



These are the voices opening IMECE India 2026.

Their sessions will set the tone for three days of engineering discussions in Chennai. In this issue, we'll take you through the plenaries, conferences, technical sessions, and networking opportunities, so you know where to be and what to expect.



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- Four plenaries on nuclear, ocean, aerospace and AI
- A quick guide to planning your three days
- The people worth meeting, from ASME leaders to fellow engineers
- The conferences and tracks your delegate pass covers



IMECE India 2026 Plenaries

Energy Plenary: *Building India's Nuclear Supply Chain for a 100-GW Future*

3 September | 11 AM–5 PM

India is targeting 100 GW of nuclear capacity by 2047. This plenary works through the **policy, opportunities, and roadblocks in becoming nuclear-ready** — procurement pathways, certification, and qualifying Indian MSMEs as nuclear-grade suppliers.

Manufacturing & Mobility Plenary: *Aerospace, Defence & Hi-Tech Manufacturing*

4 September | 11 AM – 5 PM

As India's aerospace and defence base expands, the conversation shifts from making parts to owning design: **creating value beyond production — from Build-to-Print to Build-to-Spec, advancing India's aerospace and defence manufacturing capabilities.**

Ocean Plenary: *Engineering the Blue Economy*

3 September | 11 AM – 5 PM

A day on the technologies taking engineering below the surface, mapping **engineering pathways and opportunities in the blue economy** — offshore wind, subsea systems, deep-ocean exploration, and desalination.

Digitalization Plenary: *Digitalization & AI for Mechanical Engineering*

5 September | 10 AM – 1 PM

Where AI meets the factory floor with a leadership keynote on **5G and its impact on industrial automation and robotics: building global competitiveness in advanced manufacturing**, followed by panels on digital twins, trusted AI, and the engineering workforce.

Experiencing IMECE India 2026 Networking beyond the sessions

IMECE India 2026 brings the **whole engineering value chain together** — OEMs and Tier-1 suppliers, MSMEs, research labs, university faculty, startup founders, and government. These are people you'd normally find across a dozen separate meetings, and at IMECE India, they're a coffee break away.

It matters because most real engineering opportunities start as a conversation.

Expo floor is open to all with on-spot free registration. Invite someone you think will benefit from being there.

ASME India at the booth

The ASME India booth is not a stall to collect a brochure from - it's built as a walk-through of an engineer's life. You move through it stage by stage: the student still asking how a rocket leaves Earth, the early-career engineer turning a degree into globally recognised credentials, the professional leading technical communities, the expert writing the standards a nuclear reactor is built to, and the giver funding the next engineer from a small town.

Hands-on hardware and real stories from real Indian engineers. Come visit us!



Say hi to the Organizing Committee!

The people who shaped IMECE India 2026 are on the floor across all three days. A conversation with them is a direct line into the congress's technical direction and the wider ASME India community.



- **Dr. K Shanmuga Sundaram,**
Congress Chair and Director,
CUIC, Anna University



- **Dr. Dheepa Srinivasan,**
Congress Technical Chair
and Associate Fellow, Baker
Hughes



- **Dr. Shraman Goswami,**
Congress Vice Chair and
Fellow, Honeywell
Aerospace



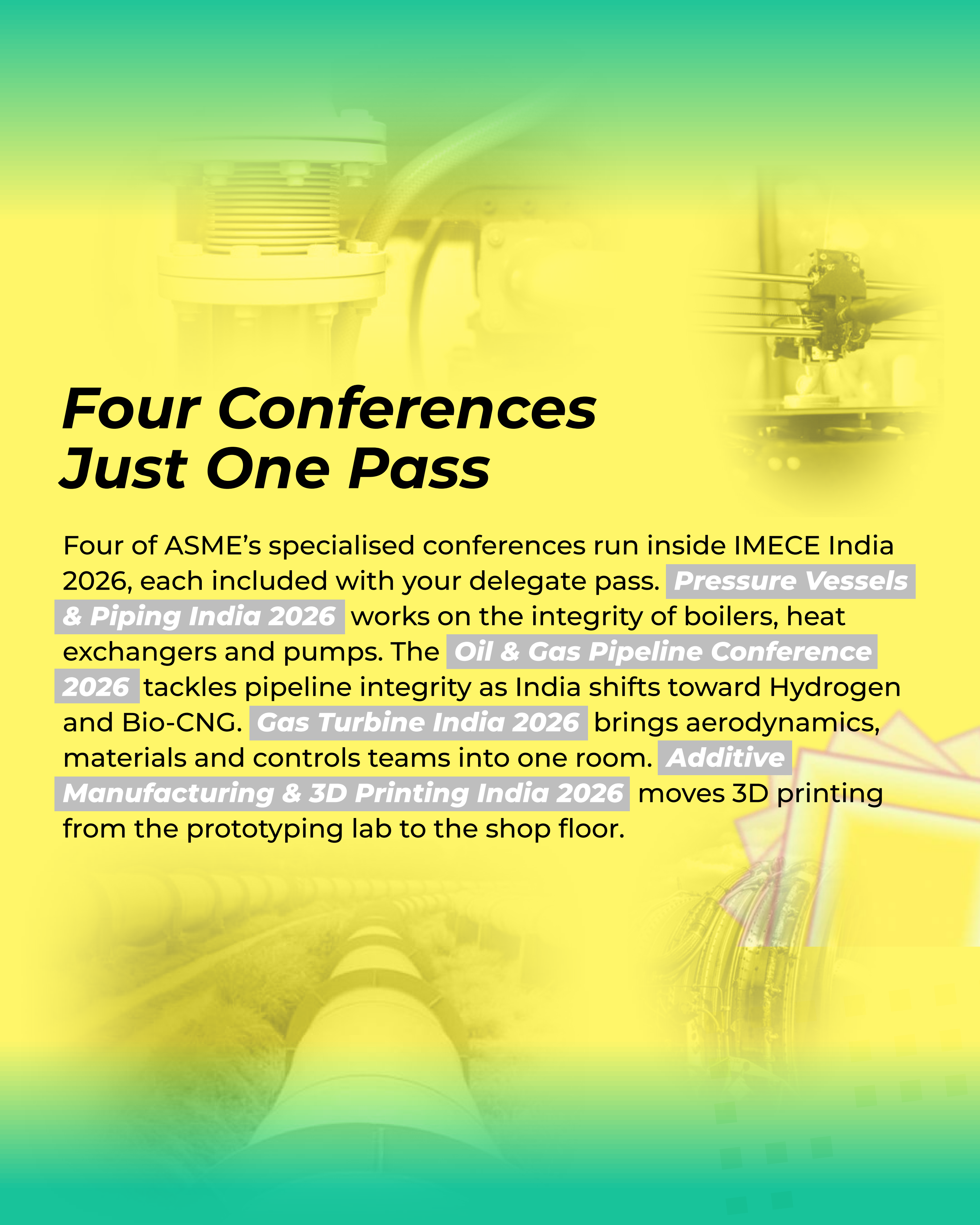
- **Dr. K Subramanian,**
Past Congress Chair (2025)
and Senior Vice President –
R&D, Ashok Leyland



- **Dr. M Sathya Prasad,**
Past Technical Chair
(2025) and Professor of
Practice, Anna University



- **Dr. Raghu Prakash,**
Congress Technical Chair
and Professor, IIT Madras



Four Conferences Just One Pass

Four of ASME's specialised conferences run inside IMECE India 2026, each included with your delegate pass. ***Pressure Vessels & Piping India 2026*** works on the integrity of boilers, heat exchangers and pumps. The ***Oil & Gas Pipeline Conference 2026*** tackles pipeline integrity as India shifts toward Hydrogen and Bio-CNG. ***Gas Turbine India 2026*** brings aerodynamics, materials and controls teams into one room. ***Additive Manufacturing & 3D Printing India 2026*** moves 3D printing from the prototyping lab to the shop floor.

The technical tracks span the full breadth of IMECE India 2026, taking you from deep technical sessions to cross-industry conversations - all within three days.

- *INDIA OIL & GAS PIPELINE CONFERENCE 2026*
- *PRESSURE VESSELS & PIPING INDIA 2026*
- *GAS TURBINE INDIA 2026*

- *ADVANCED CLEAN ENERGY SYSTEMS*
- *ADVANCES IN THERMAL TECHNOLOGIES*

ENERGY

- *ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING & 3D PRINTING 2026*
- *STRUCTURES, STRUCTURAL DYNAMICS & MATERIALS*

- *MANUFACTURING TECHNOLOGIES*
- *ADVANCED MATERIALS*

MANUFACTURING

- *VIBRATIONS, DYNAMICS & CONTROL*

MOBILITY

- *CYBER PHYSICAL SYSTEMS – AI / ML*
- *ROBOTICS & AUTOMATION*

DIGITALIZATION

Find Your IMECE India 2026

- **IF YOU'RE A STUDENT :**

Watch teams pitch at Innovation Square and test yourself at the Student Engagement Quiz Round on 4 September.

- **IF YOU'RE A RESEARCHER :**

Present or attend sessions across the twelve tracks and step into the plenaries where academic work meets industry demand.

- **IF YOU'RE A STUDENT WITH ENGINEERING INTERESTS YOU :**

On 3 September, the Women in Engineering panel on workplace development through a DEI lens, makes its point through its line-up as it moves the conversation past representation in employment to women engineers as founders, innovators and enterprise builders.

- **IF YOU'RE AN INDUSTRY EXPERT:**

The four plenaries are built for you — nuclear supply chains, the blue economy, aerospace manufacturing and digitalization — capped by the structured MSME Aerospace B2B connect on 4 September.

- **IF YOU'RE AN INNOVATOR:**

Innovation Square runs as a live ideathon and pitchathon — where early-stage ideas and prototypes are pitched straight to the industry, investors and mentors who can back them.

Schedule of Events:



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*We've mapped out your 3
days of IMECE India 2026.*

**Engineers love
a good plan.**