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"Artificial Intelligence is being developed around the world. Whatever the size of the economy, AI development, deployment and adoption should be guided by a sense of responsibility towards humanity."

— Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi

(AI Action Summit, Paris, 2025)

Introduction

The twenty-first century is witnessing an unprecedented transformation in the global socio-economic and geopolitical landscape. Rapid advancements in Artificial Intelligence (AI), digital technologies, and data-driven innovation, coupled with shifting geopolitical dynamics, climate imperatives, evolving legal frameworks, and changing patterns of global trade, are reshaping economies, institutions, and societies. These developments present both extraordinary opportunities and complex challenges, demanding informed policy discourse, interdisciplinary research, ethical governance, and collaborative global engagement.

As the world progresses towards a new global order, the pursuit of sustainable development, technological sovereignty, resilient institutions, and inclusive economic growth has become a shared global priority. India, with its growing leadership in digital public infrastructure, innovation, entrepreneurship, and knowledge-driven development, is uniquely positioned to contribute to shaping this emerging global landscape. Achieving these aspirations requires meaningful collaboration among academia, industry, government, and civil society to generate research-driven solutions that address contemporary economic, technological, legal, environmental, and social challenges.

Recognizing these emerging realities, Gitarattan International Business School (GIBS), Delhi, is organising the 17th International Conference (IC-GIBS 2027), **sponsored by the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)**, on the theme:

"The New Global Order 2030: Navigating Geopolitics, Artificial Intelligence, Business Transformation and Legal Challenges."

About ICSSR. The Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), established in 1969 by the Government of India and functioning under the Ministry of Education, is the national apex body for promoting and coordinating research in the social sciences. Headquartered in New Delhi, the Council supports scholarship through research project grants, fellowships and doctoral support, sustains a network of ICSSR research institutes across the country, funds seminars, conferences and workshops, and encourages capacity building and international collaboration. IC-GIBS 2027 is proud to be sponsored by ICSSR, whose support strengthens the conference's commitment to rigorous, policy-relevant, interdisciplinary scholarship.

The conference seeks to serve as a distinguished international platform for academicians, researchers, policymakers, legal experts, industry leaders, entrepreneurs, development practitioners, and students from across the world to engage in meaningful dialogue on the transformative forces shaping the future. It aims to encourage interdisciplinary exchange of ideas across the domains of management, commerce, economics, law, governance, public policy, technology, and the social sciences, recognizing that the challenges of the future demand integrated, innovative, and collaborative approaches.

Through keynote addresses, panel discussions, technical sessions, and scholarly deliberations, the conference will explore contemporary issues including responsible Artificial Intelligence, digital transformation, sustainable business practices, ESG integration, cybersecurity, international trade, climate resilience, legal and regulatory innovations, digital governance, and emerging global policy frameworks. The deliberations are expected to stimulate high-quality research, foster international academic collaborations, promote evidence-based decision-making, and generate actionable insights for policymakers, industry, and society.

IC-GIBS 2027 aspires to strengthen global research partnerships, encourage cross-disciplinary scholarship, nurture young researchers, and facilitate meaningful engagement between academia and practice. By bringing together distinguished experts and emerging scholars from diverse disciplines and countries, the conference seeks to contribute towards building resilient institutions, responsible innovation ecosystems, and sustainable development pathways that advance inclusive growth, global cooperation, and a future-ready knowledge society.

Conference Sub-Themes

The following sub-themes reflect the conference's broad, interdisciplinary scope:

1. Technology for Sustainable Futures

- Artificial Intelligence, Big Data and IoT in advancing sustainability
- Renewable and green technologies for climate resilience
- Cybersecurity, digital ethics and data sovereignty
- Digital transformation and governance in the era of Industry 5.0

2. Law, Rights, and Ethical Frameworks

- International environmental law, climate change, and global litigation trends
- Intellectual property rights for sustainable and green innovations
- Technology law: regulating AI, blockchain, and emerging technologies
- Human rights, privacy and ethical dilemmas in digital societies

3. Governance and Policy Innovations

- E-governance and inclusive policy frameworks
- Global regulatory frameworks for technology-enabled governance
- Anti-corruption, transparency and accountability in digital governance
- Policy models for sustainable economic and social transformation

4. Management and Corporate Sustainability

- AI and analytics in strategic management and decision-making
- Block chain and digital platforms for sustainable supply chains
- Green corporate strategies and ESG integration
- Workforce transformation: HR analytics, gig economy and tech-driven talent management

5. International and Cross-Border Perspectives

- Global governance of cross-border technology and sustainability challenges
- Cyber security, cross-border data flows, and international legal regimes
- International trade, e-commerce and digital economy regulations
- Collaborative models for global sustainability: UN, WTO, and multilateral frameworks

6. Interdisciplinary Frontiers

- Ethical AI and responsible innovation across disciplines
- Smart and sustainable urban development through law–tech–policy synergy
- Virtual courts, online dispute resolution, and access to justice
- Biotechnology, Health Tech, and the law of emerging frontiers

Note: The above are indicative sub-themes. Topics closely aligned with the main conference theme are also welcome

Call for Papers

- Abstract Submission: Submit an abstract of 250–300 words clearly indicating the title, objectives, methodology and key findings / expected contribution.
- Keywords: Include 4–6 keywords with each submission.
- Plagiarism Policy: Submissions must have a plagiarism level below 10% (Turnitin).
- AI plagiarism should be less than 20%.
- **Selected Research Papers:** Selected papers will be considered for publication in associated **Scopus-indexed journals** subject to the respective journals' review and acceptance processes. Any publication fees charged by the respective journals shall be borne by the author(s).
- **Conference Proceedings:** Selected papers will be published in the **Conference Proceedings in collaboration with Atlantis Press (part of Springer Nature),** subject to the publisher's selection criteria and publication policies. Any publication fees shall be borne by the author(s).
- **ISBN Book Publication:** Other accepted papers will be published in an edited book with an **ISBN**, subject to the publisher's terms and publication guidelines.
- **No withdrawal will be permitted once a paper has been presented at the conference.**
- **All submissions should be in English only.**

Paper Submission Email: https://cmt3.research.microsoft.com/ICGIBS2027

Paper Submission Guidelines

Submission Requirements

- Each submission must include a cover letter with the full name(s) of author(s), correspondence address, e-mail ID, contact number and institutional affiliation.
- The paper title should appear on the first page; author identity will be removed for peer review.
- A paper may have a maximum of three authors.
- Only the presenting author(s) will receive a Certificate of Presentation.
- Additional co-authors must pay a registration fee as per their category to receive a Certificate of Participation.

Presentation Modes

Papers may be presented by at least one author in physical, poster, online, or hybrid mode. Certificate of Presentation will be issued only to those who will present their papers in conference.

Paper Formatting Guidelines

Format	MS Word
Font	Times New Roman
Font Size	14pt Bold (Title) · 12pt Bold (Headings) · 10pt (Body)
Line Spacing	1.5
Margins	1 inch on all sides
Layout	Single column, justified
Language	English
Abstract Length	250–300 words
Full Paper Length	3,000–5,000 words
Citation Style (Management)	7th APA
Citation Style (Law)	ILI Footnoting Style

Copyright

Submission implies that the work is original and not submitted elsewhere. Copyright to accepted papers is reserved by the conference. Authors must complete and submit the Copyright Form prior to publication.

Best Paper Award

The conference will be organized into three tracks with possible sub-tracks.

- Best Paper Award: ₹10,000 for the most outstanding paper across all tracks.

Important Dates

Abstract Submission Deadline:	30th November 2026
Notification of Abstract Acceptance:	7th December 2026
Full Paper Submission (with Copyright Form):	15th December 2026
Notification of Full Paper Acceptance:	22nd December 2026
Last Date for Registration:	25th December 2026
Conference Dates:	15th & 16th January 2027

** On-the-spot registration will not be permitted.*

Registration Fee

Category	INR	USD
Academicians / Faculty Members	₹2,000	$80
Research Scholars / Ph.D. Students	₹1,500	$50
Industry Professionals	₹3,000	$90
Foreign Delegates	–	$100
Students	₹500	–
Participation Only (Spouse / Accompanying)	₹500 (Indian)	$50 (Foreign)

Registration Link: https://rzp.io/rzp/icgibs2027

Tentative Programme Schedule

Day 1 – Friday, 15th January 2027	Day 2 – Saturday, 16th January 2027
Inaugural Session – 10:00 AM–11:00 AM	Panel Discussion (Track 1 & 2) – 10:00 AM–11:00 AM
Networking Tea – 11:00 AM–11:15 AM	Networking Tea – 11:00 AM–11:15 AM
Panel Discussion – 11:15 AM–12:30 PM	Technical Session I (Track 1 – Management) Technical Session I (Track 2 – Law) 11:30 AM–2:00 PM
Lunch Break – 12:30 PM–1:30 PM	Lunch Break – 2:00 PM–3:00 PM
Technical Session I (Track 1 – Management) Technical Session I (Track 2 – Law) Technical Session I (Track 3 – IT) 1:30 PM–4:00 PM	Valedictory Session – 3:00 PM–4:00 PM

Cultural Experience — Incredible India

India is a land of vibrant colors, breathtaking landscapes and rich heritage, offering a unique cultural experience unlike any other. A curated cultural visit for national and international participants is scheduled on 17th January 2027 to showcase India's traditions and diversity.

Please note that the registration fee does not cover the visit. Additional charges will apply. For details, write to: conference@gitarattan.edu.in

Host City — New Delhi

Delhi, the National Capital Territory of India, is a city where history and modernity converge. Spanning both banks of the Yamuna River, Delhi served as the capital of the Delhi Sultanate and the Mughal Empire and is home to three UNESCO World Heritage Sites: the Qutub Minar, Humayun's Tomb, and the Red Fort. January brings the city its pleasant winter season, with mild days ideal for both conference work and exploration.

About GIBS

Established in 2004, the Gitarattan International Business School (GIBS) is affiliated to Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University (GGSIPU), Delhi and is approved by AICTE (Ministry of HRD, Government of India) and the Bar Council of India (BCI). The institute offers programmes including MBA, MBA (International Business), Integrated BBA-MBA, BBA, Integrated BA LLB (Hons.), BBA LLB (Hons.), LL.B, LL.M and BCA.

GIBS has been graded 'A' by NAAC (3rd Cycle), rated 'A+' by the State Fee Regulatory Committee of Delhi, and consistently awarded Grade 'A' by the Joint Inspection Committee of the Government of NCT of Delhi & GGSIPU since 2013. It has also achieved a 3-star ranking in IIC MOE 2024 and was ranked No. 2 Pan India by the Times Business School Survey in 2021, 2019, and 2018.

Vision

To prepare outstanding professionals in business management and allied disciplines who can provide intellectual, emotional, and psychological leadership; design, develop and implement systems and processes; and research, innovate and compete at the national and international level.

Mission

- Provide an integrated learning experience stressing skill development, academic excellence, and intellectual rigor.
- Promote integrated personality development of students.
- Encourage research and excellence across all academic activities.
- Promote continuous improvement through innovative ideas and technologies.
- Nurture a culture of fairness, equity, and partnership.

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