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2026 HOPE

HOSPITALITY
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INDIA'S MOST INFLUENTIAL HOSPITALITY AND TRAVEL SUMMIT

26–27 February 2026 | Taj Cidade De Goa Horizon, Goa

HVS ANAROCK HOPE has transformed into India's most powerful hospitality & travel platform, where ideas turn into opportunities, conversations spark collaborations, & innovation meets inspiration



CELEBRATING THE SPIRIT OF **"UNSTOPPABLE INDIA"**

INDIA IS RISING: BOLD, RESILIENT, AND FULL OF POSSIBILITIES

In that same spirit, HVS ANAROCK is proud to bring to you the fourth edition of HOPE, featuring new voices, vibrant ideas, and exciting discussions that reflect India's unstoppable journey on the global stage

HOPE: Where Ideas Ignite and Leaders Converge

Get ready for an extraordinary gathering of the brightest minds and boldest voices in hospitality and travel





HOPE is not just a conference!

It's a high-impact platform where game-changing conversations begin. A space where collaboration thrives, innovation takes center-stage, and new ideas translate into real-world impact.

Now in its fourth edition, HOPE continues to be the summit of choice for decision-makers and disruptors — blending world-class production, powerful content, and unmatched networking to shape the future of hospitality and travel.

Two Days. Endless Inspiration. Unmatched Impact.

From deep-dive panels to unforgettable moments, HOPE delivers a power-packed agenda that enlightens, inspires, and sparks meaningful conversations.





SPOTLIGHT SESSIONS

Global Leaders Check-In

What's shaping hospitality across continents?

Hotel Owners' Panel

The pulse of India's property and investment landscape.

CEOs Panel

Visionary leadership shaping the sector's next chapter.

LeaderSpeak @HOPE

Fireside conversations with icons who define success.

Tech Play

Cutting-edge presentations on the future of tech play for the sector

Keynote Sessions

Global CEOs and celebrities

ShowTime @HOPE

Candid conversations with stars from cinema and sports

Where Vision, Leadership & Excellence Meet.

THE SIGNATURE EXPERIENCES

ECHO (EXCLUSIVE CONCLAVE FOR HOTEL OWNERS) – FOR INDIA'S HOSPITALITY POWERHOUSES

A 'by-invitation only', high-impact, closed-door conversation for hotel owners and investors – a space where strategy meets foresight

EDGE (EXCELLENCE DEVELOPMENT FOR GLOBAL EXECUTIVES) – LEARNING FROM THE WORLD'S BEST

A 'by-invitation' masterclass designed with New York University to sharpen leadership excellence exclusively for leading hotel general managers.

#HASHTAG AWARDS – CELEBRATING THE BEST OF THE BEST

The gold standard in hospitality awards.
Celebrating excellence across categories — from economy to luxury — through a robust third-party institute of repute as a Process Partner and a jury-led process that spotlights India's finest general managers and hotels





Trailblazers & Changemakers:
The Leaders Who Lit Up HOPE



Anita Mendiratta
Strategic Advisor,
Diplomat and Author



Anthony Capuano
President and CEO,
Marriott International



Christopher J. Nassetta
President & CEO, Hilton



Chris Hartley
CEO Global Hotel Alliance



Dimitris Manikis
President for Europe,
Middle East, Eurasia & Africa,
Wyndham Hotels & Resorts



Elie Maalouf
Chief Executive
Officer, IHG Hotels
& Resorts



Geoff Ballotti
President and CEO,
Wyndham Hotels &
Resorts



Hubert Viriot
CEO, YOTEL



Larry Cuculic
President and CEO,
BWH Hotels



Laure Morvan
Chief Development
Officer, Luxury Brands
Asia, Accor



Liz Ortiguera
Managing Director of Asia-Pacific and
Senior Advisor to the CEO, World
Travel & Tourism Council (WTTC)



Michael Grove
Chief Executive
Officer, HotStats



Omri Morgenshtern
Chief Executive Officer,
Agoda



Omar Romero
Chief Development and Luxury
Officer, Minor Hotels



Rajeev Menon
President, Asia Pacific
(excluding China), Marriott
International



Tommy Lai
Chief Executive Officer,
General Hotel Management
Pte Ltd

Names in alphabetical order

Trailblazers & Changemakers:
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Aditya Ghosh
Co-Founder, Akasa Air



Ajay Vij
Country Managing Director, Accenture India



Ajay K. Bakaya
Chairman, Sarovar Hotels, Director, Louvre Hotels India



Amanpreet Singh Bajaj
Country Manager, India & Southeast Asia, Airbnb



Anil Chadha
Divisional Chief Executive, ITC Hotels



Anurag Bhatnagar
Chief Executive Officer, The Leela Palaces, Hotels and Resorts



Asheesh Mohta
Head of Real Estate Acquisitions India Blackstone



Boman Irani
Indian actor, producer, filmmaker, photographer and voice artist



Campbell Wilson
CEO & MD, Air India



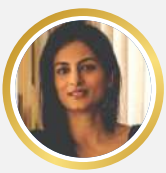
Deep Kalra
Founder & Chairman, MakeMyTrip Limited



Javed Akhtar
Poet, Scriptwriter, and Lyricist



K.B. Kachru
Chairman - South Asia, Radisson Hotel Group



Nirupa Shankar
Joint Managing Director, Brigade Enterprises



Mugdha Sinha
IAS, Managing Director, ITDC



Patanjali (Patu) G.Keswani
Chairman & Managing Director, Lemon Tree Hotels Ltd.



Puneet Chhatwal
Managing Director & CEO, IHCL



Ranju Alex
CEO (South Asia), Accor



Ridham Desai
Managing Director, Morgan Stanley India



Roma Datta Chobey
Managing Director, Digital First Businesses, Google India



Sanjeev Kapoor
Padma Shri Awardee, Culinary Icon, Humanitarian & Entrepreneur



Santosh Kumar
Country Head - Indian sub-continent & Indonesia, Booking.com



Shweta Bajpai
Group Director India, Financial Services, Media, Travel & Professional Services, Meta



Vir Sanghvi
Journalist, Author, Columnist, and Talk Show Host

Why you cannot afford to miss **HOPE 2026?**







Meet the Icons

Be inspired by global pioneers and visionary voices redefining the hospitality landscape and shaping the future.

Connect with Power

Build relationships with the most influential investors, hard to access decision-makers, and changemakers, where connects turn into collaborations.

Learn from the Best

Gain industry leading insights from global thought leaders and industry trailblazers.

Showcase Your Brand

Stand out in front of a high-impact audience that includes your future collaborators, clients, and champions.

Shape the Future

Contribute to the conversations and collaborations that are shaping the next phase of India's hospitality growth story

Trusted. Celebrated. Remembered.
What the Industry Thinks of HOPE



"This is the place to be if you want to know what's going on in hospitality in India and you want to get all the insights"

Deep Kalra, Founder & Chairman, MakeMyTrip Limited



"It's a fantastic event and as a proud partner of this event, I see that this has become a benchmark event for the whole hospitality industry."

Hemant Khurana, former-Managing Director - Mortars and Homes Business, Saint-Gobain India Private Limited



"As India is moving into this new orbit of consumption in the hotel space, HOPE is becoming the main platform for the stakeholders."

Patanjali (Patu) G. Keswani, Chairman & Managing Director, Lemon Tree Hotels Ltd



"It's a wonderful initiative. I think such initiatives are very timely, very opportune, but also a service to the nation and a service to the society. I remain very confident that this will become a very iconic event in the next years and decades to come"

Puneet Chhatwal, Managing Director & CEO, IHCL



"What an amazing place, Goa is an amazing place. The conference is an amazing event. There's nothing else I can say, apart from if you haven't joined you better make sure that you do next year!"

Dimitris Manikis, President for Europe, Middle East, Eurasia and Africa, Wyndham Hotels & Resorts

HOPE THROUGH THE YEARS

03
trailblazing editions that raised the bar every year

1500+
delegates from hospitality, travel, real estate, investment, & more

200+
global and Indian speakers

25+
high-energy sessions annually

60+
leading partner brands

HOPE 2026 - Insightful. Influential. Unmatched.

The crossroads of ideas, innovation, and impact driving the future of global hospitality & travel.



About
HVS ANAROCK

ANAROCK Group and HVS have formed a joint venture to provide end-to-end hospitality advisory services for the South Asia region, complementing HVS' global footprint of 50+ offices in 11 countries across 5 continents.

Having over two decades of exposure in India and South Asia, HVS is the region's largest Hospitality Consulting & Valuation company.

Over 25 Years in India, HVS has conducted

1500+	150+	60+	600+
Economic Feasibility & Valuation Studies	Brand Search & Contract Negotiations	Asset Management Contracts	Executive Search Mandates

ABOUT HVS

HVS is the world's only consulting firm dedicated exclusively to the hospitality industry. With a team of over 300 experts across 50 global offices, HVS brings unmatched hospitality intelligence and market insight to every project - from feasibility and valuation to asset management, strategy, and investment advisory.

With deep expertise across hotels, resorts, mixed-use developments, and entertainment assets, HVS helps clients unlock value at every stage of their business journey.

ABOUT ANAROCK

ANAROCK is the leading independent real estate services company with a visible presence across India, Middle East, USA and Singapore. The Company has diversified interests across the real estate lifecycle and deploys its proprietary technology platform to accelerate marketing and sales on behalf of its clients.

Over the last eight years, ANAROCK has expanded from being a residential-focused organization to complementary sectors including retail, commercial, hospitality, logistics & data centres, industrial and land. The firm also specialises in strategic advisory, investment banking, research & valuations and offers app based flexible workspaces and society management services. ANAROCK has developed proprietary technology that is adopted across all its businesses.

ANAROCK has a team of over 2200+ experienced real estate professionals who operate across all major markets in India, Middle East, USA and Singapore.

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