

Sept 16, 2020: Wi-Fi NOW Special Event: 6 GHz for India

Final event program [times are approximate and IST]

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Part 1: 6 GHz Wi-Fi Vision & Impact

- 10:00-10:05 **Welcome to 6 GHz Wi-Fi for India 2020 Special Event**
Claus Hetting, CEO & Chairman, Wi-Fi NOW
- 10:05-10:20 **Opportunities & challenges for 6 GHz in India**
Bharat Bhatia, President, ITU-APT
- 10:20-10:35 **Devices & new networking technology - from Intel**
Eric McLaughlin, VP Client Computing Group, Intel
- 10:35-10:50 **India's 6 GHz future - remarks by BIF**
TV Ramachandran, President, Broadband India Forum
- 10:50-11:05 **A vision for 6 GHz Wi-Fi in India**
Mark Krischer, Principal Wireless Architect, Cisco
- 11:05-11:20 **Transformational performance of 6 GHz Wi-Fi**
Vijay Nagarajan, VP Mobile Connectivity Division, Broadcom

Part 2: Regulation: India & the world

- 11:20-11:35 **6 GHz Wi-Fi: Role & view of DoT**
UK Srivastava, Sr Deputy Director General & Head of TEC at DoT India
- 11:35-11:50 **Role of 6 GHz WiFi in Broadband access and Rural Connectivity in India**
Professor Abhay Karandikar, Director Indian Institute of Technology / TRAI
- 11:50-12:05 **Studies on co-existence**
Alan Norman, Public Policy Director, Facebook

Short lunch / refreshment break - 10 minutes

- 12:15-12:30 **Ofcom enabling new use cases and answering growing Wi-Fi demand**
Heli Frosterus, Spectrum Policy Principal, Ofcom
- 12:30 -12:45 **Status of 6 GHz spectrum in India**
MPS Alava, Senior Deputy Wireless Advisor, DoT / WPC
- 12:45-13:00 **Indian Wi-Fi market overview & impact of 6 GHz**
Dileep Nadimpalli, Research Manager, IDC

Part 3: The road ahead

- 13:00 -13:15 **6 GHz Wi-Fi for India - a Qualcomm vision**
Ganesh Swaminathan, Senior Director PM, Qualcomm
- 13:15-13:30 **The service provider view of 6 GHz Wi-Fi**
Stanly William, VP Planning & Engineering, Reliance Jio Infocomm
- 13:45 -14:00 **The role of TSDSI in the regulatory process (fireside)**
Pamela Kumar, Director-General, TSDSI
- 14:00-14:10 **Wrap-up & thanks - with Claus Hetting**



Wi-Fi NOW MANIFESTO



Wi-Fi EVERYWHERE, FOR EVERYONE

Wi-Fi is the connecting fabric of the Internet economy. We think Wi-Fi should be available everywhere, for everyone. That's our mission and our goal.

DIVERGENCE, NOT CONVERGENCE

All markets naturally diverge, and wireless is no different. Divergence produces diversity. So what does convergence produce? It produces uniformity, of course. We prefer diversity.

SPECTRUM SHOULD BE SHARED. AND SHARED FAIRLY

Spectrum sharing works. More spectrum must be made available for sharing because sharing creates opportunities & growth. When spectrum is shared, everyone should play by the same rules.

OPPORTUNITY IS EVERY- WHERE. JUST KEEP LOOKING

There is never a shortage of opportunities in tech and Wi-Fi produces some of the world's most promising projects and sources of disruption.

EXCELLENCE IS NOT OPTIONAL. IT'S REQUIRED

We strive to achieve highest standards no matter what we do. We help you to do the same. The Wi-Fi industry needs excellence to continue to grow.

Wi-Fi IS THRIVING. GET INVOLVED NOW

The time to get involved in Wi-Fi is now because Wi-Fi is a growth industry. Wi-Fi is only going to get more exciting, more ubiquitous, and more pervasive in coming years.

YES PLEASE: MORE UNLICENSED SPECTRUM

The world's airwaves ultimately belong to humanity, not to companies. Unlicensed means that anyone with a great idea has a real chance to build great new wireless products & services.

INVENTION IS KING. AND IT'S THE FIX TO (NEARLY) EVERYTHING

Whenever there's a problem to be solved, inventors and innovators get to work. This is especially true in the world of Wi-Fi. Invention is the fix to (nearly) every problem.

KNOWLEDGE GETS YOU TO YOUR GOAL

We share knowledge and inspiration for the benefit of all the great Wi-Fi people and companies of the world. We want to see you achieve your goals.

COMMUNITIES ARE IMPORTANT. SO IS LEADERSHIP

Wi-Fi NOW is a community. Great things can be achieved when people get together and work towards a common goal. Our goal is Wi-Fi everywhere, for everyone. If you want that too, you've come to the right community.

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