

September 05, 2024

Dear Sir/Madam,

**Half-day seminar on “MSME Connect Bankers and NBFCs”
Thursday, September 19, 2024 from 2:00 p.m. to 5:15 p.m.
Venue: Babubhai Chinai Committee Room (2nd Floor), IMC**

Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) are the backbone of India’s economy, contributing significantly to the country’s Gross Domestic Product (GDP), employment generation and export earnings and the various initiatives and regulatory reforms fostering them are a step in the right direction to ensure that untapped talent, resources, and growth opportunities are brought to the foreground. A few of the initiatives introduced in Budget 2024-25 are being directed towards the MSME sector to build connections between MSMEs and all stakeholders.

In order to have interaction toward taking MSMEs to greater heights, Banking, NBFC and Finance Committee of IMC Chamber of Commerce and Industry is organizing a half-day seminar on “MSME Connect Bankers and NBFCs” as per following details:

Day and Date : Thursday, September 19, 2024

Time : 2:00 pm to 5:15 pm

**Venue : Babubhai Chinai Committee Room (2nd Floor), IMC
IMC Bldg., Churchgate, Mumbai.**

The objective of organising this seminar is to address challenges faced by MSMEs, what are the opportunities available and initiatives introduced by the government in Budget 2024-25 for MSME sector.

The seminar will have the following sessions addressed by eminent experts:

Session – I: Role of Banks and NBFCs in taking MSMEs to the new heights

Session – II: Recent initiatives taken by Government for MEMEs sector

We have invited **Mr. Manoj Mittal**, Chairman and Managing Director, Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) as **Chief Guest** and **Mr. Ateesh Singh**, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Micro Small and Medium Enterprises, Government of India and **Mr. Sandeep Varma**, Chief Executive Officer, Credit Guarantee Fund Trust for Micro and Small Enterprises (CGTMSE) as **Guests of Honour** to address the inaugural session of the Seminar.

The eminent speakers invited to the seminar are:

- **Ms. Zarin Daruwala**, CEO-India, Standard Chartered Bank
- **Mr. Hitendra Dave**, CEO, HSBC
- **Mr. Raul Rebello**, MD and CEO, Mahindra Finance
- **Mr. K V Srinivasan**, Whole time Director & CEO, Profectus Capital Pvt. Ltd.
- **Mr. Shekhar Bhandari**, President, Small and Medium Enterprises, Kotak Mahindra Bank

- **Mr. Ketan Gaikwad**, MD and CEO, Receivable Exchange of India (RXIL)
- **Ms. Harsha Bangari**, Managing Director, EXIM Bank
- **Mr. Nitesh Ranjan**, Executive Director, Union Bank of India
- **Mr. P R Rajagopal**, Executive Director, Bank of India
- **Mr. Manoj Kumar**, General Manager, National Small Industries Corporation (NSIC), Mumbai
- **Mr. Subir Das**, General Manager, ECGC Limited
- **Mr. Vishal Kumar**, Head MSME Business, M1xchange

Kindly note there is **NO PARTICIPATION FEE**. However, **registration is mandatory**.

The final program will be sent to you as soon as it is finalized. In the meantime, register your participation on the following link <https://www.imcnet.org/events-2372>

Should you require help in registration and other details regarding the seminar, please contact: **Ms. Bharati Salunkhe Email : bharati@imcnet.org Tel : 71226706.**

Looking forward to your participation in this important Seminar.

With best regards,

Ajit Mangrulkar
Director General, IMC