



Amit Shah, Minister of Home Affairs, Government of India, addressing AIMA's 46th National Management Convention



(L-R) Rekha Sethi, Director General, All India Management Association; Sanjay Kirloskar, Senior Vice President, AIMA & Chairman and Managing Director, Kirloskar Brothers Ltd; Sanjiv Goenka, Convention Chairman & Chairman, RP-Sanjiv Goenka Group; Babul Supriyo, Minister of State for Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India; Amitabh Kant, CEO, NITI Aayog; Harshavardhan Neotia, President, AIMA & Chairman, Ambuja Neotia Group and Harsh Pati Singhania, Vice President, AIMA & Vice Chairman & Managing Director, JK Paper Ltd

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The National Management Convention of All India Management Association was a wonderful platform for thought leaders to deliberate on issues that would help India move on the growth trajectory

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The two-day 46th National Management Convention of All India Management Association focussed on creating an innovative India.

Babul Supriyo, Minister of State for Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India, in his keynote address at the convention said, "The \$5 trillion economy may seem like an ambitious goal, but we have a humble government to keep inspiring us."

India, emphasised the need to have more public transport.

"India must become a centre for production of software products, not just software services," said Ravi Shankar Prasad, Minister of Law and Justice; Communications; Electronics and IT, Government of India, on the first day of the convention.

India's economy has hit a rough patch and the GDP growth has decelerated consecutively for many quarters. During a session, Sunil Kant



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Sunil Jain, Managing Editor, The Financial Express, Sanjay Gupta, CEO & Editor, Dainik Jagran; Sunil Kant Munjal, Past President AIMA & Chairman, Hero Enterprise; TK Arun, Consulting Editor, The Economic Times and M K Venu, Editor, The Wire



S K Swamy, Chairman & Managing Director, RK Swamy BBDO Pvt Ltd presenting the AIMA-R K Swamy High Performance Brand Award 2019 to Titan Company Limited received by Munish Chawla, Regional Business Manager, Jewellery - Titan Company Limited

Amitabh Kant, CEO, Niti Aayog, said, "If you look at the last five years of India's economic evolution, India has grown at 7.5 per cent. Both Reserve Bank of India and the Government of India have acted on some of the issues of innovation to take India to a high trajectory growth."

Earlier on the first day of the convention, Amit Shah, Minister of Home Affairs, Government of India, in the inaugural address had said, "One of the fundamental principles of the management is to align people's efforts to achieve a common goal. And this is the way forward for the creation of 'New India'."

Talking about tackling pollution, Nitin Gadkari, Minister of Road Transport & Highways; Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises, Government of

Munjal, Past President AIMA & Chairman, Hero Enterprise, said that it is imperative for the industry, government and civil society to work in a partnership. The panel including Sanjay Gupta, CEO & Editor, Dainik Jagran; Sunil Jain, Managing Editor, The Financial Express; TK Arun, Consulting Editor, The Economic Times and M K Venu, Editor, The Wire, deliberated on



Fr. E. Abraham, Former Director, XLRI Jamshedpur with AIMA - Keval Nohria Award for Academic Leadership in Management Education 2019

the factors causing the economic slowdown and the corrective measures that the government and the business innovations can take to uplift the GDP.

T V Mohandas Pai, Chairman, Manipal Global Education Services, in his keynote address said that the digital platforms have overtaken physical platforms. He also said that content is moving towards video and new consumption themes



P Balaji, Chief Regulatory and Corporate Affairs Officer, Vodafone Idea Ltd; T V Mohandas Pai, Chairman, Manipal Global Education Services and Sanjay Kirloskar, Senior Vice President, AIMA & Chairman and Managing Director, Kirloskar Brothers Ltd



Sanjiv Goenka; Sanjay Kirloskar; Kumar Mangalam Birla; Harshavardhan Neotia and Harsh Pati Singhania



(L-R) Abhishek Nath, Managing Director and CEO, Ixora Corporate Services Pvt. Ltd; Syna Dehnugara, Chief Brand Officer, LetsVenture; Mohit Gupta, Chief Curator, City Book Leaders; Vineet Agarwal, Managing Director, Transport Corporation of India Ltd and Kartik Sharma, Director, Agnitio

are emerging. Sanjay Kirloskar, Senior Vice President, AIMA & Chairman and Managing Director, Kirloskar Brothers Ltd, and P Balaji, Chief Regulatory and Corporate Affairs Officer, Vodafone Idea Ltd., also presented their views.

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Agarwal, Managing Director, Transport Corporation of India Ltd.; Abhishek Nath, Managing Director and CEO, Ixora Corporate Services Pvt. Ltd.; Mohit Gupta, Chief Curator, City Book Leaders; Kartik Sharma, Director, Agnitio, discussed on disruption as strategy. Vineet Agarwal, during the panel discussion, emphasised that sustaining the disruption over the years is the way to grow.

This year, the AIMA-Keval Nohria Award for Academic Leadership in Management Education 2019 was presented to Fr E Abraham, Former Director, XLRI Jamshedpur. AIMA-R K Swamy High Performance Brand Award 2019 was presented to Titan Company Limited. AIMA Best LMA Awards 2018-19 were also presented.

The All India Management Association announces its Office-Bearers for the year 2019-20



Rekha Sethi, Director General, All India Management Association; Sanjay Kirloskar, President, AIMA & Chairman and Managing Director, Kirloskar Brothers Ltd; Harshavardhan Neotia, Immediate Past President, AIMA & Chairman, Ambuja Neotia Group; Harsh Pati Singhania, Senior Vice President, AIMA & Vice Chairman & Managing Director, JK Paper Ltd; C K Ranganathan, Vice President, AIMA and Chairman & Managing Director, CavinKare Pvt Ltd and Nikhil Sawhney, Treasurer, AIMA and Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Triveni Turbine Limited

Sanjay Kirloskar, Chairman & Managing Director, Kirloskar Brothers Ltd has been elected the new AIMA President by AIMA Council. He succeeds Harshavardhan Neotia, Chairman, Ambuja Neotia Group. Harsh Pati Singhania, Director, JK Organisation and Vice Chairman & Managing Director, JK Paper Ltd, is the new Senior Vice President of AIMA, a position

that was occupied by Sanjay Kirloskar, Chairman & Managing Director, Kirloskar Brothers Ltd. Mr CK Ranganathan, Chairman & Managing Director, CavinKare Pvt Ltd, joins the ranks of AIMA office-bearers as Vice President. Nikhil Sawhney, Vice Chairman and Managing Director, Triveni Turbine Limited, is the Treasurer. Rekha Sethi is the Director General of AIMA.