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# ASIA PACIFIC SDG & SUSTAINABILITY SUMMIT 2026

International Conference | Awards

Major theme

(Partnerships for Accelerating Sustainable Development and Climate Solutions)

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# ABOUT THE SUMMIT

The **Asia Pacific Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) and Sustainability Summit 2026** is a pivotal global event aimed at accelerating action for a sustainable future. This summit will serve as an open platform for world leaders, policymakers, academicians, scientists, business leaders, entrepreneurs, educational institutions, research institutions, civil societies, and development agencies. The goal is to assess progress toward the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and address the critical challenges threatening global sustainability. With only five years remaining until the 2030 deadline, urgent action is needed to accelerate solutions for a more resilient and equitable future. Despite significant efforts, environmental degradation, climate change, pollution, and resource depletion continue to hinder progress, requiring immediate, coordinated, and science-driven responses.

The world grapples with pressing issues like climate change, biodiversity loss, pollution, and water scarcity, threatening ecosystems, human health, and global stability. Rising temperatures and extreme weather events disproportionately affect vulnerable communities, while deforestation and pollution drive species extinction and health crises. Air pollution claims millions of lives annually, and plastic waste chokes oceans, emphasizing the need for sustainable practices and urgent action. India's metropolitan cities, like Delhi, face severe air pollution, while freshwater resources are depleted due to over-extraction and climate-induced droughts, affecting agriculture, sanitation, and public health. It's time for stronger commitments to emissions reduction, climate adaptation, and sustainable development.

The Asia Pacific SDG and Sustainability Summit 2026 will emphasize the crucial need to bolster climate action, enhance sustainable economic policies, and harness technological innovation to overcome pressing challenges. To drive sustainable development, governments and industries must pledge to transition to renewable energy, adopt circular economy models, and implement green finance initiatives. Science and technology will play a vital role in advancing cutting-edge solutions, such as carbon capture, precision agriculture, and biotechnology, to restore the environment. The Summit aims to accelerate SDG progress through collaborative action, regional cooperation, and innovation, yielding a roadmap for key actions, a network of SDG champions, and a commitment to mobilize resources and support for SDG implementation.

Organizing the Asia Pacific SDG and Sustainability Summit 2026 in New Delhi is a visionary move, poised to bring together global stakeholders to tackle the region's sustainability challenges. Delhi, as India's capital, is driving initiatives like the Delhi Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) Index and Mission LiFE (Lifestyle for Environment), aligning perfectly with the Summit's goals. India's commitment to sustainability is evident in its ambitious targets like the National Solar Mission, aiming for 500 GW of renewable energy by 2030, and the Green Hydrogen Mission. The country's push for electric vehicles, LED streetlights, and green transportation corridors showcases its dedication to climate action. By hosting the Summit, Delhi will highlight India's efforts to balance economic growth with environmental protection, inspiring action toward a resilient future.

The Summit's agenda will be packed with impactful sessions, including thought-provoking keynote speeches, insightful panel discussions, engaging paper presentations, and interactive workshops, all focussed on driving progress in sustainable energy, climate resilience, and other critical areas. The event will also recognise and celebrate outstanding contributions to sustainability through the Sustainability Awards. Participants will have opportunities to engage with global experts, share best practices, and explore potential partnerships for sustainable development. The event will be held in both physical and virtual modes, allowing participants to join according to their preferences. Certificates of participation will be issued to all attendees, with separate fee structures for physical and virtual participants.

## Important Dates for Asia Pacific SDG and Sustainability Summit 2026

Early bird registration without late payment deadline	30.04.2026
Regular registration with late payment deadline	31.05.2026
Abstract submission deadline	30.04.2026
Award applying deadline	15.05.2026
Full length paper submission deadline	31.05.2026
Conference dates	20th & 21st June 2026 (Hybrid Mode) 22nd June 2026 (Only Virtual Mode)

*Note: Following dates are mandatory and strictly followed by Organizing and Publication Committee.*

# THEMES AND SUB-THEMES OF THE SUMMIT

## Theme 1: Climate Action and Sustainability (SDG 12 & 13)

- The road to net zero: Policies for climate resilience
- Carbon capture & storage and carbon sequestration
- Carbon footprints and strategies for reducing greenhouse gas emissions
- Climate Change Mitigation and Innovative adaptation strategies for vulnerable communities
- Climate change-induced migration and displacement
- Impact of rising temperatures on ecosystems and human health
- Role of AI in climate forecasting
- Climate-resilient infrastructure planning and construction

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NO POVERTY



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ZERO HUNGER



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GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



## Theme 2: Clean Water, Sanitation & Sustainable Management (SDG 6)

- Water Conservation and sustainable management practices.
- Water Pollution Prevention:
- Sustainable wastewater treatment and water recycling
- Water Security
- Advanced water purification and desalination technologies
- Sustainable groundwater extraction and recharge methods
- AI and IoT applications for smart water management
- The role of wetlands in natural water purification
- Sustainable fisheries management and marine ecosystem restoration

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QUALITY EDUCATION



## Theme 3: Renewable Energy Innovations and Sustainable Technologies (SDG 7)

- Next-generation solar, wind, and hydro energy solutions
- Green hydrogen: The future of clean energy storage
- Smart grids and energy efficiency in urban planning
- Biofuels and sustainable alternatives to fossil fuels
- Affordable clean energy

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GENDER EQUALITY



## Theme 4: Sustainable Agriculture and Food Security (SDG 1, 2 & 15)

- Sustainable Agriculture and Fisheries Practices
- Food Security and Nutrition
- Food waste reduction
- Climate-resilient crops and genetic modification for food security
- Eradicating extreme poverty through inclusive economic policies
- Agroecology and organic farming as sustainable alternatives
- Soil microbiology, Agroforestry and regenerative farming for carbon sequestration
- Vertical farming and hydroponics for urban food security
- Sustainable pest and disease management using biocontrol methods
- Precision agriculture and AI-driven farming techniques

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CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION



## Theme 5: Good Health and Well-being (SDG 3)

- Strengthening healthcare systems for Universal Health Coverage
- Mental Health and Well-being
- Infectious Disease Prevention and Control
- Climate change and emerging health diseases
- The effects of air pollution on respiratory and cardiovascular diseases
- Innovations in global health financing and technology
- Environmental Pollution Control and Human Health
- Access to affordable medicines and vaccines

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AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY



## Theme 6: Biodiversity Conservation and Ecosystem Restoration (SDG 14 & 15)

- Natural Resource Management
- Sustainable land management and reforestation strategies
- Marine conservation: Protecting oceans and coastal ecosystems
- Genetic biodiversity and species conservation efforts

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DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



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INDUSTRY, INNOVATION  
AND INFRASTRUCTURE



- Nature-based solutions for urban and rural resilience
- Ecological restoration and habitat conservation strategies
- Endangered species protection and wildlife conservation
- Bioprospecting and sustainable use of natural resources
- Microbiomes and their role in human and environmental health
- Conservation genetics and species preservation

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REDUCED  
INEQUALITIES



**Theme 7: Waste Management and Circular Economy (SDG 12)**

- Circular Economy, responsible production and Sustainable Consumption
- Waste-to-energy technologies
- Electronic waste (e-waste) recycling and sustainable disposal
- Eco-friendly packaging innovations
- Policies and regulations driving a zero-waste economy
- Composting and organic waste management
- Promoting biodegradable materials

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SUSTAINABLE CITIES  
AND COMMUNITIES



**Theme 8: Sustainable Economic Growth and Development (SDG 8, 9 & 11)**

- Affordable housing, Smart Cities and Green Infrastructure
- Sustainable urban planning and innovation
- Sustainable Industrialization and Green Technology
- Green buildings and energy-efficient urban design
- Sustainable Transportation Systems
- The role of digital economies and e-commerce in sustainable growth
- Economic diversification and resilience in developing nations
- Inclusive and Equitable Development
- Ethical business practices and corporate responsibility
- Social entrepreneurship for sustainable economies
- Labor Economics and the Future of Work
- Informal economies and their contribution to urban resilience

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RESPONSIBLE  
CONSUMPTION AND  
PRODUCTION



**Theme 9: Green Finance and Sustainable Commerce (SDG 12, 13, 16 & 17)**

- ESG (Environmental, Social, and Governance)
- Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)
- Green bonds and climate finance for sustainable development
- Microfinance and financial inclusion for marginalized communities
- International Partnerships and Collaboration for knowledge sharing
- Public-private partnerships in achieving SDGs
- Public Policy and Governance for Sustainable Development
- Digital trade and e-commerce for small businesses in developing countries
- Green Economy, Sustainable Finance and Sustainable Business Practices

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CLIMATE ACTION



**Theme 10: Quality Education and Lifelong Learning (SDG 4)**

**Theme 11: Gender Equality and Reduced Inequalities (SDG 5 & 10)**

**Theme 12: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions (SDG 16)**

**Theme 13: Sustainable Forestry and Plant Sciences (SDG 15 & 13)**

**Theme 14: Natural Disasters and Disaster Risk Reduction (SDG 11 & 13)**

**Theme 15: Green Chemistry, Biotechnology, Microbiology and Sustainability (SDG 6 & 12)**

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LIFE BELOW WATER



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LIFE ON LAND



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PEACE, JUSTICE AND  
STRONG INSTITUTIONS



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PARTNERSHIPS  
FOR THE GOALS



# CALL FOR ABSTRACTS & FULL LENGTH PAPERS

The Asia Pacific SDG and Sustainability Summit 2026 invite participants to submit their abstracts and full-length papers on the conference theme and sub-themes. Abstracts should be concise, within 250-300 words, in English, using Times New Roman font size 12. The presenting author's name should be underlined in the abstract. Full-length papers should be comprehensive, ranging from 3000-4000 words, in English, using Times New Roman font size 12 including a 300 word abstract and 4-5 relevant key words in word format. All abstracts and full-length papers should be in word format. PDF or PPT is not allowed (author guidelines available on the website).

Participants are requested to submit their abstracts by **April 30, 2026**, and full-length papers by **May 31, 2026**, online to [conf.esda@gmail.com](mailto:conf.esda@gmail.com). For convenience, abstract submission is also available through the conference website: <http://esdaindia.org/sdg2026/>. We look forward to receiving your contributions and sharing knowledge towards a sustainable future."

## Publication

Selected abstracts will be showcased in the 'Souvenir and Abstract Book' during the Inaugural Session on June 24, 2026. High-quality full-length papers will be published in esteemed Scopus-indexed journal / Edited Books by Elsevier/ IEEE/ Springer/ International Publication or special issue of UGC care/Scopus-indexed Journals. Additional selected papers will be featured in the Conference Proceedings.

**For any query regarding paper presentation and publication, contact to:**

**Dr. Kokila Meena** (9799340125) and **Dr. Gunjan Goswami** (8899197560) for abstract submission & accept...  
**Dr. Raj Kumar Satankar** (8561995290) and **Prof. Sanjeet Singh** (9857300053) for full-length paper publication.

## Paper Presentations

The Asia Pacific SDG and Sustainability Summit 2026 cordially invites participants to share their groundbreaking research through presentations that align with the conference theme and sub-themes, as outlined in their submitted abstracts. Presenters have the flexibility to choose their preferred mode of presentation, whether oral or poster, and physical or virtual, to cater to diverse needs. **A maximum of two authors are permitted to jointly present a paper.**

## Best Paper Presentation Awards

The Organising Committee of the Summit is pleased to confer Best Paper Presentation Awards across separate categories for Faculty / Research Scholars and Students.

1. **Best Paper Presentation Award (Faculty & Research Scholars)**
2. **Best Student Paper Presentation Award (Undergraduate & Postgraduate Students)**  
(Awards will be presented separately for Oral and Poster presentations in each category.)  
Submission of a valid and latest Institutional Identity Card is mandatory for student.

## Oral and Poster Presentations

The presenters will have 5-10 minutes for their presentation, followed by 2 minutes for Q&A. Presentations should be in Power Point or PDF format and include an introduction, clear explanation of research methodology and results, conclusion, and references. Presenters must register by the deadline and arrive 15 minutes before their scheduled presentation time. The posters should be in 60 centimeters wide by 90 centimeters long in size (60 cm x 90 cm), portrait orientation, and include a clear title, author names, introduction, methodology, results, and conclusions. The virtual posters should be in single page of Power Point or PDF format. The presenters will have 3-5 minutes for their presentation, followed by 2 minutes for Q&A.

## Accommodation and Transportation:

The Organizing Committee of the Asia Pacific SDG and Sustainability Summit 2026 has arranged limited accommodation options at the university's guest house and nearby institutions for our distinguished guests, speakers, and presenters. To ensure a seamless experience, we recommend booking early. We've secured discounted rates at local hotels and guest houses - email [con.esda@gmail.com](mailto:con.esda@gmail.com) by May 15, 2026, to avail. Your comfort is our priority.

For further assistance, please contact us on **Dr. Kamal Singh (97182 56267) & Mr. Ritik Kumar (9818624031)**

# REGISTRATION

## Registration Fee for Physical Participation

Category	Early-bird on/before 30.04.2026	Regular on/before 31.05.2026	Late & On-Spot After 31.05.2026
ESDA and Partner Institutions	3,000 INR	4,000 INR	5,000 INR
Distinguished Faculties & Scientists	4000 INR	5000 INR	6000 INR
Research Scholars	3,000 INR	4,000 INR	5,000 INR
Students (Graduate/PG)	2,000 INR	2,500 INR	3,000 INR
Corporates & Business Executives	6,000 INR	7,500 INR	9,000 INR
Accompany Person	3,000 INR	4,000 INR	5,000 INR
Foreign Faculties and Scientists	200 USD	250 USD	300 USD
Foreign Students and Postdoc	100 USD	150 USD	200 USD

## Conference Registration Fee for Virtual Participation

Category	Early-Bird on/before 30.04.2026)	Regular on/before 31.05.2026)	Late & On-Spot After 31.05.2026)
ESDA and Partner Institutions	2,000 INR	3,000 INR	4,000 INR
Distinguished Faculties & Scientists	3000 INR	4000 INR	5000 INR
Research Scholars	2,000 INR	3,000 INR	4,000 INR
Students (Paper Presenter)	1500 INR	2000 INR	2500 INR
Students (Only Attendee)	1000 INR	1500 INR	2000 INR
Corporates & Business Executives	4,000 INR	5000 INR	6,000 INR
Foreign Faculties and Scientists	100 USD	150 USD	200 USD
Foreign Students and Postdoc	80 USD	100 USD	125 USD

### Exclusive Group Registration Offer

To promote wider participation from institutions, we are pleased to offer special benefits on group registrations:

#### Group Offer

Register a group of 10 participants and receive 1 additional registration free of cost. This means 11 participants can attend by paying for only 10 registrations, making it a highly cost-effective opportunity for group participation.

#### Faculty Advantage

Institutions registering 10 students are eligible for 1 complimentary faculty registration, encouraging active academic engagement and mentorship.

An excellent opportunity for colleges and universities to maximize participation, enhance academic exposure, and optimize costs.

#### Exclusive discounts on ESDA membership with summit registrations till 31st May 2026.

- General Life Membership fee is only Rs. 1000 (50% off) out of Rs. 2000
- Patron Life Membership fee is only Rs. 3000 (40% off) out of Rs. 5000

For any query regarding Registration, contact to

Dr. Kavita Khatana Bhati (+91 7011621989)

Ms. Gunjan Baisoya (+91 9266370440) and Ms. Riya Yadav (+91 +91 92534 94930)

Register now and be part of the sustainability movement

**Note: Registration Fee of Physical Participants includes Conference KIT, e-Souvenir & Abstract Book, Participation Certificate, Lunch & Tea/Coffee on Conference days.**

# SPONSORSHIP

We welcome and invite sponsors from diverse industries, including manufacturing, operations, pharmaceuticals, construction, services, health, environment, safety, energy, IT, telecommunications, finance, banking, and consultancies, as well as educational institutions, laboratories, hospitals, trusts, NGOs, and others, to participate in the Asia Pacific SDG and Sustainability Summit 2026, being held in New Delhi (India) on June 20-22, 2026. Details of sponsorship are given below:

## Sponsorship Fees

Sponsorship Categories	Early-bird on/before 15.05.2026		Regular From 16.05.2026 to 10.06.2026	
	Indian (INR)	Asian (USD)	Indian (INR)	Asian (USD)
Platinum	10,00,000	15,000	12,00,000	18,000
Gold	7,50,000	10,000	9,00,000	14,000
Silver	5,00,000	7,000	6,50,000	10,000
Green	2,00,000	4,000	3,00,000	5,000

## Benefits of the Sponsorship

Sponsorship Categories	Logo on Website & Backdrop	Advt. in Souvenir	Special Promotion	Oral Presentation	Free Registration	Nomination for Award
Platinum	Yes	Full Page	Yes	15 Minutes	8	Yes
Gold	Yes	Full Page	Yes	10 Minutes	5	Yes
Silver	Yes	Half Page	No	No	3	No
Green	Yes	No	No	No	2	No

## ADVERTISEMENT IN SOUVENIR & ABSTRACT BOOK

Page Category (Color)	Early-bird on/before 15.05.2026	Regular From 16.05.2026 to 10.06.2026
Full Page (Back Cover page)	50,000 INR	60,000 INR
Full Page (Front/Back Inside - Cover page)	40,000 INR	50,000 INR
Full Page (Inside)	30,000 INR	40,000 INR
Half Page (Inside)	20,000 INR	30,000 INR

### Recognizing Your Valued Support

In appreciation of your generous sponsorship, the Asia Pacific SDG and Sustainability Summit 2026 is pleased to offer the following benefits:

- Certificate of Appreciation:** A formal recognition of your organization's support, presented by ESDA.
- Prominent Brand Visibility:** Showcase your organization's profile and logo on:
  - Conference literature and materials
  - Backdrop, hoardings, banners, and website
- Targeted Branding and Networking:** Connect with a focused, captive audience of industry experts, scientists, academician, and corporate delegates.
- Featured Recognition:** Your organization's name and profile will be highlighted in ESDA's Annual and Summit Reports.

5. **Exclusive Privileges:** Enjoy benefits such as:
  - Complimentary registration for select delegates
  - Colored page advertisement in the Souvenir and Abstract Book
  - Presentation opportunities in special sessions
6. **Prestigious Sustainability Award Nomination:** Sponsors may be nominated for this esteemed sustainability award, recognizing their commitment to sustainability.

We value your partnership and look forward to recognizing your contributions throughout the Asia Pacific SDG and Sustainability Summit 2026.

## The Fields of Organization for Sponsorship and Award Opportunities

We invite organizations from the following fields to apply for awards and partnership opportunities:

### 1. Environmental Sustainability

- Pollution control and monitoring equipment
  - Water treatment and purification systems (STP, ETP, RO)
  - Environmental products, equipment, and instruments
2. Waste Management and Sanitation
    - Waste management solutions
    - Sanitation and recycling services
  3. Sustainable Development and Climate Action
    - Sustainable development technology and consultancy
    - Climate action, carbon neutrality, and ESG solutions
    - CDM, net zero, and CSR initiatives
  4. Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency
    - Solar energy solutions
    - Hydro energy and energy efficiency products
  5. Eco-Friendly Products and Services
    - Eco-friendly packaging, fabrics, and home appliances
    - Green building products, solutions, and services

- Eco-friendly agriculture (bio-fertilizers, bio-pesticides, organic products)

### 6. Transportation and Mobility

- Electric and eco-friendly vehicles
- Biofuels and hybrid vehicles

### 7. Education and Research

- Educational institutions (universities, institutes, colleges, schools)
- Environmental protection services and research organizations

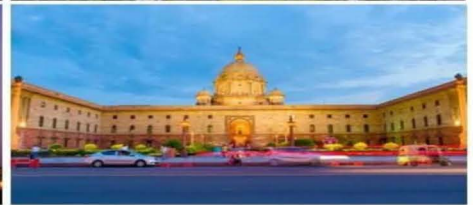
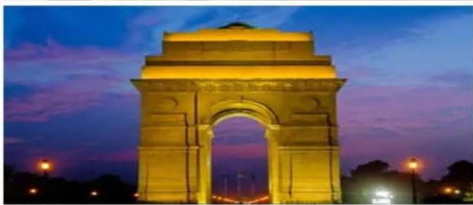
### 8. Government, Public, Private and Non-Profit

- Government institutions
- Public sector undertakings (PSUs)
- Industries and MNCs
- Consultancies and NGOs

### 9. Other Relevant Fields

- Laboratory equipment suppliers
- Sustainable development and climate action consultancies
- Other organizations aligned with the SDG Summit's goals and objectives

**Note:** All Details have given in the summit official website: [www.esdaindia.org/sdg2026](http://www.esdaindia.org/sdg2026)



# ESDA SUSTAINABILITY AWARDS 2026

Celebrating pioneers, innovators, and champions of sustainability across Asia Pacific and beyond. Join us at the Asia Pacific SDG and Sustainability Summit 2026, where visionary leaders, pioneering institutions, and forward-thinking corporates converge to shape a resilient, equitable, and sustainable future. Showcase your impact, amplify your influence, and be recognized for driving the UN Sustainable Development Goals. The ESDA Sustainability Awards 2026 will be conferred during the Asia Pacific SDG and Sustainability Summit 2026 on June 21-22, 2026. The awards for corporates, educational institutions, and individuals are given below.

## Corporate Category Awards

- **Corporate Sustainability Excellence Award 2026:** To recognize and honor corporate organizations that have integrated sustainability into their core business strategy, operations, and corporate social responsibility (CSR) initiatives while making significant contributions to the SDGs.
- **SDG Champion Award 2026:** Recognizing corporations that have demonstrated outstanding commitment to multiple Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).
- **Sustainable Business Innovation Award 2026:** Awarding companies that have developed groundbreaking eco-friendly technologies or sustainable products, services, or circular economy models or sustainable procurement and supply chain practices.
- **Carbon Neutrality Pioneer Award 2026:** Celebrating organizations that have successfully achieved or made significant progress toward carbon neutrality.
- **ESG Excellence Award 2026:** Recognize and encourage corporates integrating ESG principles into business strategy, driving sustainability and positive impact.

## Educational Institutions Category Awards

- **Sustainability Education Excellence Award 2026:** Recognizing universities and colleges that embed sustainability into their curriculum, research, and infrastructure – empowering students for a sustainable future.
- **Green Campus Award 2026:** Recognizing schools, colleges, or universities that lead in sustainable infrastructure, energy conservation, and eco-friendly initiatives.
- **SDG Champion Award 2026:** Recognizing educational institutions that embed the Sustainable Development Goals into learning, research, and community impact – shaping sustainability leaders of tomorrow.
- **SDG Research & Innovation Award 2026:** Honoring educational institutions that conduct pioneering research addressing SDG challenges.

## Individuals Category Awards

- **Sustainability Leadership Award 2026:** Acknowledging an individual's exceptional contributions to sustainability advocacy and impact.
- **Climate Action Hero Award 2026:** Honoring individuals dedicated to climate resilience, activism, and community engagement.
- **Green Researcher and Innovator Award 2026:** Recognizing individuals who have created or championed sustainable innovations and research.
- **Eco-Warrior Award 2026:** Celebrating grassroots leaders who make a significant difference in conservation, biodiversity, and sustainability at the local level.

## The Award Guidelines

**Eligibility:** The ESDA Sustainability Awards 2026 are open to corporates, educational institutions, and individuals across the world working towards achieving the UN Sustainable Development Goals and sustainability innovation. Eligible entities include industries, educational institutions, government organizations, startups, laboratories, hospitals, trusts, NGOs, and individuals.

**Nomination Process:** Submit your nomination through the award form on the summit website or email [conf.esda01@gmail.com](mailto:conf.esda01@gmail.com) with a compelling profile showcasing your achievements, impactful projects, and contributions to SDGs and sustainability. Ensure you attach supportive documents and impact metrics to highlight your excellence and eligibility for the award.

**Deadline:** Nominations accepted till **May 15, 2026**. Late submissions won't be considered.

**Selection:** Awardees are selected solely based on merit, considering their outstanding profile, impactful work, and remarkable achievements in the field of SDGs and sustainability.

**Jury Decision:** The ESDA jury panel's decision is final and binding. No appeals entertained.

**Award Acceptance:** Winners must participate in the summit (June 20-22, 2026) to receive the award. In absentia awards may also be given in special condition.

**Intellectual Property:** ESDA reserves rights to feature nominee details, project info, and winning entries for promotional purposes.

**Disqualification:** Incomplete, inaccurate, or non-conforming submissions will be disqualified.

**Communication:** Winners notified via email by May 25, 2026.

### **Event Charges: Supporting a Sustainable Initiative**

Your presence drives our impact. The Summit and Awards are organized on a self-sustaining model, with no government or corporate funding. We're committed to keeping the ESDA Award free of charge, with no application or processing fees.

A nominal event charge applies to awardees, corporates, educational institutions, and individuals to cover ceremony expenses, ensuring a memorable experience that includes premium venue, food, exclusive mementos, and VIP guests. Details are on our website. Your contribution sustains the event's impact and empowers a sustainable future.

# 6TH WORLD ENVIRONMENT SUMMIT 2025

November 08-12, 2025 | Bangkok, Thailand



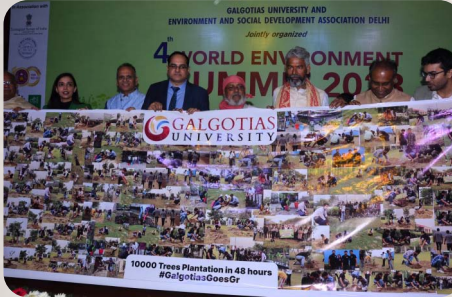
# 5TH WORLD ENVIRONMENT SUMMIT 2024

November 16-18, 2024 | NDMC Convention Centre, Sansad Marg, New Delhi (India)



# 4TH WORLD ENVIRONMENT SUMMIT 2023

November 3-5, 2023 | Galgotias University, Greater Noida, U.P. (India)



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## 2nd WORLD ENVIRONMENT SUMMIT - 2021 | India International Centre, New Delhi (India)



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