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India International Centre (IIC), New Delhi

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Driving Global Change Through Digital Innovation: An Interview with Prof. Debabrata Das

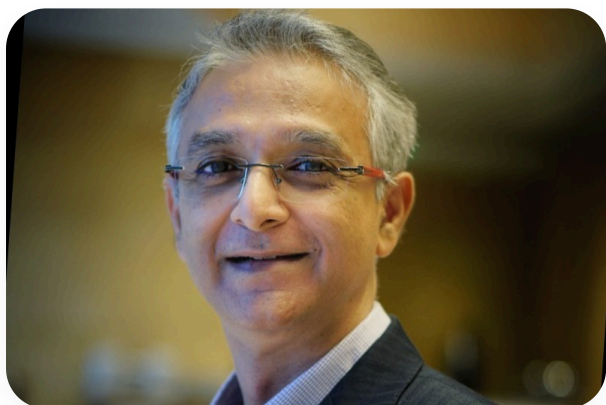
Prof. Debabrata Das, Director, IIIT-Bangalore

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Exclusive Insights



Why CSR Should Fund Systems, Not Just Projects: The Case for an Institutionalised School Feeding System

Mr. Dhananjay Ganjoo, Chief Marketing and Resource Mobilization Officer, The Akshaya Patra Foundation

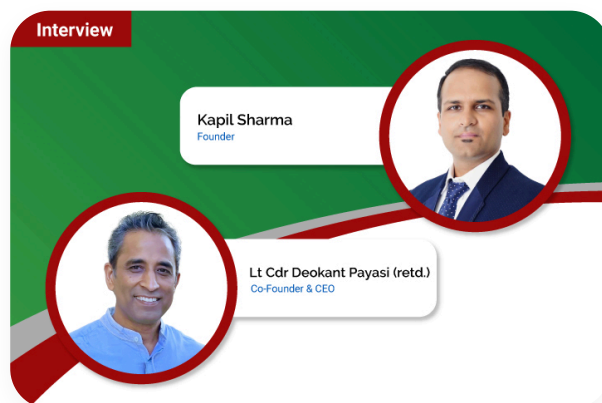
CSR in India is often centred on projects with defined timelines, while many social programmes depend on systems that function over long periods.

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Beyond Tree Counts: How SayTrees Is Redefining CSR-Led Climate Action Through Restoration and Resilience

Mr. Kapil Sharma, Founder and Lt Cdr Deokant Payasi (retd.), Co-Founder & CEO, SayTrees

As climate action increasingly shifts from symbolic gestures to science-backed, long-term solutions,



SayTrees offers a compelling model for how CSR can drive meaningful ecological and social outcomes.

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Diving with Purpose: How PADI Is Shaping Ocean Conservation and Responsible Tourism in India

Mr. Vinod Bondi, Regional Manager, PADI (India and Sri Lanka)

Most people diving in India were international travellers, whose primary focus was observing marine life and enjoying the new dive sites.

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Preparing Engineers for a Digital Future: The TechnoStruct Academy Perspective

Mr. Roy Aniruddha, Founder and Chairman, TechnoStruct Academy

India's construction and infrastructure landscape is undergoing a profound digital acceleration, with BIM, VDC, AI, sustainability, and automation rapidly reshaping how projects are planned and executed.

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Success Story



‘SBI Harshoday’ - A vision to provide a joyful learning ecosystem for rural children

The transformation of Anganwadi Centres in Gorakhpur, supported by SBI Foundation CSR funding through Safe Society, highlights how small, targeted efforts can create meaningful impact.

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Union Budget 2026 – ESG Wishlist

Union Budget 2026 arrives at a decisive juncture, with the compliance carbon market launching in 2026 and 2030 targets.

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The Story of India's Green Comeback

Across India, where the soil has been both generous and exhausted, something steady is taking shape. SankalpTaru Foundation began with a simple idea: that trees could be treated as stories, not numbers.



Futuremakers, WASHE & Seeing is Believing: SCB's CSR Vision with Ms. Karuna Bhatia

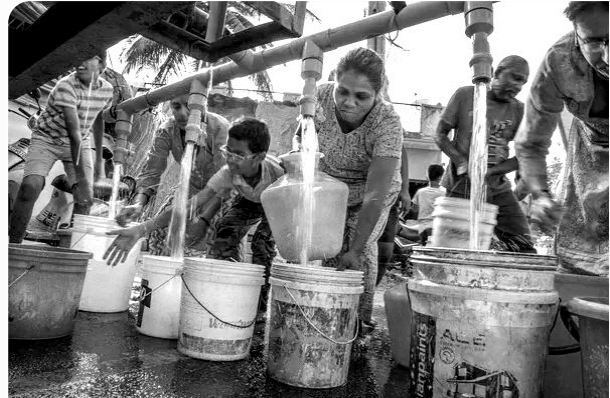
In this inspiring episode of CSR Universe Leaders Talk, we sit down with Ms. Karuna Bhatia, Head of

Opinion & Analysis



More Than a Game: What Sport Gives Girls That Society Often Doesn't

On National Girl Child Day, the conversation around empowering girls rightly focuses on education, safety, health, and access to opportunity.

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