

## OceanTEX conference envisages sustainable development of hydrocarbon resources



After taking over the reins of India's hydrocarbon major as the Chairman & Managing Director of ONGC, Mr Sudhir Vasudeva called for the advisory board meeting to roll out the final conference programme in Delhi.

The conference programme has received the formal okay from Mr Vasudeva who is also the Chairman for the OceanTEX World Expo 2012 and also the confirmations from the speakers for the forthcoming conference. The conference on Synergistic Development of Indian Hydrocarbon Opportunities aims to create



Mr S Vasudeva, CMD, ONGC and Chairman, OceanTEX World Expo 2012

a platform which would span across the opportunities in the conventional oil and gas fronts and frontier and frontier areas, synergies required for exploiting the true potential and the policy and regulatory framework required for sustainable development of these resources.

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## Indian shipping sector will outperform the global industry



Shipping Maritime and Ports World Expo 2012 is expected to see strong presence of international players as the clouds of economic unrest have already engulfed the west. With the negative growth forecast for most of the western economies, these countries have intensified their focus on Asian market. India's geographical location has made the country much sought destination for the global shipping industry.

While speaking to the eminent advisory panel for SMP World Expo 2012, Mr Jasu Shah said, "Shipping sector is poised for enormous ceremonial growth." He said that this was the best time to create



Mr S Hajara, CMD, SCI and Chairman SMP World Expo 2012

excellence through innovation. A fifty member Japanese delegation has already sealed its plan to visit SMP World Expo 2012. The talks are on with key players from the countries like United Arab Emirates (UAE), Germany, Russia, Netherlands, Japan, UK, China, Sri Lanka, USA and Norway for

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## Policy to take the centrestage during UIWE Expo 2012 – says Mr Abhijit Rajan



Mr Abhijit Rajan, Chairman & Managing Director, Gammon India and Chairman, Urban Infra World Expo (UIWE)

2012 hosted the 4<sup>th</sup> Central Advisory Board meeting at the Gammon House to discuss the program for Urban Infra World congress scheduled from 19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> March 2012 in Mumbai. Indian government has



Mr. Abhijit Rajan, CMD Gammon India Ltd. & Chairman UIWE

earmarked close to 1 trillion USD for the infrastructure development under the 12<sup>th</sup> Five Year Plan wherein the opportunities lie across the sectors of energy, oil & gas, water and transport infrastructure. Though the future plans paint a pretty picture however the policy issues continue to hinder on-time realization of projects in India. Looking at the real scenario, the industry is in dire need of spokesperson which can present the issues to the policy makers, which will play pivotal role in the industrial development across the country.

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**URBAN INFRA**  
WORLD EXPO 2012  
March 19-21, 2012, Mumbai, India

### CAB meeting for SMP World Expo 2012



Mr S Hajara, CMD, Shipping Corporation of India and Chairman SMP World Expo 2012 and Mr Jasu Shah, Founder & Chairman CHEMTECH Foundation along with advisory board members during 4th CAB meeting at SCI office

participation in the forthcoming maritime expo.

Shipping industry has witnessed strong growth during 2010 followed by a hiatus during 2011. Worldwide, shipping companies are reworking their growth strategies and many shipping companies have intensified their focus on the Indian market which is expected to be practically immune to the effect of the ongoing slowdown in the west and poised to maintain a positive growth momentum of 7.5 per cent in the short term and 9 per cent in the long term according to a recent statement by the Honourable

Prime Minister of India. Despite the global slowdown, India will witness a substantial growth in container, coal and crude movements. Even in terms of deployment, Indian shipping scenario would be far better than the global scenario. The 3<sup>rd</sup> edition of SMP World Expo 2012 will be the confluence of leaders from the shipping fraternity to take a closer look at the challenges and devise future growth strategies.



### UIWE 2012 Congress



Mr Abhijit Rajan, CMD, Gammon India & Chairman UIWE 2012, in discussion with Mr Maulik Jasubhai, Group CEO Jasubhai Group & Mr Hemant Shetty, CEO, CHEMTECH Foundation & Jasubhai Media Pvt Ltd at Gammon House

the UIWE Expo 2012, said Mr.Rajan while addressing the board members. Members will soon communicate the maladies and remedies in the allied sectors to be highlighted during the panel discussion. Faster project execution, technology transfers, innovative construction strategies, structural design & latest technologies; and availability of skilled manpower are some of the topics that will be focused upon to diversify the scope of the international conference.

UIWE Expo 2012 envisages capturing the opportunities, addressing challenges and discussing the critical success factors for the growth of Indian infrastructure industry.

CHEMTECH Foundation plans to launch the blue book in association with knowledge partners to the concerned authorities.



## Power panel maps the agenda for EnerTECH International Congress



Mr. V M Kaul, Director (Personnel) Power Grid Corporation of India and Vice Chairman EnerTECH World

Expo 2012 convoked the Central Advisory Board (CAB) meeting in Delhi to draw the

conference program for the 2<sup>nd</sup> EnerTECH international congress that will be organised concurrently with the expo in Mumbai.



Mr.YogeshBahadur, President, Pentacle Power and Mr.

Mr. V M Kaul, Director (Personnel) Power Grid Corporation of India and Vice Chairman EnerTECH World Expo 2012

Dinesh Saxena,

President - Power, SPML, proposed Challenges in Sustainable Development of Power as theme for the forthcoming conference, which the panel members agreed to unanimously as a broad based theme would allow the conference program to address topical issues spanning across the entire value chain of the power sector.

Panel asserted to include a separate track on policy and regulation as this platform would be an ideal opportunity for the industry to put across the issues in front of the policy makers and also allow the industry to directly interact with them. The advisory board members proposed to include separate tracks on infrastructure, alternative energy, utilities, tariff, etc. The CAB members will soon meet for the second time to freeze the topics and accordingly call for papers from Indian and overseas speakers.



# International Exhibition and Conferences

**OceanTEX**  
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Venue: Bombay Convention & Exhibition Centre, Goregaon (East), Mumbai, India

## INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES 2012

### Exploration and Production

**Theme - Synergistic Development of Indian Hydrocarbon Opportunities**

**Date: 8<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> February 2012**

#### Guests



**Mr. N. N. Borah**  
CMD, Oil India Ltd



**Mr. S. K. Srivastava**  
Director General, Directorate  
General of Hydrocarbons



**Mr. Sashi Mukundan \***  
Country Head, BP India



**Mr. Khalid A. Al-Falih \***  
President and CEO,  
Saudi Aramco



**Shri Jaipal Reddy \***  
Union Minister,  
Petroleum & Natural Gas

#### Key Sessions

- Addressing the challenges of Deep-water Field <sup>\*Invited</sup>
- Deep-water Subsea installation and safety of environment
- Boosting Brownfield Recovery in Onshore/Offshore
- Bridging the Gap: New Hydrocarbon Portfolio options
- Installation of large offshore structures and subsea pipelines

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### Refining and Petrochemicals

**Theme - Refining and Petrochemicals - Emerging Trends**

**Date: 11<sup>th</sup> February 2012**

#### Key Speakers



**Mr. R. K. Singh**  
CMD, BPCL



**Mr. B. K. Datta**  
Director (Refineries), BPCL



**Mr. R. K. Ghosh**  
Director (Refineries), IOCL



**Ms Deborah L. Grubbe**  
Senior Consultant,  
DuPont, USA

#### Key Sessions

- Technology Trends
- Safety and Environment
- Integrating Petrochemicals with Refinery

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Delegate Register Online

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### Shipping & Indigenous Shipbuilding

**Theme - Maritime Exposition-A Gateway to Growth**

**Date: 8<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> February 2012**

#### Key Speakers



**Mr Holger Jefferies**  
Dpt.-Ing., Naval Architect  
Vice President, Ship Newbuilding –  
ASEA-Germanischer Lloyd SE



**Dr. A. K. Balyan**  
MD & CEO,  
Petronet Energy



**Mr Gary Courtneidge**  
Projects Director,  
Royal Haskoning



**Mr Robert Simpson**  
Global Lead - Naval Ships,  
Lloyd's Register



**Mr Mangala Yapa**  
Managing Director/CEO,  
Colombo Dockyard

#### Key Sessions

- Shipping - A New Era • Future Trends in Shipping
- Indigenous Shipbuilding & Naval Construction
- Panel Discussion on: Addressing Way Forward to Indian Shipping

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### PORTS

**Theme - Incentivising capacity addition**

**Date: 10<sup>th</sup> February 2012**

#### Key Speakers



**Mr. Rakesh Shrivastava \***  
Jt Secretary,  
Ministry of Shipping



**Mr. Prakash Tulsiani**  
Managing Director  
APM Terminals Power



**Dr. GVV Victor**  
Deputy CEO &  
Member of Board,  
EADA (Asia, Pacific region)



**Mr Rajeev Agarwal**  
CEO & MD, Essar Ports

#### Key Sessions

- Regulation & Policy Environment
- Panel Discussion on: Connectivity of Rail, Road to Sea Ports
- Reducing Transaction cost

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### ENERTECH

**Theme - Challenges for Sustainable Development of Power**

**Date: 10<sup>th</sup> February 2012**

#### Key Sessions

- Policy and Environmental Issues
- Infrastructure for Power Plants • Equipment and Supply Chain
- Power Vision 2020 a Government Perspective
- Future Projections & Key Challenges
- Nuclear Power Solution • Renewable/ Issue of Sustainability

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# Unveiling of the 'Charkha'



'Notions of a Nation' was a competition conceptualised by IA&B along with TATA Structura in 2007 to look for a symbol of modern, optimistic India. Many entries were received from across India and a national level jury was conducted. 'Charkha', designed by Ar. Nuru Karim was selected the winner of the competition by a nation-wide jury. Charkha is a symbolic interpretation of the self-empowerment movement initiated by Mahatama Gandhi.

The "Charkha" was both a tool and a symbol of the Independence struggle. The sculpture found its place in the Cross Maidan owing to exhaustive efforts by the OVAL Trust. The unveiling of 'Charkha', on 2<sup>nd</sup> October at the cross maidan was an important event marked by the Gandhi Jayanti.

At the unveiling, Mr. Jasu Shah, Chairman, Jasubhai Group spoke about the symbolism and the intrinsic metaphors of the 'Charkha' in a speech to a distinguished audience. Ar. Karim's 'Charkha' established a metaphorical connection to the past that we should remember and to the future that we should anticipate. Other



*The Charkha was inaugurated at Cross Maidan on 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2011.*

notable speakers at the unveiling were Ms. Shirin Bharucha of the OVAL Trust, Ar. Karim who conceptualised and designed the 'Charkha', Mr. R.K Krishna Kumar, the Director of TATA Sons Board and Mr. Gerson Da Cunha, theatre veteran and the guest of honour at the event. The unveiling to music

and light was an enthralling experience as the structure was washed in multiple hues and colours.



*Ar. Nuru Karim, Founder & Principal Architect, LIVE, Mr. H M Nerurkar, Managing Director, Tata Steel, Mr. R K Krishna Kumar, Director, Tata Sons Limited; Mr. B. Muthuraman, Vice Chairman, Tata Steel at the inauguration.*



*Mr. Jasu Shah, Founder & Chairman, Jasubhai Group in conversation with Ar. Nuru Karim, Founder & Principal Architect, LIVE.*



# 361° Conference 2012 - New Spirit in Architecture



An iconic design platform in India, 361° has established a thought exchange programme through four significant conferences. Its various tracks have showcased a multitude of ideas and innovations that have had a significant impact on the habitat around us.

With the “one-degree of difference” that aims to capture the progressive nature of design, 361° spans across two days wherein each speaker, be it an architect, engineer or CEO, is an icon in his own; creating in its wake a forum for an interrogation of ideas and discussions of prevalent issues

in design. 2012 will mark the fifth edition of 361°- The Design Conference in India. Scheduled to be held at the NSC Grounds, Mumbai from 17<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> March 2012, the conference 2012 will attempt to understand and debate on of the chaos and will try to make sense of the ambiguous whole. The forum will try and decipher the ‘New Spirit in Architecture’.

With pioneers and influencers of the global architecture and design community converging under one roof, the conference would showcase works of architects and designers such as Manit Rastogi, Enric Ruiz Geli, Kapil Gupta, Andre Tammes,

Benjamin Hubert, Martha Schwartz, Gurjit Singh Matharoo, Aleandro Aravena, Rafiq Azam, Bijoy Jain, Peter Rich and many more. The speakers vary from lighting designers to digital artists to architects to product designers, who are in the forefront of technological innovations in the fields of architecture, design and sustainability.



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*Kapil Gupta, Principal, Serie Architects, Mumbai, India*



*Rafiq Azam, Principal Architect, Shattota, Dhaka, Bangladesh*



*Bijoy Jain, Principal, Studio Mumbai, Mumbai, India*



*Dharmesh Jadeja, Principal, Buildaur, Auroville, India*



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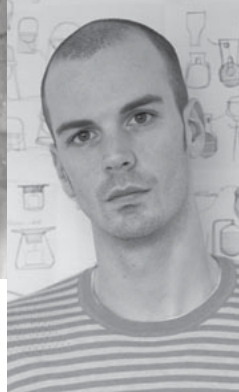
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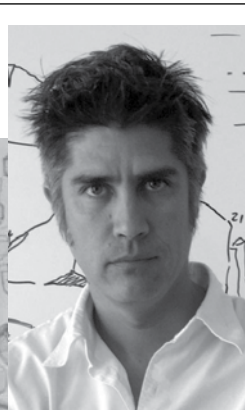
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# Integration of refineries – pivotal issue during Refining Conference



Dr. R K Malhotra Director (R&D) IOCL and Head Refinery Committee OceanTEX 2012 called for a meeting to firm up the speakers for various sessions for the one day conference on Refineries. The technical committee has finalised the tracks for the one day conference on downstream of the hydrocarbon industry and commenced the process to invite the speakers and call for the papers from Indian as well as global experts.



Dr R K Malhotra, Director (R&D) Indian Oil Corporation Ltd.

installed capacity of 0.25 MMTPA, while today India has 190 MMTPA of refining capacity. Indian government has earmarked ₹ 1.54 trillion for the refining and marketing sector during the 12th Five Year Plan and envisages increasing the refining capacity to 300 MMTPA in 2017.

demographics, vicinity to high demand centre of South East Asia and various other factors.

Speakers of global acclaim will deliberate on key aspects of the downstream sector and share their experiences during the international congress on “Refining & Petrochemicals- Emerging Trends”. The congress is scheduled for 11th February 2012. Delegate bookings are already in progress.

India has witnessed spectacular growth in the refining sector over the years. In the time of Independence in 1947, only one refinery was located in Digboi (Assam) with

India is poised to be ‘Asian Refining Hub’ due to inherent advantages in its economy, geographic location, changing

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