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The inaugural address will highlight the pivotal role of India's cooperative movement in shaping a self-reliant rural economy. It will emphasize how cooperatives, empowered by technology and innovation, are unlocking new opportunities in agriculture, finance, and rural enterprise - creating jobs, enhancing productivity, and ensuring inclusive prosperity across communities.  Chief Guest -, Shri Amit Shah , Hon'ble Home Minister & Minister of Cooperation, Government of India  Guest of Honor -, Shri Bhupendrabhai Patel , Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat  Shri Shankarbhai Lagdhirbhai Chaudhary , Hon'ble Speaker, Gujarat Legislative Assembly  Shri Jitubhai Savjibhai Vaghani , Hon'ble Minister of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Cooperation, Animal Husbandry, Cow Breeding, Fisheries, Government of Gujarat  Shri Jethabhai Ghelabhai Ahir , Hon'ble Deputy Speaker, Gujarat Legislative Assembly	05-Dec-25 0230 PM to 0330 PM Seminar Hall1  Discussion  Potential in Priority Sector Lending in Gujarat  Gujarat's rapidly expanding credit ecosystem presents a major oportunity to accelerate Priority Sector Lending (PSL) and deepen nancial access across agriculture, MSMEs, renewable energy, and areal enterprises. This discussion brings together senior leadership from NABARD, RBI, SBI, Bank of Baroda and the SLBC to examine emerging credit gaps, district-wise lending patterns, and new instruments that can drive inclusive growth. The panel will explore policy priorities, digital frameworks, and collaborative models that can mobilize capital at scale for Gujarat's farmers, cooperatives, and small businesses. By aligning institutional strategies with grassroots needs, the session aims to chart a clear oadmap for stronger credit flow and sustainable development in the state.  Mr. B K Singhal , Chief General Manager, NABARD Gujarat Regional Office  Mr. Ashok Parikh , General Manager, Reserve Bank of India Shri Atul Rathi , General Manager, Bank of Baroda griculture Credit     Priority Sector Lending     Financial Inclusion	05-Dec-25 0230 PM to 0310 PM Seminar Hall2  Panel Discussion  Empowering Women Cooperatives through Technology and Finance  Women cooperatives are emerging as powerful engines of rural transformation. This session explores how access to digital tools, inclusive finance, and entrepreneurship support can strengthen women-led cooperatives and self-help collectives. It highlights successful models that integrate fintech, skilling, and community governance - demonstrating how women-led enterprises are driving productivity, social equity, and economic resilience across rural India.  Ms. Sowmya K ☑, Team Leader, PwC  Ms. C Saraswathi ☑, Chief General Manager, NABARD MP Regional Office  Ms. Jigisha Maheta ☑, Managing Director, Sewa Cooperative Federation  Mr. Anand Kumar Bajaj ☑, Founder, MD & CEO, Paynearby  Mr. S S Bhat ☑, CEO, Friends of WWB India  Policy     Digital Empowerment     Inclusive Growth	05-Dec-25 0230 PM to 0330 PM Seminar Hall3  Product Showcase  Startup Showcase - Gandhinagar 2  Showcases by Tam Media Research - Digital AdEx Online PSB Loans (OPL) - ERP Sahay Platform Commons - Farmer-Centric Markets Advick AgVenture - Satellite Powered Services for Precision Farming CIBIL - Grameen Score WhatsLoan - NeoLending Digital Platform for Agri Loans Mr. Rohit Patil , Associate Director, Tam Media Research Mr. Jinand Shah , Managing Director, Online PSB Loans Mr. Prashant Mehra , CEO & Co-Founder, Platform Commons Mr. Nitesh K. Tank , CEO, Advick AgVenture  Ms. Dolly Mishra , Joint Vice President - Market Development, CIBIL Mr. Timmana Gouda. , Founder CEO & MD, WhatsLoan



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Sahakar Sabha - Technology Transformation in Cooperative	PACS 2.0 - PACS as Digital Service Hubs for Members	Bylaws to Firewalls: Implementing Cybersecurity in Co-operatives	Closed room discussion with Agritech and Fintech startups
Banking: Leadership Perspectives			
	Primary Agricultural Credit Societies are shifting from traditional	Cybersecurity has become a frontline priority for India's cooperative	Shri Shaji KV 🗸, Chairman, NABARD
Shri Shaji KV 🔽, Chairman, NABARD	lending units to next-generation digital service hubs supporting the	sector as it digitises rapidly across credit, storage, procurement, and	
	full spectrum of rural needs. PACS 2.0 brings together credit	financial services. This panel brings together technology leaders,	Dr. Ashish Kumar Bhutani 🚺, Secretary, Ministry of Cooperation,
Dr. Ashish Kumar Bhutani V, Secretary, Ministry of Cooperation,	delivery, input access, advisory, market linkages, insurance, and	cooperative institutions, and security practitioners to decode how	Government of India
Government of India	digital payments under a unified technology-led model. This	bylaws, standard operating procedures, and governance structures	
	discussion examines how modern platforms, interoperable digital	can evolve into robust digital safeguards. The discussion explores	
Mr. Pankaj Kumar Bansal 🗸, Additional Secretary, Ministry of	rails, and stronger governance frameworks can help PACS operate	practical frameworks for securing member data, strengthening	
Cooperation, Government of India	with greater efficiency and transparency. The session highlights	authentication, building cyber-resilient operations, and ensuring	
1	actionable approaches that enable PACS to expand their role as	compliance with emerging national guidelines. The session will	
Mr. Ramji Chavda 🗸, General Manager (IT), Gujarat StCB	community-level digital centres driving income growth, service	highlight real-world strategies that cooperatives can adopt to move	
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Shri Vamsi Krishna 🚺, IT Officer, Telangana StCB	uccess, and ratal economic paracepacion	protecting rural digital ecosystems.	
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Mr. Dinesh Kumar B 🗸, General Manager (IT), Andhra Pradesh	Mr. Syed Tarique Alam 🗸, Co-founder & CEO, Dvara E-Registry	Mr. Rahul Jain , Vice President Business Development USA	
StCB		Europe and Middle East, RapidData Technologies	
	Rural Credit     Farmer Services     Digital Platforms		
Mr. Amol Ranthambe 🔽, AGM, Maharashtra StCB		Cooperatives     Cyber Resilience     Digital Governance	
Mr. Mayur Aher 🚺, SOC Lead, Maharashtra StCB			
Cooperatives     Digital Transformation     Market Access			
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Mr. R Sankar 🗸, CEO - Sahakar Sarathi (SSPL), NABARD	Mr. Indunath Chaudhary 🗸, Co-founder & COO, BRISKPE	IVII. D'AYKIII CICAGO M, CEO, GO P'AYITICHIS	
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Mr. Manikumar S , Chief General Manager - Strategic Planning			
and Product Innovation Department (SPPID), NABARD			



December 5th and 6th 2025, Mahatma Mandir - Gandhinagar			
	05-Dec-25 0445 PM to 0525 PM Seminar Hall1  Panel Discussion  Accelerating FPOs and PACS: Success Stories, Models, and Roadmaps  Farmer Producer Organisations (FPOs) and Primary Agricultural Credit Societies (PACS) are central to strengthening rural value chains, expanding financial access, and improving market participation. This discussion brings together leaders from finance, cooperatives, and agribusiness to explore high-impact models that have delivered measurable outcomes on the ground. The session highlights successful approaches to scaling FPOs, modernising PACS, improving governance, building digital capabilities, and enabling stronger linkages with markets, banks, and input ecosystems. Participants will outline clear roadmaps that can guide states, institutions, and community organisations in accelerating growth across India's producer and cooperative networks.  Mr. Pranav Khattri , Project Leader, BCG  Ms. Rashmi Darad , Chief General Manager, NABARD  Mr. Dinesh Kumar B , General Manager (IT), Andhra Pradesh StCB  Mr. Vikram Borade , COO, Syngenta Foundation India  PACS Transformation   Agriculture Value Chains   Farmer Collectives		



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06-Dec-25 1030 AM to 1100 AM Seminar Hall1 Presentation

Seaweed Development In The Coastal Areas Of Gujarat

Shri Shaji KV , Chairman, NABARD

Mr. B K Singhal , Chief General Manager, NABARD Gujarat Regional Office

Dr. Kirit Shelat , IAS (Retd.)

Mr. Satish Chhaya , Secretary, NCCSD

06-Dec-25 1105 AM to 1145 AM Seminar Hall2 Panel Discussion

Public-Private Partnerships for Rural Tech Transformation

Collaborative action between government, industry, and development partners is key to scaling rural innovation. This session explores how public—private partnerships (PPPs) are advancing digital infrastructure, skilling, and technology adoption across agriculture, health, and commerce. It highlights successful models that align policy priorities with entrepreneurial agility - showcasing how cross-sector collaboration can accelerate inclusive, tech-led rural growth and unlock new investment opportunities.

Mr. Pranav Khattri 🗸, Project Leader, BCG

Mr. Birju R Patel 🗸, COO & Director, PropLegit Global

Mr. Devashish Sharma , Vice President - Products & Engineering and Country Head - IDC, RightData

Mr. Manthan Soni V, Senior Vice President (GIS), Amnex Infotechnologies

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06-Dec-25 0200 PM to 0300 PM Seminar Hall3 Product Showcase

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Showcases by RightData - Data & AI Solutions ScaNxt - BhuParikshak

PropLegit - RBI - Aligned Property Intelligence for Rural Lending
Pro B Products - Machinery in the Modern Food Industry
Modern Village Foundation - Autonomous Ground Vehicle (AGV) for Precision
Agriculture

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Mr. Birju R Patel V, COO & Director, PropLegit Global

Mr. Nagaraja H R 🚺, Founder, Pro B Products

Mr. Rajat Vardhan 🗸, Founder & CEO, ScaNxt

Mr. Varun Agrawal , Co-founder and COO, Modern Village Foundation

Mr. Manish Ghosal V, Vice President & Head of Products, Recordent



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Green Tech & Circular Economy: Rural Innovation for Climate Resilience	5G for Rural Innovation: Connectivity, IoT, and Smart Villages	Investment Pitches - Round2
Circular economy models are redefining sustainability in agriculture. This panel examines technologies for water recycling, bio-based fertilizers, low-carbon processing, and renewable energy integration - highlighting how rural enterprises can transition from resource dependence to regenerative growth.  Mr. Vivek Adhia , Global Climate Expert	Next-generation connectivity is unlocking unprecedented opportunities for rural transformation. This session explores how 5G and IoT are enabling digital agriculture, smart utilities, remote healthcare, and connected governance in India's villages. Experts discuss how advanced networks, cloud platforms, and local innovation hubs are converging to bridge infrastructure gaps, empower entrepreneurs, and build the foundation for resilient, tech-enabled rural communities.	Investment Pitches
Dr. Kirit Shelat 🚺, IAS (Retd.)	Mr. Bhavesh Shah 🗸, Trainer, Coach and Former Assistant Editor, DNA	
Mr. Mahesh Kokalaki 🗸, Founder & CEO, Climate Capital Market	Mr. Bharat Patil 🗸, Director, PwC	
Mr. Nitin Tailor 🚺, Founder & CEO, Serve Happiness Foundation	Mr. Kartikeya Sarabhai 🗸, Padmashree Awardee	
Mr. Pinakin Thaker 🚺, Founder, Saptarshi Academy	Mr. Jobin Jacob 🗸, Head, SatSure	
Mr. Shrikant S. Kalamkar 🗸, Director General, Agro-Economic Research Centre	Mr. Tejas Vaghela 🚺, Senior Director & CTO, System Level Solutions (SLS)	
Farming & Agri    Circular Economy    Sustainable Agriculture	Policy     Smart Villages     Infra	
06-Dec-25 1145 AM to 1215 PM Seminar Hall1 Fireside Chat  The Cooperative Advantage: Building Sustainable Rural Economies  Cooperatives remain at the heart of India's rural transformation journey. This conversation explores how modern governance, technology adoption, and value-chain integration are redefining the cooperative movement. It examines how cooperatives can evolve into competitive, innovation-led enterprises that create sustainable livelihoods, strengthen	06-Dec-25 1230 PM to 0100 PM Seminar Hall2 Panel Discussion  Agritech, Fintech and Cooperatives  Dr. Rakesh Arrawatia ✓, Dean, School of Cooperative Banking and Finance, Tribhuvan Sahkari University  Mr. Vimal Panjwani ✓, Founder & CEO, Agrivijay	
community ownership, and accelerate inclusive rural growth across sectors such as dairy, agriculture, finance, and crafts.	Mr. Vikas Bhatt ™, Managing Director, Nabventures	
Ms. Jumana Shah 🗸, Senior Associate Editor, India Today		
Shri Shaji KV 🗸, Chairman, NABARD		
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06-Dec-25 1220 PM to 0100 PM Seminar Hall1 Panel Discussion

Agri 5.0: AI, Robotics & Data for Farm Productivity

Smart farming now goes beyond yield to resilience. The session explores how AI-driven irrigation planning, soil diagnostics, and precision robotics are reshaping farm productivity. Experts discuss sensor-based fertigation, adaptive cropping, and the emerging data economy transforming India's farmlands.

Mr. Aamol Komar Chaudhary , Partner - Technology Enablement for Financial Services, KPMG

Mr. Goverdhan Singh Rawat 🗸, Deputy Managing Director, NABARD

Dr. Alok B Mukherjee , Director – Research, LeadsConnect

Mr. Shubham Arora V, Head - Sales and Business Development, Sarvam

Mr. Sujit Uttara Janardanan , CMO, Neysa Networks

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06-Dec-25 0200 PM to 0240 PM Seminar Hall2 Panel Discussion

Building India's Rural Tech Stack: Integrating DPI for Agri, Health & Finance

A unified digital infrastructure is redefining how rural India accesses essential services. This session explores the convergence of digital public infrastructure across agriculture, health, and finance - enabling data portability, interoperability, and inclusion at the last mile. Experts discuss how open networks, secure identity systems, and shared data frameworks are creating an integrated digital ecosystem that empowers citizens, enhances service delivery, and accelerates rural transformation.

Mr. Pranav Jain V, Director, KPMG

Mr. Akash Bhavsar 🗸, Founder, WaterQuest Hydroresources

Mr. Bharat Chandra Sahoo 🗸, Deputy General Manager, Berhampur Cooperative Central Bank

Mr. Ravindra Misra , Chief Product Officer, Online PSB Loans

Mr. Ranjeet Gautam , MD & CEO, BankBenchers (Fintech Brand of 24X7 Moneyworks Consulting)

Mr. Vivek Kothari 🗸, Vice President, Jai Kisan

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Rural Startups & DeepTech: The Next Frontier

A new wave of innovation is emerging from India's rural landscape, powered by startups leveraging deep technologies to solve complex challenges in agriculture, logistics, health, and finance. This session explores how AI, IoT, robotics, and satellite data are enabling It highlights the evolving startup ecosystem that is redefining entrepreneurship and transforming India's rural economy.

Dheeraj Bhojwani V, Vice President, IIMA Ventures

Mr. Balaji Lakshmanan , Co-Founder & CEO, Dvara E-Dairy

Mr. Omkar Singh , Founder, DelyFresh Farm Tech

Mr. Pratik Shailesh Mehta V, Vice President (Program Management), Amnex Infotechnologies

Mr. Yash Padhiyar , CEO, SDAU, RBIC

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06-Dec-25 0245 PM to 0325 PM Seminar Hall1 Panel Discussion

Agri Data Exchange: Empowering FPOs Through Information

Data is emerging as the new infrastructure for FPOs. This session highlights how integrated Agri Data Exchanges are driving better price discovery, transparent procurement, and equitable distribution. Experts discuss open APIs, real-time market data, and digital platforms that enable smallholder farmers to make informed pricing decisions.

Ms. Aparna Bijapurkar 🗸, Managing Director and Partner, BCG

Dr. Ajay Kumar Sood 🗸, Deputy Managing Director, NABARD

Shri Anand Mohan Tiwari, IAS V, Chairman, Shroffs Foundation Trust

Dr. Rakesh Arrawatia V, Dean, School of Cooperative Banking and Finance, Tribhuvan Sahkari University

Dr. Sukhpal Singh , Professor, IIM - Ahmedabad

Mr. Sandeep Kondaji V, Founder & CEO, Krishitantra

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Digital MSMEs: Building Rural Enterprises for the New Economy

Digital transformation is redefining the future of small enterprises in rural India. This session explores how MSMEs are leveraging digital tools, fintech platforms, and e-commerce ecosystems to enhance productivity, market access, and competitiveness. It scalable rural solutions, supported by incubators, investors, and digital public infrastructure. highlights the role of government initiatives, financial institutions, and technology providers in enabling a new generation of digitally empowered rural entrepreneurs driving employment and inclusive economic growth.

Mr. Timmana Gouda , Founder CEO & MD, WhatsLoan

Mr. Enosh Nikhil V, Vice President, Recordent

Mr. Karthikraj Kamalarajan 🗸, Vice President & Head - Sales, Emerging Business, CRIF INDIA

Dr. Suman Kumar Das 🗸, Assistant Professor, Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India (EDII)

Mr. Vasu Sattenapalli , CEO & Chief Architect, RightData

Mr. Vinish Kumar Chawla V, Zonal Head, Punjab National Bank

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06-Dec-25 0340 PM to 0440 PM Seminar Hall2 Hackathon

Hackathon Regional Finals

Showcases rural transformation by convening policymakers, innovators, investors, and cooperatives around sustainable growth solutions.

Hackathon



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Rural Bioeconomy: Converting Waste to Wealth through Innovation

The transition to a circular and bio-based economy offers vast opportunities for rural India.

This session explores how innovations in biomass utilization, agri-waste processing, renewable energy, and carbon markets are creating sustainable income streams for rural communities. Discussions focus on scalable technologies, cooperative models, and policy frameworks that convert waste into value-added products - driving climate action, resource efficiency, and green enterprise growth across rural sectors.

Mr. Sanjoy Ghosh 🗸, Chief General Manager, NABARD

Mr. Anmol Gupta 🚺, Founder, Biofield Power

Mr. Deepak Pareek V, Founder, HnyB Tech-Incubations

Mr. Manish Dabkara , Chairman & MD, EKI Energy Services (Carbon Credit Platform, Indore)

Mr. Pratik Gauri , Founder & CEO, 5ireChain (Green Blockchain for Circular Economy)

Ms. Pranjuli Garg 🗸, Co-founder, ProMeat

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