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SAFEWORK 2026: VISION ZERO & BEYOND

Building Safer, Healthier and Sustainable Workplaces

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ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The world of work is undergoing rapid transformation driven by industrialisation, urbanisation, digitalisation, climate change and new forms of employment. These changes bring new opportunities as well as emerging risks to safety, occupational health, wellbeing and sustainability.

Vision Zero provides a powerful framework for moving beyond accident prevention towards workplaces where fatalities, serious injuries, occupational diseases and preventable harm are no longer accepted as inevitable.

SAFEWORK 2026: Vision Zero & Beyond will explore how safety, health, wellbeing, sustainability and technology can be integrated to create resilient, responsible and future-ready workplaces.

The conference will particularly examine how digitalisation, artificial intelligence, automation and data-driven solutions, combined with sustainability and human-centred approaches, can strengthen proactive risk prevention.

INDIA AT A TRANSFORMATIVE CROSSROADS

India is experiencing unprecedented growth in infrastructure, manufacturing, urban development and digital technologies. At the same time, the country faces important challenges related to occupational safety and health, environmental sustainability, climate change, workforce skills and emerging forms of work.

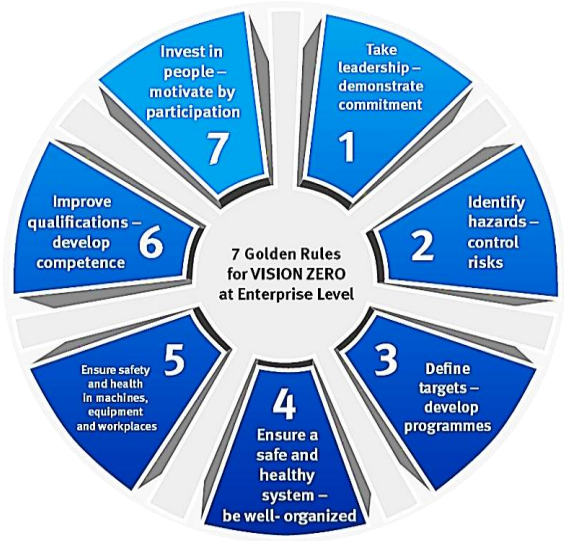
India's national focus on digital transformation, sustainable development, renewable energy and climate action provides an important foundation for advancing Vision Zero.

SAFEWORK 2026 will provide a platform for Indian and international stakeholders to explore how innovation, policy, technology, leadership and collaboration can accelerate the transition towards safer, healthier and sustainable workplaces.

VISION ZERO & BEYOND

The next generation of Vision Zero must address both traditional and emerging risks, including:

- Occupational safety and health
- Occupational diseases and worker wellbeing
- Mental health and psychosocial risks
- Artificial intelligence and automation
- Digital and smart safety systems
- Climate-related occupational risks
- Gig and platform work
- Construction and infrastructure safety
- Road, transport and logistics safety
- Process and industrial safety
- Human factors and safety culture
- ESG and sustainable workplaces



Vision Zero & Beyond places people at the centre of sustainable development, recognising that safe and healthy workplaces are fundamental to resilient organisations and societies.

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

SAFEWORK 2026 aims to:

- Promote Vision Zero as a practical framework for prevention.
- Integrate safety, health, wellbeing and sustainability.
- Facilitate dialogue on policy, regulation and governance.
- Strengthen professional knowledge, skills and leadership.
- Develop practical strategies and implementation roadmaps.
- Share Indian and international good practices and case studies.
- Build partnerships among government, industry, academia and civil society.
- Explore the role of AI, Digitalisation and emerging technologies in proactive risk prevention.

KEY THEMATIC AREAS

1. Vision Zero, Leadership & Safety Culture

Leadership, worker participation, human factors, organisational culture and the transition from reactive to proactive prevention.

2. Digitalisation, AI & Future of Work

Artificial intelligence, automation, IoT, predictive analytics, smart safety systems, gig work and emerging occupational risks.

3. Occupational Safety, Health & Wellbeing

Workplace safety, occupational diseases, mental health, psychosocial risks, fatigue, stress and holistic worker wellbeing.

4. Sustainable & Climate-Resilient Workplaces

Integration of safety and health with ESG, sustainability, climate change, environmental responsibility and resilient development.

5. Sectoral Safety & Emerging Risks

Construction, manufacturing, process safety, infrastructure, transport, logistics, road safety and other high-risk sectors.

6. Policy, Regulation, Skills & Collaboration

Policy and regulatory frameworks, standards, professional competencies, education, research, capacity building and government–industry–academia collaboration.

MULTI-STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

Achieving Vision Zero requires collective action. SAFEWORK 2026 will bring together:

Government | Regulators | Industry | Workers | Academia | Technology Experts | Professional Bodies | International Organisations | NGOs | Civil Society | Students and Emerging Professionals.

The programme will feature:

- Keynote Addresses
- Technical Sessions
- Expert Panels
- Interactive Knowledge Sessions
- Networking and Partnership Opportunities

FROM VISION TO ACTION

SAFEWORK 2026 is intended to move the dialogue from ideas to implementation. The conference will explore:

What needs to change?
How can prevention become proactive?
How can technology serve people?
How can workers participate meaningfully?
What policies and partnerships are required?

The objective is to translate Vision Zero principles into practical, measurable and sustainable action.

A CALL FOR COLLECTIVE ACTION

The future of work must be measured not only by growth, productivity and technological advancement, but also by how effectively we protect human life, health, dignity and wellbeing while safeguarding the environment.

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