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Theme:

Next-Gen Retail: Navigating Disruption and Seizing Opportunities

DAY- 1

16th September 2025

8:30-10:45 Registration

11:00-11:05 Welcome Note By MAPIC India

11:05-11:15 Special Address By Francesco Pupillo, Portfolio Director, MAPIC Cannes

11:15-12:00 Powerhouse Inaugural Session:

Panel Discussion: "The \$2 Trillion Retail Dream: What Will Shape India's Next Growth Decade?"

Moderator: Anuj Puri, Chairman, Anarock Retail

Speakers:

- Bijou Kurien, Chairman, Retailers Association of India (RAI)
- Kavindra Mishra, Managing Director & CEO, Shoppers Stop
- Pramod Arora, Chief Executive Officer - PVRINOX Limited
- Venu Nair, Chief of Strategic Partnerships and Omnichannel, Mynta
- Vikrant Vohra, CEO, PizzaHut India, Sapphire Foods India Pvt Ltd

12:00-12:15 Report Launch by JLL

Presenter: Dr Samantak Das, Head of Research and REIS, India, JLL

12:15-13:00 MAPIC Global Powerhouse: "Global Meets Local: Building Retail Bridges to the India Opportunity"

Moderator: Prateek Misra, Head Retail - Luxury & International Business - JLL, India

Speakers:

- Luca Binci, Development Director, Gruppo Teddy, Italy
- Daniele Carrer, International Franchise Development Manager MEA and APAC, Illycaffè, Dubai
- Pushpa Bector, Senior Executive Director, DLF Retail
- Ajay Bindroo, Managing Partner, Beverly Hills Polo Club
- Vishal Gupta, Chief Executive Officer, Nykaa Distribution (Superstore)
- Pooja Grover, Country Expansion Manager, IKEA India Pvt Ltd

13:00-13:15 Report Launch By Deloitte

Presenter- Anand Ramanathan, Partner and Consumer Industry Leader, Deloitte India

- 13:15-13:45 Capital Currents: Who's Fueling the Future of Indian Retail?"
- Moderator :** Praveen Govindu, Partner, Deloitte
- Speakers:**
- Vikram Gawande, Investor, Blume Ventures
 - Naina Bhardwaj, International Business Advisor, Dezan Shira and Associates
 - Madhuri Sawant, Director - Investments and Legal at IvyCap Ventures
- 13:45-14:45 Networking Lunch Break
- 14:45-15:30 India's Retail Real Estate Powerhouse : Charting the future of Mall & Mixed Used
- Moderator:** Lucio Guerra, Chief Design Officer, Design International, London
- Speakers :**
- Rajneesh Mahajan, CEO, Inorbit Malls
 - Harsh Bansal, Co – Founder, Unity Group and Vegas Mall
 - Abhishek Bansal, Managing Director, Pacific Malls
 - Shibu Philips, Director Malls, Lulu Shopping Malls
- 15:30- 15:45 Presentation By Prestige Group
- Presenter:** Muhammad Ali, CEO, Forum Malls, Prestige Group
- 15:45-16:00 The Big Reveal at MAPIC India: One of its kind, high-energy session where a bold new brand takes center stage— along with some breaking news! Only at MAPIC India.
- Presenter:** Sangeeta Tanwani, CEO, Pantaloons at Aditya Birla Group
- 16:00-16:45 Panel Discussion: “Sky High Retail: Airports as the Next Shopping Superhubs”
- Moderator :** Gautam Saraf, Executive Managing Director – Mumbai & New Business, Cushman & Wakefield
- Speakers:**
- Rajesh Jain, MD & CEO, Lacoste
 - Tanveer Kaur, Distribution and Real estate Lead- South Asia (India, Nepal, Srilanka and Bangladesh), SWAROVSKI
 - Shantanu Chakravartty , CEO, WHSmith India
 - Tarun Arora, Chief Commercial Officer - Non Aero, GMR Airports Ltd.
 - Raghav Verma, Co-Founder, Chaayos
 - Rohan Kichlu, CEO, New Brands, Devyani International Limited
- 15:00-16:00 Roundtable with CACI - The Online Halo Effect: Rethinking the True Value of the Store
Closed Door Roundtable - Room 301
- 16:45-17:30 The POWER Panel: “Retail Titans on What's Next”
- The Headline session of MAPIC India—where vision meets strategy, and disruption meets direction.

Moderator: Pankaj Renjhen, COO & Jt. Managing Director, Anarock Retail

Speakers:

- Sooraj Bhat, Chief Executive Officer - Ethnic Business, Aditya Birla Group
- Ankur Maheshwari, Chairman, Indian Association of Amusement Parks and Industries (IAAPI) and Founder MASTI ZONE
- Devang Sampat, MD, Cinépolis India
- Bipul Chandra, Managing Director, Ducati
- Nandadeep Jayakar, Business Head - Footlocker India Senior Vice President, Metro Brands Ltd.
- Rahul Puri, Managing Director - Mukta Arts Limited

17:00-18:00 Cushman and Wakefield X Roundtable with International Retailers
Closed Door Roundtable - Room 301

17:30- 17:40 Presentation by Welspun One – The Future is Shared Space

Speaker:

- Anshul Singhal, Managing Director, Welspun One

17:40 End of Day 1 Conference

17:30-19:30 Open House Retailers' Meet at Pacific Lounge- Networking over Wine and cheese

19:30 onwards Nexus Malls Retail Celebration event in conference Hall followed by GALA Dinner

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11:00-11:20 Opening Leadership Talk: Voices that Lead Tomorrow

Featuring: Vivek Biyani, Founder, Broadway

Moderator: Nishant Kabra, Head of Capital Markets (West & North India) and India Lead, Retail Capital Markets, JLL

Speakers:

- Vivek Biyani, Founder, Broadway

11:20- 11:50 Candid TALK: Leaders Unplugged: A 3 Point Exchange

Moderator: Gautam Saraf, Executive Managing Director – Mumbai & New Business, Cushman & Wakefield

Speakers:

- Arjun Sharma, Vice Chairman, Nexus Select Trust
- Siddharth Nawal, Principal, Blackstone India
- Jayen Naik, President- Operations, Nexus Select Malls

11:50- 12:30 Panel Discussion: Retail Rising: Capturing the Pulse of India's Fastest-Growing Consumption Markets"

Moderator: Milin Rohinesh (Executive Director & Head Retail – West & Central), Cushman and Wakefield

Speakers:

- Priyanka Gupta, Director of Brands at GKB Opticals
- Samir Srivastav, CEO, Looks Saloon India
- Anupam Bansal , MD, Liberty shoes Ltd
- Tarandeep Singh Sekhon, Chief Business Officer - KidZania India
- Akhil Jain, MD & CEO, Madame
- Mahesh Reddy,CEO. Go pizza
- Avinash Chandani, Partner, Deloitte India

12:00-13:00 Roundtable with Deloitte - Delivering Marketing ROI in the digital world
Close Door Roundtable – Room 301

12:30-13:15 A DTC Debate: Disruptors vs Developers- What's the real Ask?

Moderator: Anand Dutta, Associate Executive Director, CBRE

Speakers:

Developers:

- Ravinder Choudhary, Vice President, Vegas & Unity One Elegante
- Stephen Jude Noah, Portfolio Leasing Head, Forum Malls, Prestige Group
- Rehan Huck, Vice President & Head of Leasing, DLF Shopping Malls
- Rohit Gopalani, Chief Business Officer, Inorbit Mall
- Deepak Zutshi, Cluster Head- Leasing (Senior Vice President), Nexus Group

DTC Brands:

- Karan Singla, COO, The Sleep Company
- Sanjeev Rao, Co-Founder, BOBAKAT
- Utkarsh Gupta, Co-Founder, Comet
- Amar Preet Singh, Co - Founder & COO at Neeman's

13:15- 14:15 Networking Lunch Break

14:15-15:00 Panel: The Business of Running Malls: What Really Works

Moderation: Vineet Gautam, Retail Veteran

Speakers:

- Jayen Naik, President- Operations, Nexus Select Malls
- Mukesh Kumar, CEO, Infiniti Malls & Business Head - New, Businesses, K. Raheja Realty
- Aman Trehan, Executive Director, Trehan IRIS
- Arvind Mayar, CEO, Secure Parking
- Nandani Taneja, CEO, Bhumika Group
- Kunal Sawhney, COO, MovieMax Cinemas

15:00-15:20 Fire Side Chat : From roads to Retail: Highway Retail as the New form of Travel Retail

Moderator: Manish Sankla, Senior Director, Retail Advisory & India Lead - Anchor Brands, JLL

Speaker:

- Sharad Sachdeva, Co-Founder & CEO , Highway Hub
- K Navin Charan, Chief General Manager (Retail-NFR), Indian Oil Corporation Ltd.

15:20-16:00 Retail with a Soul – The South India Growth Story

In this landmark session, the rest of India meets the South.

Moderator : Hemlata Vedula, Partner, Deloitte

Speakers:

- Ramesh Pothys, MD, Pothys

- CK Kumaravel, Founder, Naturals Salon
- Chandu Reddy , Director, Sangeetha Gadgets
- Dinesh Hariharan, CEO, VAANGO (Devyani International)
- Faizal Ahamed, Founder & CEO, Suxus Menswear
- Mehaboob M A, MD, Secura Developers Pvt Ltd

16:00-16:40 Panel Discussion: Designing Destinations: The Architecture of Experience in Modern Malls”

Moderator: Dr Shakti Singh Chauhan, Executive Director, ISS Facility Services India Private Limited

Speakers:

- Jimmy Mistry, CMD and Founder of Della Group
- Rajan Vernekar, Founder, Ravedesign
- Nik Pase , Director, Oval Partnership, Singapore
- Nick Kyriacos, Principal Design Director, Bentel (South Africa)
- Swati Shah, Regional Borderless Director, Asia Pacific & Middle East, Gensler
- Chandershekhar Kaul, MD, Beyond Squarefeet
- Mike Wilson-MacCormack, Executive Director, Benoy

16:40-17:20 “Planet First, Future Forward: India’s Sustainability Stars Take the Stage”

At MAPIC, we believe the future of retail must be both profitable and responsible—and this session reflects our commitment to that vision.

Because at MAPIC India, the last word belongs to the planet.

Moderator: Rajesh Jain, MD &CEO, Lacoste

Speakers:

- Dilip Kapur ,Founder, Hidesign
- Anushka JAIN, FOUNDER, Anushka Jain Jewellery
- Satish Kottakota, CEO, NY Cinemas
- Dr. Naresh Tyagi, Chief Sustainability Officer, Aditya Birla Group
- Deep Dabholkar, Head, Retail Business Development, Bangalore International Airport Limited
- Sachin Agarwal, COO, Nature’s Basket.

17:20-18:00 Panel Discussion: “The Sparkle Strategy: Jewels, Journeys & the New Age Consumer”

Moderator: Sakshi Goel, Associate Executive Director, CBRE

Speakers:

- Pavan Akella, Head of Product, CaratLane - A TATA product
- Ricky Vasandani, CEO and Co-Founder, Solitario Diamonds
- Kiran Shinde, Chief Executive Officer at PMJ Gems & Jewelers Pvt Ltd

- **Dhaval Raja, Chief General Manager, Senco Gold and diamonds**
- **Leshna Shah, Founder, Irasva Fine Jewellery**
- **Pooja Sheth Madhavan, Founder & Managing Director, Limelight Diamonds**

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| 18:00 | End of Conference |
| 18:00-19:00 | Networking Pre Award Cocktail in Exhibition Area |
| 19:00- 19:15 | Fashion Show by Sabhyata |
| 19:15 onwards | Mapic India Retail Awards |