



5TH EDITION OF BW FESTIVAL AND AWARDS CELEBRATES FINTECH EXCELLENCE

As India moves towards Viksit Bharat 2047; BW Festival of FinTech 2025 spotlighted innovation; inclusion; and growth through insightful discussions and also celebrated fintech excellence with awards honouring brands and leaders driving meaningful impact.



- 01 Fintech Awards 2025 Winners
- 02 Sanjeev Kumar Gupta of Karnataka Digital Economy Mission
- 03 Praveena Rai of Multi Commodity Exchange of India
- 04 Dr. Vaibhav Joshi of Tableturn Tech, Jaya Vaidhyanathan of BCT Digital, Bertram Dsouza of Protean eGov Technologies, Jaya Janardanan of Krayontek Solutions & Svasti Microfinance and Atrideb Basu of CRIF India.
- 05 Arijit Ray of The Unlock Company, Aakarsh Naidu of Reserve Bank Innovation Hub (RBIH), Shashank Sharma of ScoreMe Solutions, Reena Dayal of QET Council of India (QETCI), Prashanth Ramdas of Khaitan & Co. and Shweta Rajpal Kohli of Startup Policy Forum (SPF) (joined virtually)
- 06 Satish Kumar Sharma of Featherlite
- 07 Ritu Verma of PayGlocal, Hitesh Sachdev of ICICI Bank, Achyuta Ghosh of NASSCOMM, Ruchin Kumar of Futurex and Nirupama Soundararajan of Policy Consensus Centre (joined virtually)
- 08 Sharat Chandra of EmpowerEdge Ventures, Manasi Pandey of HSBC and Raghunath KS of Govt. of Karnataka
- 09 Sneha Walke of The Little Things Co., Arpita Sinha of Cashvisory and Nisary Mahesh of HerMoneyTalks



- 10** Prithwish Sinha of PwC, India; Vinod G. of South Indian Bank; Prasoon Mukherjee of Societe Generale Global Solutions Centre; Sumoth C. of Federal Bank; Subhranshu Mondal of L&T Finance and Dr. Elizabeth Xavier of Bankys
- 11** Akshay Yadava of UIDAI, Timmana Gouda D of WhatsLoan, Abhishek Lahiri of MasterCard, Smita Bhagat of HDFC Bank and Dr. Deepali Pant Joshi, Development Economist & Thought Leader (joined virtually)
- 12** Dr. Annurag Batra of BW Businessworld & exchange4media and Arijit Ray
- 13** Prabal Khanna of Finsall Resources, Suguna Jayaraj of MIC Global, Vijay Rajagopal of AWS, Yogish Shenoy of Sapiens, Srinidhi Shama Rao of Cogitx.Ai, and Mitali Chatterjee of Swiss Re Institute
- 14** Sneha Walke, Sridhar Pabbisetty, Public Policy & Inclusive Governance Specialist, and Sandhya Vasudevan of TiE Bengaluru
- 15** Dr. Vaibhav Joshi & Puja Singh of Manipal Fintech
- 16** Sharat Chandra, Nandini George of Swift and Dharshan Shanthamurthy of Sisa
- 17** Dr. Annurag Batra, Bruce Keith of InvestorAi, and Anisha Patnaik of LexStart Partners
- 18** Nikkitha Senthil of Zoho Zeptomail