

23rd International Safety Convention - 2026

Safe Engineering practices for a Sustainable Viksit Bharat

October 23-24, 2026

India Habitat Centre, New Delhi

!! Main Highlight !!

23rd
Safety Innovation
Award 2026



Organiser

Safety and Quality Forum - IEI

Host Centre

The Institution of Engineers (India)

DELHI STATE CENTRE



Preamble

Safety Management has been a vital consideration since the start of industrialization. The world has witnessed phenomenal improvement in managing Safety, Health & Environment in the workplace. Our fundamental ethos of safety management has been able to come up with feasible solutions in handling emerging risks as a result of rapid automations and new technological advancements till date.

Exponential change in technology, accompanied with unforeseen and entirely different risk patterns is inevitable in today's scenario, throwing challenges to the new generation.

To ensure that the new generation is capable of integrating fundamental safety management practices with artificial intelligence, machine learning and other advanced technologies to mitigate evolving risk, it has been imperative to re-emphasize and remind our youth on basics of EHS management. Realizing these current concerns, Safety & Quality Forum of The Institution of Engineers (India) has decided to conduct 23rd International Safety Convention - 2026 on the theme "Safe Engineering practices for a Sustainable Viksit Bharat" during October 23-24, 2026 at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi.

23rd International Safety Convention - 2026 will focus on the most important "action" required these days; that is relearning and re-emphasizing the basics. To ensure that the values and beliefs that will result in safe behaviors are embodied in the culture of an organization and embraced at all levels. When this occurs, the result is inevitably that all employees are trained, equipped and protected at the highest levels possible. They possess the attitudes and beliefs that will impact their decision-making related to safety, health and the environment every day, at work and at home. This applies not only to those at work in line positions, but equally to corporate and site management & line/labor leaders.

It has become imperative that all levels of employees, not just line workers, receive training in hazard identification and proper procedures, and that they be encouraged to develop the attitudes, beliefs and thinking that lead to safe behaviors both on and off the job. Similarly, company leaders and management need training in order to effectively communicate, coach and provide constructive correction to ensure that proper attitudes and behaviors are in place and are not at risk of being undermined by other priorities and pressures.

About the Organisers

About The Institution of Engineers (India)

The Institution of Engineers (India) or IEI, is the largest multidisciplinary professional body encompassing 15



engineering disciplines and providing engineers with a global platform to share professional interests. IEI has a membership strength of over 2.5 Lakhs. Established in 1920, with its headquarters at 8, Gokhale Road, Kolkata-700020, IEI has served the engineering fraternity for over ten decades. In 1935, IEI was incorporated by Royal Charter and remains the only professional body in India to receive this honor. Today, its quest for professional excellence has earned it a place of pride in almost every prestigious and relevant organization worldwide. IEI operates among professional engineers, academicians, and research workers. It provides a vast array of technical, professional, and supporting services to the government, industries, academia, and the engineering fraternity. There are 124 centres across India and 6 are overseas.

IEI has been recognized as a Scientific and Industrial Research Organization (SIRO) by the Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India. It provides Grant-in-Aid to undergraduate, postgraduate, and PhD students of engineering institutes and universities. IEI maintains the International Professional Engineers (IntPE) Register for India under the global International Professional Engineers Alliance (IntPEA). The Institution also grants the Professional Engineers (PE) Certification.

Safety and Quality Forum - IEI

As the country embarked on a fast growth path at the turn of the millennium, The Institution of Engineers (India) visualized the tools, and methodologies to support national programme. One important element was safety in large infrastructure projects, manufacturing, service sector and management of disasters - natural and manmade.

Safety and Quality Forum (SQF) aims to promote and propagate various aspects of Safety and Quality in different engineering sectors, through networking mechanism. Besides facilitating exchange of ideas and opinions pertaining to safety and quality, it endeavors to promote awareness about them in engineering operations; assist government and municipal bodies in framing and forcing rules and codes for safety and quality management systems; develop courses, syllabi and course materials for Safety Engineering, Quality Management and Reliability Engineering; organize seminars, conferences and

workshops; and collaborate with educational institutions and industry to promote the concept of quality and safety. Its head office is based at the IEI - DSC.

About Delhi State Centre, IEI

Delhi State Centre has a history of nearly 99 years. Located at ITO, it is a landmark in the city of Delhi. It has played a crucial role in uniting various professional societies right from its inception.

The Delhi State Centre is one of the most active centre in the country and has been serving the society in general and the engineering community in particular with the said objectives and plays a significant role in the dissemination and proliferation of knowledge amongst its members. With a modest membership to start with, the centre has brought into its fold a large section of fraternity with a membership strength of more than 10670 Corporate Members widening its horizon of technical activities. Delhi State Centre has organized various successful activities which include International and National Conferences, Indian Engineering Congress, All India Seminars, Round Table Conferences, Hands-on Cum-Skill Development Programme and Workshops relating to different strategy of engineering and having crucial impact on society.

23rd International Safety Convention - 2026

India's vision of "Viksit Bharat 2047" emphasizes sustainable growth, technological advancement, resilient infrastructure, and inclusive development. Achieving this vision requires engineering systems that prioritize safety, reliability, environmental stewardship, and human well-being.

The 23rd International Safety Convention - 2026 on "Safe Engineering Practices for a Sustainable Viksit Bharat" brings together policymakers, industry experts, researchers, safety professionals, engineers, academicians, and students to share knowledge, discuss emerging challenges, and promote best practices in engineering safety across sectors.

Objective

Objectives of the Convention

1. **Promote Safety Excellence** : To foster a culture of safety in engineering design, construction, operation, maintenance, and project management across industries.
2. **Support Sustainable Development** : To integrate safety, environmental protection, resource efficiency, and sustainability principles into engineering practices.
3. **Strengthen Risk Management** : To enhance understanding of hazard identification, risk assessment, accident prevention, and emergency preparedness.

Safety Innovation Award



Outperforming Government Organisations, PSUs, Private Sector Businesses/ Industries and NGOs will be conferred with the "**Safety Innovation Award**" for the initiatives undertaken for introducing concepts of awareness and culture in the fields of Occupational Safety, Health & Environment. Interested organizations can submit their proposal, latest by July 31, 2026 in proper format.

Application form can be downloaded from website: www.sqfie.i.in or request may be sent to organizer for soft copy.

Application should necessarily include:

- (i) A Case Study presentation on the Entry, in four pages of A-4 size typed in 10 points in single line space in New Times Roman, and
- (ii) Draft for Citation, in 100 words to be used if the entry is selected for Award. For more details, visit our website.



4. **Encourage Innovation and Technology Adoption :** To showcase advanced technologies, digital tools, AI-based safety systems, predictive analytics, and smart engineering solutions that improve safety performance.
5. **Develop Competent Workforce :** To promote capacity building, professional training, and skill development for engineers, supervisors, and safety practitioners.
6. **Share Global Best Practices :** To facilitate exchange of international experiences, standards, regulations, and successful case studies in engineering safety management.
7. **Enhance Infrastructure Resilience :** To encourage safe and resilient infrastructure development capable of addressing climate change, natural disasters, and emerging risks.
8. **Foster Industry-Academia Collaboration :** To create a platform for collaboration among industries, research institutions, startups, and educational organizations for advancing safety innovations.
9. **Promote ESG and Responsible Engineering :** To align engineering practices with Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) principles and national sustainability goals.
10. **Contribute to Viksit Bharat 2047 :** To support India's journey towards becoming a developed nation through safe, sustainable, and future-ready engineering systems.

Theme

Safe Engineering practices for a Sustainable Viksit Bharat.

Key Themes

- Process Safety and Industrial Risk Management
- Construction Safety and Infrastructure Development
- Occupational Health and Safety
- Sustainable Engineering and Green Technologies
- Digital Transformation in Safety Management

- Artificial Intelligence and Predictive Safety Analytics
- Fire and Electrical Safety
- Climate Resilience and Disaster Risk Reduction
- Safety Leadership and Organizational Culture
- ESG, Sustainability, and Corporate Responsibility

Advantages for Participants

Participants will have an opportunity to get updated on the following:

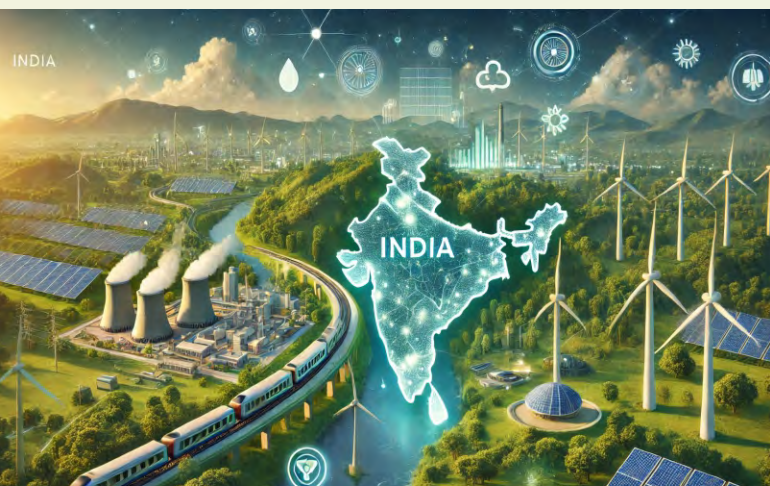
- New ideas and approaches to problem solving.
- Opportunities to connect with key individuals and organizations across the area of occupational health, safety and environment.
- Status of safety related policies and multinational mechanism for their implementation.
- Challenges to safety in all socio-economic sectors with a thrust on industrial sector.
- Application of standards and codes.
- Impact of awareness programmes and need for capacity building.
- Role of corporate sector.
- Hazard Risk Assessment.
- Vulnerability to natural and manmade hazards.
- Experiences on successes and near misses.

Who Should Participate?

- Engineers and Technical Professionals
- Safety Officers and HSE Managers
- Industry Leaders and Executives
- Policymakers and Regulators
- Academicians and Researchers
- Consultants and Auditors
- Students and Young Professionals
- Infrastructure and Construction Experts
- Manufacturing and Process Industry Representatives

Expected Outcomes

- Enhanced awareness of safe engineering practices.
- Adoption of innovative safety technologies.
- Stronger industry-academia-government collaboration.
- Recommendations for policy and standards improvement.



- Development of actionable strategies supporting sustainable growth.
- Creation of a roadmap for integrating safety into India's Viksit Bharat vision.

Highlights

- International Keynote Addresses
- Technical Sessions and Panel Discussions
- Research Paper Presentations
- Industry Best Practice Showcase
- Safety Innovation Exhibition
- Networking Opportunities
- Awards for Excellence in Safety Engineering

Call For Papers

Submission of Full Length Paper : August 10, 2026

Acceptance of Paper : August 25, 2026

Guidelines for Submission of Paper

Full length paper, having abstract, keywords and references, may be submitted for assessment of the Technical Committee. The paper should be prepared on A-4 size sheet with a margin of 1.5 cm on all sides. Paper should be in MS Word format in 10 points New Times Roman typed and single line spacing. Length of the paper is requested to be up to 6-pages. On acceptance of the Paper, the author sending longer paper will be requested to edit, otherwise the technical committee will exercise its right to edit.

An undertaking has to be sent that the paper has not been published/ presented/submitted elsewhere.

Papers depicting the advancement in theory and practice of managing safety issues will be preferred.

Date & Venue

- **October 23-24, 2026**
- **India Habitat Centre, New Delhi.**

Participation Fees

Delegate	Rs. 11,800/- each including GST
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Discount:

- 20% discount for registering more than 5 delegates from single Unit/Organization
- 10% discount to delegates from participating organizations of previous Safety Conventions.
- 25% discount to IEI Members.

Registration Fee includes

- Participation in all Sessions of the Convention.
- Delegate Kit.
- Buffet Lunch and Tea/Coffee.

Registration for the Convention

Complete the Registration Form in capital letters (preferably type written) and submit alongwith the Registration Fee to the Convention Secretariat. Application Form can be downloaded from website: **www.sqfiee.in**.

Payment

Payments for Delegate Fees, Exhibition, Advertisement & Sponsorship will be accepted through NEFT/RTGS/Online transfer/Bank Draft/Banker's Cheque to be made in favour of "The Institution of Engineers (India) A/c Safety and Quality Forum", payable at New Delhi. Bank Account No. : 3597529827, Central Bank of India, Bank Branch (MICR) Code: 110016021, IFSC Code: CBIN0280306, PAN No. : AAATT3439Q, GST No. : 07AAATT3439Q2ZV.

Souvenir

A Souvenir (in colour) will be published on this occasion. Rates for advertisement in the Souvenir are follows:

Category	Registration Fee (including GST)
Back Cover	Rs. 1,05,000/- (3 delegates Complimentary)
Inner Cover	Rs. 78,750/- (2 delegates Complimentary)
Full Page - Colour	Rs. 42,000/- (1 delegate Complimentary)
Half Page - Colour	Rs. 21,000/-

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Tentative Programme

DAY 1

October 23, 2026

0930 - 1100 hrs

Inaugural Session

1100 - 1130 hrs

Hi-Tea

1130 - 1300 hrs

Plenary Session

1300 - 1400 hrs

Lunch

1400 - 1430 hrs

Endowment Lecture

1430 - 1515 hrs

Technical Session - 1

1515 - 1530 hrs

Tea

1530 - 1730 hrs

Technical Session - 2

DAY 2

October 24, 2026

0930 - 1100 hrs

Technical Session - 3

1100 - 1115 hrs

Tea

1115 - 1300 hrs

Technical Session - 4

1300 - 1345 hrs

Lunch

1345 - 1500 hrs

Technical Session - 5

1500 - 1515 hrs

Tea

1515 - 1630 hrs

Valedictory Session

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