



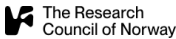
















# Norway-India Business and Research Summit

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**8:30 – Entry for exhibitors to set up roll-ups/banners**

**8:45 – Registration, Coffee**
































**9:15 to 12:15 – Program Part 1 - Presentations in Room Moser**

<b>10 min</b>	<b>Welcome to Session</b>		
5 min	 	<p>Welcome to the Research Council of Norway premises</p> <p>Eva Falleth Executive Director - Sustainable Development, The Research Council of Norway</p>	
5 min	 	<p>Welcome to the Battery Session</p> <p>Stina Torjesen Associate Professor, University of Agder Sustainability Advisor, Morrow Batteries</p>	 
<b>20 min</b>	<b>Status and Ambitions for Batteries in Norway and India</b>		
10 min	 	<p>Dr. (Mrs.) N. Kalaiselvi Director General, CSIR &amp; Secretary DSIR</p>	
10 min	 	<p>Nora Rosenberg Grobæk CEO, Battery Norway</p>	
<b>20 min</b>	<b>Market overview and Projections for Batteries in Norway and India</b>		
10 min	 	<p>Kapil Bansal Partner, Energy Transition and Decarbonization, EY-Parthenon India</p>	
10 min	 	<p>Jonas Erraia Partner, Menon Economics</p>	

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60 min	Collaboration Examples, Competences and Needs – Academia	
18 min	An academic Perspective on: Battery Research at Universities + Insights to <b>Materials</b>	
	 Sri Ramakrishnan Assistant Professor, Indian Institute of Technology Bombay	
	 Bharatkumar Suthar Assistant Professor, Indian Institute of Technology Bombay	
12 min	An academic Perspective on: Battery Research at Universities + Insights to <b>Recycling of Batteries</b>	
	 Sulalit Bandyopadhyay Centre Manager, Particle Engineering Centre Associate Professor, Norwegian University of Science and Tech. (NTNU)	
18 min	An academic Perspective on: Battery Research in India + Insights to <b>Digitalization</b>	
	 Naga Phani Aetukuri Associate Professor at the Department of Materials Engineering, Indian Institute of Science Bengaluru	
	 Sai Gautam Gopalakrishnan Associate Professor at the Department of Materials Engineering, Indian Institute of Science Bengaluru	
12 min	An academic Perspective on: Research at Academia/Industry Interface + Insights <b>Digitalization</b>	
	 Johannes Landesfeind Associate Professor, University of Agder	
20 min	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
50 min	<b>Roundtable Discussions – Industry Examples, Needs and Ambitions</b>	
5 min	An industrial Perspective on: <b>Battery Recycling</b>	
	 Rahul Singh CBO, Exigo Recycling Pvt. Ltd.	
5 min	An industrial Perspective on: <b>Battery Energy Storage Systems</b>	
	 Avanish Verma Director Buisness development - Emerging markets, Pixii AS	
5 min	An industrial Perspective on: <b>Battery Energy Storage Systems</b>	
	 Aseem Goyal Havells India	
5 min	An industrial Perspective on: <b>Raw Material Manufacturing</b>	
	 Andreas Forfang VP Sustainability & Public Affairs, Vianode AS	
5 min	An industrial Perspective on: <b>Batteries for Electromobility</b>	
	 Nishant Arya Vice Chairman, JBM Group	
5 min	<b>Conclusions and Invitation for Networking Event</b>	

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## 12:15 to 13:15 – Program Part 2 – Lunch and Networking/Exhibition

- standing lunch and networking in exhibition area in front of presentation room
- contact [Johannes.Landesfeind@uia.no](mailto:Johannes.Landesfeind@uia.no) to set up a stand
- networking area / matchmaking area for announced India/Norway project calls
  - o Highlight open call from EU/India on Recycling and potential matchmaking
    - [Coordinated topic with India on recycling of EV batteries HORIZON-CL5-2026-09-D2-04](#)



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