEO, NRCI

Panelists:

Anit Mukherjee, Research Fellow, Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses, New Delhi

Jo Inge Bekkevold, Coordinator Asia Programme, Norwegian Institute for Defence Studies

Haakon Svane, Director, Contingency Planning Secretariat, Norwegian Shipowners' Association

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14.30 - Coffee and networking

15.00 - How to Prepare for Doing Business in India in Order to Reduce Risk
By Harald Nævdal, Director & Commercial Counsellor, Innovation Norway, New Delhi

15.45 - End day 1

18.00 - Norwegian Risk Forum Dinner at Grand Café, Grand Hotel

Day 2, 11th of November - Part 3:

Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Challenges in India

08.30 - Arrival & registration

09.00 - Business in Risk Environments – Perspectives from Nordic Businesses and Governments
Maria Gjølberg, Managing Director of CSR Norway and Senior Advisor in Steria

09.30 - Coffee and networking

10.00 - Panel discussion - Challenges with Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) in India

Moderator:

Erik Lundebj, Head of CSR Team, Confederation of Norwegian Enterprise (NHO)

Panelists:

Are-Jostein Norheim, CSR Ambassador, Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Harald Nævedal, Director & Commercial Counsellor, Innovation Norway, New Delhi

Maria Gjølberg, Managing Director of CSR Norway and Senior Advisor in Steria

11.15 - Feedback Survey

11.30 - Lunch

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Part 4: India's Growth Sectors and Successful Entry Strategies

- 12.00 - Rise and Rise of Indian Consumer Market
By Piyush Mathur, President, The Nielsen Company, India Region
- 12.30 - EDB ErgoGroup's Journey to India
By Laxmi Akkaraju, Vice President, Global Sourcing, EDB ErgoGroup
- 13.00 - Do Your Homework – Critical Factors for Ensuring Success & Hiring in India
By Rina Sunder, Founder & CEO, EnteringINDIA
- 13.30 - Panel discussion: India's Growth Sectors and Successful Entry Strategies
Harald Nævdal, Director & Commercial Counsellor, Innovation Norway, New Delhi
- Panelists:
Piyush Mathur, President, The Nielsen Company, India
Laxmi Akkaraju, Vice President, Global Sourcing, EDB ErgoGroup
Rina Sunder, Founder & CEO, EnteringINDIA
- 14.30 - Final Thoughts
By Arne Elias Corneliussen
Chairman & CEO
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- 14.45 - End of Norwegian Risk Forum 2011

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