



## Program Schedule

### Webinar on Technology Aspects of Remote Voting: Exploring Blockchain

S No.	Panel	Name of the Speaker	Country	Time Zone	Moderator	Time
1	Introduction and presentation on present day voting process and remote voting imperative and challenges	Ashish Kundra, Dy Election Commissioner, ECI, Satyabrata Sahoo, Chief Electoral Officer Tamil Nadu	India	IST		2:30 – 2:45 PM
2	Blockchain applications & experiences from India and around the world	Monique Bachner, Member, International Association for Trusted Blockchain Applications	Luxemborg	IST - 3:30	Aliya Das Gupta	2:50 - 3: 50 PM
3		Gustav Poola, CEO, Levercode (Blockchain e-Governance Firm)	Estonia	IST - 2:30		
4		Santosh K Misra, Commissioner of e-Governance and CEO, TNeGA	India	IST		
5		Jayesh Ranjan, IT Secretary, Telangana	India	IST		
6		Aliya Das Gupta, Head of Research, iOV 42 (Blockchain Platform)	Switzerland	IST - 3:30		
7		Richard 'Gendal' Brown, CTO, R3 (Global Blockchain Consortium)*	UK	IST - 4:30		
8		Process management and scalability of blockchain applications	Marta Piekarska-Geater, Director of Ecosystem, Hyperledger (Blockchain Consortium)	UK		
9	Jitan S Chandnani, Blockchain Engagement Leader, IBM		India	IST		

10	Process management and scalability of blockchain applications	Rajesh Dhuddu, Business Head – Cybersecurity, Tech Mahindra	India	IST	Muthuprakash Ravindran	3:55 – 4:55 PM
11		Pandurang Kamat, CTO, Persistent Systems	India	IST		
12		Muthuprakash Ravindran, CTO, Rapidqube (Blockchain Startup)	India	IST		
13		Prof NS Narayanswamy, Professor, IIT Madras *	India	IST		
14	Data privacy and regulatory concerns of blockchain enabled remote voting	Dr Pavan Duggal, Advocate, Cyber Law and E-commerce	India	IST	Suryaprakash BS	5:00 - 6:00PM
15		Trilochan Sastry, Chairman, Association for Democratic Reforms	India	IST		
16		Nappinai NS, Founder Cyber Saathi and Advocate, Supreme Court	India	IST		
17		Suryaprakash BS, Fellow and Program Director, DAKSH	India	IST		
18		Tanvi Ratna, Policy 4.0	India	IST		
19		VN Shukla, Consultant, Election Commission of India	India	IST		
20	Welcome of the Keynote Speakers and a brief overview of the conference	Santosh K Misra, CEO, Tamil Nadu e-Governance Agency, GoTN	India	IST		6:05 – 6:10 PM
21	Keynote Address	Chief Election Commissioner *	India	IST		6:10 PM- 6:20 PM
22		Prof K VijayRaghavan, Principal Scientific Adviser to Gol *	India	IST		6:20 - 6:30 PM
23	Keynote Address	Sandra Ro, Global Blockchain Council	US	IST - 12:30		6:30 - 6:40 PM
24		Umesh Sinha, Secretary General, ECI	India	IST		6:40 - 6:50 PM

25	Data management and Security on Blockchain	Abhishek Singh, CEO, MyGov and NeGD	India	IST	Abhishek Singh	6:55 - 7:55 PM
26		Carlos Kuchkovsky, CTO and R&D Officer - New Digital Business, BBVA (Global Bank)	Spain	IST - 3:30		
27		Dr C Mohan, Ex-IBM Almaden Fellow	US	IST - 12:30		
28		Prof Abhay Karandikar, Director IITK	India	IST		
29		Dr Sanjay Bahl, DG, CERT.in	India	IST		
30		SVR Srinivas, Pr. Secy (IT), Government of Maharashtra	India	IST		
31	Authentication, verifiability and auditability for a remote voting framework	Ismael Arribas, President at Kunfud, Spanish Chapter Leader, Government Blockchain Association *	Spain	IST - 3:30	Jayavaradhan Sambedu	7:55 - 8:55 PM
32		Ramesh Ramadoss, PhD, President, Co-chair, IEEE Blockchain Initiative Chair, IEEE P2418 Blockchain Standards Working Group	US	IST - 12:30		
33		RS Gopalan, Dy. Director General, UIDAI	India	IST		
34		Jayavaradhan Sambedu, CTO, Curl (Blockchain Startup)	India	IST		
35		Gokul Alex, CTO, Beyond Identity (Blockchain Startup)	India	IST		
36		Pravimal Abhishek, Dy Commissioner – Government of Arunachal Pradesh *	India	IST		
37	Closing Remarks	Ashish Kundra, Deputy Election Commissioner, ECI	India	IST	Confirmed	8:55 - 9:00 PM

\* - TBC. All timings in Indian Standard Time (IST)