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# 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Global Financial and Business Environment (ICGFBE 2025)



12-13 December 2025



NDIM, New Delhi, India

Dear Academicians/Scholars,

We are delighted to announce the **Sixth Edition of the International Conference on Global Financial and Business Environment (ICGFBE 2025)**, which will be held on **December 12–13, 2025**. This year's theme, **"Finance and Business on ESG for Sustainability,"** reflects the growing urgency to integrate environmental, social, and governance (ESG) principles into mainstream financial and business strategies. Organized by New Delhi Institute of Management (NDIM), ICGFBE 2025 aspires to bring together **leading academicians, policymakers, industry professionals, researchers, and doctoral scholars** from around the globe to deliberate on the dynamic and evolving global business and financial environment. Furthermore, we have associated with some indexed journals (ABDC/Scopus/WoS/ABS) to extend publication opportunities to the authors subject to positive peer review processes. We encourage you to submit high-quality papers to this conference and make the most of this opportunity. The primary objective of the Sixth Edition of ICGFBE 2025 is to provide a platform for global participants to share their ideas and experiences in person with peers joining from different parts of the world. In addition, this gathering will help the delegates to establish research or business relations as well as to find international linkage for future collaborations in their career path.

We hope that **ICGFBE2025** outcome will lead to significant contributions to the knowledge base in these up-to-date scientific fields in scope. Global markets are changing rapidly and are becoming more interdependent in all its aspects. This interdependence of the markets and the pace of changes that are taking place globally requires engagement with the global community of experts.

Similarly, the corporate reliance and dependence on global financial markets in the emerging economies have increased significantly in view of the cost and risk consciousness of variety of financial products and financing options available in the markets. The challenges too are manifold in terms of regulatory aspects, expanded opportunities and changing role of financial institutions. With the rapid development in business and technology, enterprises are now facing escalating competitions and vague opportunities. The capital markets across the globe have gone under radical changes and received much focus since the financial crisis in 2008. In the recent times the commodity markets and other derivatives such as carbon emissions and the crypto currency markets have also emerged and are being traded globally. Recently, global markets have experienced unprecedented volatility.

The vitality of the markets is crucial for sustainable economic growth and efficient allocation of scarce resources. The relevance of this conference has increased many fold because of the Covid, the valuation of companies and financial assets is a great concern for all of us. Other fields within the social sciences are also undergoing significant transformations.

## Theme Rationale:

The integration of ESG factors in financial and business decision-making has become a global imperative. In the wake of climate change, social inequality, and corporate accountability demands, sustainability is no longer a choice but a necessity. The conference will focus on the interplay between:

- Financial innovation and ESG compliance
- Sustainable development goals (SDGs) and corporate governance
- Technology, AI, and digital transformation in sustainable finance
- Global regulatory challenges and opportunities
- Post-pandemic financial resilience
- Geopolitical conflicts and their impact on global markets
- Sustainable Marketing and Responsible Consumer Engagement
- Reshaping Human Capital for Responsible Business Futures
- Sustainability in Business Operations and Supply Chains

This conference is especially relevant in the post-COVID era, which has exposed vulnerabilities in global economies, supply chains, and capital markets. Emerging issues such as the Russia–Ukraine conflict, increasing interest rates by central banks, and growing inflationary pressures have created uncertainties that require renewed academic and policy attention.

## Key Highlights:

- **Renowned International Speakers:** Eminent scholars, policymakers, and industry leaders from globally reputed institutions have agreed to be keynote and plenary speakers. These include authors of landmark research in sustainable finance, pioneers in ESG integration, and influencers in global policy-making. Their insights will offer deep intellectual value and practical perspectives to all participants.
- **Expert Panel Discussions & Workshops:** Panels will cover emerging themes such as:
  - ♦ Climate Finance and Green Bonds
  - ♦ Corporate ESG Reporting & Disclosure
  - ♦ Blockchain & Fintech in ESG
  - ♦ Carbon Trading and Global Emissions Markets
  - ♦ Crisis Management and Business Continuity Post-COVID
- **Networking & Collaboration Opportunities:** Meet and connect with peers from across continents, enabling academic and business partnerships, joint research proposals, student exchange initiatives, and cross-border funding opportunities.

## Call for Papers:

We invite original research papers, case studies, conceptual papers, and policy reviews from the following areas (but not limited to):

- Finance, Accounting, and Banking
- ESG and Sustainable Investing
- Business Ethics and Corporate Governance
- International Trade and Economics
- Fintech and Digital Innovation
- Global Financial Markets and Risk
- Climate Change and Development Policy
- Social Entrepreneurship and Impact Investment
- Foreign Currency Issues - Monetary Economics
- Global Financial Crises, Imbalances, SRI, CSR
- Interest-Free Banking/ Islamic Finance/ Banking
- IPOs/SEOS/Stock buy backs/Privatization
- Market Behaviour Efficiency/Inefficiency
- Mergers and Acquisitions/Corporate and State SWFs
- Trump Tarriff War and global economy
- Green Marketing Strategies for Sustainable Growth
- Consumer Behavior and the Shift Toward Conscious Choices
- Digital Platforms, Social Media, and Influencer Roles in Sustainability
- Corporate Communication and Transparent Sustainability Reporting
- Sustainable Workplaces through Green HRM
- Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion as Drivers of Resilient Growth
- Employee Engagement for Corporate Sustainability
- Future-Ready Skills for a Green and Digital Economy
- Circular and Sustainable Operations
- Responsible and Ethical Supply Networks
- Green and Transparent Logistics
- Technology for Sustainable Operations
- Business model innovation for sustainability
- Public–private partnerships for sustainable development
- Tourism, culture, and sustainable development
- Social innovation and impact enterprises
- Digital Innovation for Environmental Sustainability

Probable outcome is robust discussions on the relevant issues, and the presentations will be published in the conference proceedings. Some of the papers presented at the conference will be published in the various reputed journals of UGC care List, Scopus and ABDC listings represented at the conference.



## Need for this conference:

With the rapidly changing global environment there is a need for these robust discussions on these issues. India has been lagging in academic debate and international conferences and with its emerging position in the global economic environment Indian institutions are in a unique position to host conferences of this nature. It is also our civic and academic responsibility to host such gatherings to further the cause of research.

## About New Delhi Institute of Management:

NDIM, established in 1992, has been recognized as the “Best Management Institute of India” for ‘Industry Linkages’ three years in a row - 2017, 2018, and 2019. This recognition was given by the AICTE and CII after nationwide surveys of all AICTE approved technical and higher education institutions across India under 19 parameters. NDIM is the 1st and the only “Mentor Institute” in India in the Management category, recognized by the AICTE and CII. NDIM is one of the only 6 MBA Schools of India accorded 6 years of Accreditation by NBA, Govt. of India, for its PGDM program.

NDIM declared Number 1 in India for ‘Excellence in Employability through Industry Engagement’ in 2021. And for ‘Excellence in Creating Employment (Private)’ in India in 2024 by FICCI. Declared Best for 6 years by ASSOCHAM in North India/ for Placements. The institute offers an AICTE-approved, nationally and internationally accredited PGDM, which has been declared MBA equivalent by the AIU and AICTE in 8 Futuristic Dual Specializations: AI-ML & Data Science, Digital Marketing, Operations & SCM, HR, Marketing, Finance, Treasury & Investment Management and Financial Analytics, International Business. NDIM is also among the few institutions approved by the AICTE for PGDM in Entrepreneurship-Innovation & Venture Development.

NDIM has received several accolades, including being rated among the best MBA schools of India by KPMG and PwC. The institute is Internationally Accredited by ASIC, U.K. since 2014 as a Premier B-School with 80+ faculty members drawn from more than 332 industrial houses and 34 international universities. Its distinguished Board comprises 7 Padma Bhushan and Padma Shri awardees, presidents of various industry associations and DGs/Secretary Generals of reputed organizations. The board also includes former Judges of the Supreme Court, chief secretaries/secretaries govt. of India, including the chief election commissioner of India and secretary/ principal secretary and advisor to the Prime Ministers of India.

## Paper Presentations:

- Offline Presentation
- Virtual Presentation

## Best Paper Award:

- Each track will have a best paper award of Rs. 5000/- which will be announced after the conference.





## Why Attend ICGFBE 2025?

- 1. Global Thought Leadership:** Engage with some of the most respected names in the field of sustainable finance and global business.
- 2. Cross-disciplinary Exchange:** Interact with professionals from economics, business, policy, environment, and technology backgrounds.
- 3. High-Impact Learning:** Gain insights into navigating today's challenges ranging from financial instability to ESG reporting compliance.
- 4. Career and Research Enhancement:** Build valuable academic and industry connections, enhance your publication profile, and discover collaborative opportunities.
- 5. Policy & Practice Dialogue:** Shape future financial policies and business models that address sustainability and equity.

## Global Context:

The post-pandemic era, combined with rising geopolitical tensions and rapid digitalization, has reshaped global markets. New and unconventional financial instruments such as crypto-assets, carbon credits, and ESG-linked securities are gaining traction. Meanwhile, regulators and central banks across the world are struggling to strike a balance between market liberalization and financial prudence. At this crucial juncture, the role of academia and policy research is more critical than ever. ICGFBE 2025 aims to serve as a think tank for dialogue, innovation, and actionable research that can guide corporate strategy and public policy for a sustainable future.

## Important Dates:

1. Deadline for early bird discount	:	October 25, 2025
2. Deadline for submitting abstract	:	October 25, 2025
3. Deadline for submitting papers	:	November 15, 2025
4. Notification of Acceptance	:	Within 7 days after Submission
5. Last date of Registration	:	December 05, 2025
6. Conference Dates	:	December 12-13, 2025
Paper submission	:	Email: <a href="mailto:Conferences@ndimdelhi.org">Conferences@ndimdelhi.org</a>

## Publication Opportunities:

To ensure wide dissemination and academic recognition, selected papers will be considered for publication in partnered indexed journals subject to peer review. Journals include:

- ABDC-listed Journals
- Scopus-indexed Journals
- Web of Science (WoS)
- ABS (UK) Journals
- ISBN Edited Conference Proceedings Scopus Indexed

*Authors will be notified of the review status post-conference, and editorial support may be provided for selected submissions. The abstract of conference papers will be published in the Conference Booklet. Conference Management Committee has made arrangements with a number of high quality global journals to provide conference attendees with publication opportunities and discussions with the Editors are on going. Participants will be notified as and when the discussions and corresponding arrangements are finalized. The college has signed MOU with Virtus Intersperses which has 4 Scopus-indexed journals:*

- *Journal of Governance and Regulation*
- *Corporate Governance and Organizational Behavior Review*
- *Corporate & Business Strategy Review*
- *Corporate Law & Governance Review*
- *Journal of Corporate Finance*
- *Journal of Business Research*
- *Journal of World Business*
- *International Marketing Management*
- *Journal of Destination Marketing and Management*
- *Scandinavian Journal of Management*
- *Journal of Banking and Finance*
- *Journal of Business Research*
- *Financial Planning Research Journal*
- *Asian Journal of Economics and Banking*

## Process:

After submission, the conference team will review each paper and communicate the decision regarding acceptance for presentation. Following the conference, papers will undergo a second round of review by the publication team. Authors will then be notified about the status of their submissions and any required revisions. Once the suggested changes are incorporated, authors should submit the revised manuscript directly to the respective journal and share the submission details with us via email.

Authors are requested to include an acknowledgment stating: "This paper was presented at the NDIM International Conference ICGFBE 2025."

In addition, all papers will be included in the conference proceedings with an ISBN, in case they are not selected for journal publication. Selected papers will also be published in an edited book with an ISBN, issued by a reputed publisher.

**About Earlier Conferences:** During ICGFBE 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, and 2024, we received more than 850 paper submissions despite the challenges posed by COVID-19 and other constraints. The submitted papers were peer-reviewed, and many were subsequently published in reputed journals indexed in Scopus, UGC-CARE, WoS, and ABDC listings. Papers that were not selected for journal publication were included in the Conference Proceedings with an ISBN.

## Participation Fee:

Participants	Research Scholars/Students	Academicians	Industry	Non-Presenting Authors
India & SAARC Countries	INR 1,500	INR 3,000	INR 5,000	INR 500
Other Foreign Countries	USD 100	USD 150	USD 250	USD 50

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- Conference web page:
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- The actual manuscript should commence from the second page containing the title followed by the abstract, keywords and the main manuscript. The manuscript should have an introduction, literature review, objectives, research gaps, methodology, results and discussion, limitations/scope for future work, conclusion, references
- The abstract, followed by relevant keywords should not be more than 250 words and should adequately describe the work and highlight its significance. The abstract should only include text. Avoid the use of abbreviations and references in the abstract
- The manuscript should not be more than 8 pages including tables, figures, and appendix given at the end. Headings and subheadings must be short and not numbered. The primary heading should be in capitalized form (upper case), and bold face. The sub-headings should be in title-case capitalization (first letter of each word in capital) and in bold. Table should be numbered consecutively. The title of the table should be placed above the table. The source should be indicated at the bottom
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