



Director, Mobility India

On the occasion of Mobility India's 25 years of service in the inclusive development sector, we are organizing a National Conference on Assistive Technology for ALL – 2030 in Bangalore on August 2 – 3, 2019.

This is one of the most important events of Mobility India. Organizing such an event at this point of time reinforces one of our key objectives of innovation and improving access to assistive technology. Sometimes the challenges can feel overwhelming, but we all are coming together because we choose a better future for all.

Today only one in ten people in need have access to essential assistive technology. Assistive products can transform an individual's life, as well as the families and communities. Without it, people are often excluded and locked into poverty and isolation; also increasing the impact of disease and disability on the person, his/her family and on society. These people are being denied a fundamental human right.

The conference would be able to provide an affable environment and serve as a platform for various forms of knowledge sharing and learning, raise awareness and to freely exchange the views and ideas with others and to explore the role and increase the development of innovative / digital technologies, deliberate on current issues of national relevance, new solutions and best ideas of benefit and active cooperation. This conference on Assistive Technology is extremely important and helpful to improve health which is the most precious asset.

I am immensely pleased and honored to invite all distinguished guests, experts and delegates to share their knowledge and experiences at this conference and we will together with your partnership draw up recommendations to achieve the mission health and wellbeing for all, keep the world safe, and serve the vulnerable.

Mobility India has come a long way, but there is always more we can do to deliver where it matters most, and make the world a better place to live in with dignity.

Looking forward to meet you all

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Vice Chairperson - National Conference on Assistive Technology for ALL-2030

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