

Jury Council



NITIN PAREKH

Mr. Nitin D Parekh has a brilliant academic track record with gold medals in several exams. An Industrial Scholar award winner for 12th rank in MBA exam of IIM, Ahmedabad, he holds six qualifications including CA and CFA. Mr. Nitin Parekh is serving as a Group Chief Financial Officer in Cadila Healthcare Limited, Ahmedabad, which has consolidated annual turnover of more than Rs. 10000 crores. He possesses 32 years of post-qualification experience in finance, legal and IT functions. Under his leadership, the group has been able to achieve less than 2% consolidated interest cost. He is a strategic thinker, an excellent coach and also an expert in financial matters.

Mr. Nitin Parekh has been awarded the Best CFO award for Healthcare sector by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. He is also awarded CFO100 Roll of Honour for last 6 years in succession by CFO India. SAP has selected him amongst the top 25 Digitalist Thought Leaders of India for 2015. The latest addition is the Yes Bank-BW Business World-Best CFO of India Award 2017 for Healthy Balance Sheet Management-Large Corporates.

DR. AMITA SRIVASTAVA

Dr. Amita Srivastava is presently holding position of the Director at Brencis Centre for Research Training and Consultancy (BCRTC) Ghaziabad, India. She is a gold medalist throughout, and is a well-known expert in Management Philosophy, Strategic Management, Human Resource Development, Quality Systems and Human Values. She has worked for 25+ years in areas of Research, Training, Consultancy, Teaching and Administration in Management. She has conducted many FDPs and MDPs. She has done assignments for some leading Institutions of National and International repute like IIM-(Lko), Nuvia (UK), UNIDO, Central Defence Academy, Syndicate Bank, IBA, Semi Conductor Complex Ltd., ABCL, Kirloskar Brothers, WPIL Ltd., Jaipur Stock Exchange, KRIBHKO, etc. She was the Chief Editor for Management journal – Attitude.

Dr. Amita has organized many national and international conferences, seminars, conclaves and workshops. She has held many responsible positions in leading Management Institutions.



PANKAJ GUPTA

Pankaj Gupta is currently working as Head of Strategy and Sales Operations, Google India.

Pankaj Gupta has rich and diverse experience across startups, management consulting and industry. He is currently leading Strategy and Sales Operations at Google India and is a startup enthusiast.

With his passion for entrepreneurship, he made early strides to set up a B2C eLearning business and a venture in Wellness Tech. As a management consultant at McKinsey he has worked on topics across sales, strategy and operations for Indian and multinational companies in sectors including Consumer goods, Technology and Media.

A firm believer in significance and impact of deep operations, Pankaj is also a certified Six Sigma Black Belt by IBM and has been involved in greenfield projects across Manufacturing and ITeS industry.

His personal passions include writing Hindi poetry, travel and graphology.



PANKAJ JAIN

Pankaj Jain is a seasoned CMA, CS and alumnus of IIM, Calcutta with vibrant spirit of entrepreneurship, having over 27 years of diversified experience across wide spectrum of industries while working at India and overseas with proven track record of aligning strategies with business and building trust-based relationships globally. While working at top corporate level positions like VP, CFO, CEO, Director, etc. he has successfully managed the reputed business houses such as Super Seals, IAP, ERA Infra, Logix Group and has been instrumental in raising funds for projects (including megha infrastructure projects under Public Private Partnership) having cost of over Rs. 15000 crores.

He has managed numerous strategic business initiatives involving Venture Formation, Business Modelling, Strategic Financial Planning, Corporate Alliances, Demergers, Divestments, Cost Optimization, Business Restructuring, Capital Structuring, Corporate Governance and Corporate Financing for successful businesses with global footprints and holds distinction of turning around the financial position of companies through dynamic initiatives.

SATYARTH PRIYEDARSHI

Currently, at the position of Head of Product Marketing, JioChat, Satyarth Priyedarshi earlier worked with Google, Flipkart and Infibeam among others. He is an award-winning, Google-certified eCommerce Leader heading Customer Acquisitions, Marketing, Partnerships and New Product initiatives for JioChat.

He is easily drawn into conversations around Strategy, Profitability, user experience design, acquisition, growth, techno-functional solutions, sales & category management. Twice he has been awarded as the CMO Asia's "50 Most influential e-commerce professional of India". He has Leadership experience in e-commerce, mobile applications and retail in geographical span from Middle Eastern, Indian and East Asian (Over 14 countries & Markets). He has great Expertise in various aspects of digital business from planning, building technology solution, creating turnaround and transformation strategies, fixing profitability issues to scaling up. He is also a Google Adwords Certified Digital Marketing Professional, and a renowned Guest author & speaker.

