

# POST EVENT REPORT

## INDIA PAYMENTS INNOVATION SUMMIT - 2023

"Driving the future of payments enhanced by digital innovations"



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With the rise of India's digital economy, and continued digital transformation the digital payments, and pay tech landscape in India has been evolving rapidly. With new trends in emerging technologies influencing the payments sector, India's finance industry is moving towards diversification, enhancement and unprecedented growth.

The first Payments Innovation Summit 2023 organized by Point to Business Services, which successfully concluded on 8th June 2023, at Novotel Mumbai international airport, specifically focused on unraveling India's payments industry trends, and opportunities and understanding how the future of payments will proceed in 2023 and beyond. The one-day exclusive summit featured engaging keynotes, panel interactions and presentations from leading finance experts, stakeholders and industry leaders from across the BFSI ecosystem.

## **The Payments Innovation Summit 2023, event snapshot is as follows;**

The summit opened with a strategic keynote, presented by payment industry's leading thought leader Mr. Nalin Bansal, who is the Chief of Fintech, Corporates and New Initiative, National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI); he spoke about the state of Indian Payments Landscape and what's in store for the future.

This was followed by an insightful industry presentation which focused on Revolutionizing Modern Digital Payments & Fintech Inclusion, this key topic was delivered by Mr. Vaibhav Joshi, Co-founder, CBO & Global Head BFSI, Ayekart Fintech.

The next keynote was delivered by Mr. Prasanna Lohar, Chief Executive Officer, Block Stack. He covered the most important and current topic based on the latest RBI announcement. The strategic insight highlighted on "Digital Rupee- Unpacking India's CBDC Pilots"

# OVERVIEW

The following insight, was a key presentation which was presented by industry leader and payments ecosystem stakeholder Mr. Abhishant Pant, Founder, The Fintech Meetup. He spoke about Catalyzing India's FinTech Ecosystem to Drive Financial Inclusion.

After this, the session recessed for a quick coffee and tea break, which also saw the attending delegates, solution providers and dignitaries indulge in productive networking.

Immediately after the quick break, the day resumed with a very tech driven presentation Seamless Onboarding Strategies with Risk Managed Payment Processing & Fraud Prevention which was presented by Ms. Shanthi Kartheeswaran, President – Risk, Tutelar Fintech Private Limited. This was followed by a key presentation, delivered by Digital banking and transformation expert, Mr. Abhishek Mody. He spoke about how Payment Service Providers are critical in enabling SME growth in India.

The final session before lunch showcased a strategic panel, which saw industry thought leaders and decision makers deliberate about Driving India Towards Becoming a Cashless Economy. This interactive discussion was moderated by Mr. Sunil Kulkarni, CEO, Business Correspondents Federation of India and the panelists were Mr. Joachim Samuelsson, CEO, Crunchfish AB; Mr. Dhaval Jariwala, Director, PwC

services LLP; Abhishek Kothari, CEO, Pepper Money India and Mr. Sameer Gupta, Head – Business Development – Payments, Financial Services, Amazon Web Services.

Following the panel discussion, the event broke for a sumptuous networking lunch which saw all the attendees engage in fruitful interactions.

The post lunch session opened with a key presentation from Mr. Sandeep Sharma Founder & CEO HiSAVE, he spoke about an important topic – Enabling Financial Institutions and large brands – to Future Proof through innovation in payments.

This was followed by a keynote, which headlined the afternoon proceedings. This industry keynote was delivered by Mr. Joachim Samuelsson, CEO, Crunchfish AB. He spoke about Enabling offline payments in an online world.

The next industry keynote, covered a critical aspect of the fintech sector. This topic was covered by Mr. Santhosh Reddy, Co-Founder & VP-Technology, ShakePe. He spoke about innovations which are impacting B2B fintech and the road ahead.

The final session of the day showcased a strategic panel discussion, which was moderated by Mr. Ishan Shah, Lead - Research and M&A, The Fintech Meetup and the panelists were industry experts, Mr. Vishesh Sharma, Chief Marketing Officer, Bajaj Financial Securities; Mr. Harsh Vardhan Masta, Head-Digital Payments, Policybazaar; Mr. Abhijit Dey, Vice President - API Banking Product Head, DBAT, Axis Bank and Mr. Sahil Shah, Domestic Payment and Receivables Head, Citi India. The interactive discussion covered a critical aspect of the payment's ecosystem - Digital Payments & Their Impact on India's Ecommerce. The event saw interactive Q&A sessions after most presentations, attending delegates and speakers and panelists engaged in conversations which highlighted exchange of ideas and knowledge which are critical for paytech and payments ecosystem growth in the region. The event concluded with high tea and networking.

The summit was sponsored by Crunchfish AB; Tutelar; Acemoney and ShakePe.

The summit was supported by Policybazaar who were knowledge partners and India Blockchain Forum (IBF) who were strategic partner.



# EVENT HIGHLIGHTS



**20**  
Speakers



**150+**  
Delegates



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# SPEAKERS



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# EVENT GALLERY

## PANEL DISCUSSIONS

**Strategic Panel:** Driving India Towards Becoming a Cashless Economy



**Strategic Panel:** Digital Payments & Their Impact on India's Ecommerce



## KEY NOTES

**Opening Keynote:** The Indian Payment Landscape & The Future Outlook



**Key Presentation:** Revolutionizing Modern Digital Payments & Fintech Inclusion



**Strategic Insight:** Digital Rupee- Unpacking India's CBDC Pilots



**Key Presentation:** Catalyzing India's FinTech Ecosystem to Drive Financial Inclusion





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## KEY NOTES

**Tech Talk: Seamless Onboarding Strategies with Risk Managed Payment Processing & Fraud Prevention**



**Key Presentation: PSPs- Facilitating SME Sector growth in India**



**Key presentation: Enabling Financial Institutions and large brands - to Future Proof through innovation in payments**



**Keynote: Enabling offline payments in an online world**



**Industry Keynote: Innovations in B2B Fintech**



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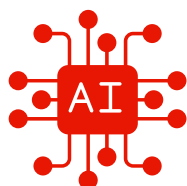
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