



GUJARAT STATE CONCLAVE

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**A Visionary Dialogue Gujarat@75
LEADING THE NATION FOR VIKSIT BHARAT**

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INTRODUCTION

Gujarat, a land that empowers ambition, nurtures enterprise, and creates shared prosperity, has emerged as one of India's most progressive, industrially robust, and future-ready states. As the state approaches the milestone of **Gujarat@75** and advances toward its vision of **Viksit Gujarat**, it continues to build on its deep-seated entrepreneurial culture spanning generations, consistently driving innovation, investment, and growth across enterprises of all scales. This enduring spirit of enterprise is reinforced by proactive, transparent, and stable governance that prioritizes long-term planning, policy continuity, and ease of doing business, while contributing decisively to India's broader aspiration of **Viksit Bharat** by 2047.

A defining pillar of Gujarat's development journey is its unwavering commitment to infrastructure-led growth. World-class industrial corridors, modern ports, integrated logistics networks, robust road and rail connectivity, reliable power systems, and rapidly advancing urban infrastructure have created a seamless ecosystem for industry, trade, and global connectivity. These strengths have firmly positioned Gujarat as a preferred destination for domestic and international investors and as a key driver of India's economic competitiveness.

Industrially, Gujarat stands as a manufacturing and innovation powerhouse, leading in sectors such as automobiles and auto components, chemicals and petrochemicals, pharmaceuticals, textiles, engineering, gems and jewellery, ceramics, cement, and agro processing. At the same time, the state is shaping the industries of the future through strategic focus on semiconductors, renewable energy, green hydrogen, electric mobility, advanced manufacturing, digital technologies, and financial services, reinforcing its transition toward a high-value, globally competitive economy.

Equally central to Gujarat's progress is its sustained investment in human capital and social infrastructure. The state has made significant strides in education, skill development, healthcare, nutrition, women-led development, and rural empowerment, ensuring that economic growth translates into inclusive and community-oriented outcomes. By strengthening institutions, expanding access to quality healthcare and education, and fostering youth and women's participation, Gujarat continues to build a resilient and future-ready society.

Gujarat's development vision also extends strongly into sports, culture, and global engagement. The state's ambitious initiative to host the Commonwealth Games 2030 marks a transformative milestone, catalysing large-scale sports infrastructure development, urban renewal, youth talent nurturing, and international visibility.

Building on Gujarat's remarkable journey as a progressive, industrially robust, and future-ready state, the Knowledge Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KCCI) is organizing the Gujarat State Conclave 2026 (GSC 2026), a high-level platform to reflect on this legacy and chart the next phase of accelerated growth under Gujarat@75: Agenda for 2035. Envisioned as a flagship state-level conclave, GSC 2026 will honour Gujarat's past (Kal), showcase its present achievements (Aaj), and create a future-ready roadmap (Kal) for sustained, inclusive, and transformative progress.

The conclave will convene policymakers, industry leaders, academics, innovators, youth, and civil society to explore emerging opportunities, foster meaningful dialogue, and strengthen partnerships that will drive Gujarat's continued leadership in development. Through visionary discussions and actionable outcomes, GSC 2026 aims to decisively scale Gujarat's economy toward a US\$3.5 trillion GSDP by 2047, reinforcing the journey from Viksit Gujarat to Viksit Bharat and positioning the state as a critical engine of national transformation and global competitiveness.





Reflect on Gujarat's Transformation Journey

Highlight key milestones in socio-economic development, industry, innovation, and governance.



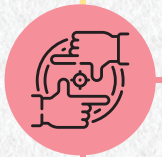
Identify Policy Priorities

Suggest actionable recommendations for strengthening Gujarat's economy, infrastructure, environment, and social systems.



Strategic Vision

To transform Gujarat into a high-income, sustainable, quality-driven, and inclusive economy, consolidating its position as a national growth leader.



Sector Focus

Highlight key growth sectors and outline actionable roadmaps through focused discussions to guide policy and industry initiatives.



Accelerate Growth

Reimagine industrial and economic policies to achieve higher growth rates. This involves promoting technological advancements and encouraging sustainable practices.



Promote Inclusivity and Sustainability

Ensure growth benefits in all sections of society and preserve the environment for future generations.



Foster Collaboration and Partnership

Build a collaborative platform connecting government, industry, National & Regional Associations, investors, and academia to foster innovation, attract investments, support technology transfer, and launch joint projects that propel the state's overall progress.



Celebrate Innovation & Youth Leadership

Create opportunities for startups, young innovators, and entrepreneurs to showcase their forward-looking ideas and actively participate in shaping tomorrow's solutions.



Gujarat as a Global Sports Destination

Create a roadmap for modern sports infrastructure, talent scouting and mega-event readiness (including the Commonwealth Games).



Strengthen Women-Led and Rural Development

Focus on women's economic participation, leadership roles, Rural economy, education, health, nutrition and safety, and entrepreneurship for inclusive growth.



Actionable Outcomes

Deliver concrete takeaways - policy recommendations, MOUs, to accelerate progress toward the Gujarat's vision.



Celebrate and Build on Achievements

Recognize and celebrate the successes of Gujaratis, using these stories as inspiration for future initiatives.





Crucial for strategic alignment and collaborative planning, ensuring that all stakeholders share resources and align state and national policies for achieving **"Viksit Gujarat@2047"** goals.

Including industry leaders will provide insights into market trends and technological advancements, ensuring practical strategies while maintaining accountability and monitoring progress.

Engaging a wide range of stakeholders fosters ownership and commitment, showcasing achievements, sharing best practices, and collectively addressing challenges and devising solutions.



The conclave will spotlight several growth-driving sectors and themes that are critical to Gujarat's future. Experts and leaders will discuss each of these areas to identify opportunities, challenges, and strategies for development:

Economic Growth & Industrial Transformation with Quality for Global Competitiveness

- ▶ Smart Manufacturing
- ▶ Empowering MSME
- ▶ Export-led growth & global value chains
- ▶ Ease of doing business 2.0
- ▶ Skilled Workforce & Innovation
- ▶ Investment promotion & FDI
- ▶ Infrastructure Development for Industrial Hubs
- ▶ Efficient Logistics & Supply Chain Networks
- ▶ Transport Connectivity for Trade and Commerce

Sustainable Development & Climate Action

- ▶ Renewable energy expansion
- ▶ Water conservation & circular economy
- ▶ Climate-resilient agriculture
- ▶ Green mobility & decarbonization
- ▶ Waste to Wealth
- ▶ Sustainable Transport Infrastructure

Digital & Technological Advancement

- ▶ AI & Industry 4.0 adoption
- ▶ Digital public infrastructure
- ▶ Cybersecurity & data governance
- ▶ Smart cities & urban technology
- ▶ Smart Transport Systems & Intelligent Mobility

Culture, Heritage & Tourism

- ▶ Health and Wellness Tourism
- ▶ Showcasing Regional Tourism Potential
- ▶ Heritage and Culture-Led Tourism
- ▶ Sustainable Tourism Development
- ▶ Investment & Business Opportunities

Sports, Mega-Event Preparedness & Infrastructure

- ▶ Commonwealth Games 2030 readiness
- ▶ Sports cities, stadiums, athlete villages
- ▶ High-performance training centres
- ▶ Sports analytics, sports medicine, and sports technology
- ▶ Youth sports talent development pipelines
- ▶ Sports tourism & economic spill over
- ▶ PPP models for sports infrastructure

Social Progress & Human Capital

- ▶ Education reforms & skill development
- ▶ Strengthening Healthcare systems
- ▶ Social equity & rural empowerment
- ▶ Youth leadership
- ▶ Nari Shakti: Women-led Development
- ▶ Community Infrastructure & Public Transport Accessibility

Agriculture and Rural development

- ▶ Capacity Building & Farmer Welfare
- ▶ Encouraging farmer-producer organizations and entrepreneurship.
- ▶ Rural Infrastructure, Storage, and Transport for Agri-Logistics
- ▶ Improved dairy, poultry, fisheries, and livestock management
- ▶ Automated food processing and cold chain systems & Value Addition
- ▶ Sustainability & Resource Efficiency
- ▶ Market Access & Supply Chains
- ▶ Quality standards, and export promotion.

Governance & Public Service Delivery

- ▶ Innovations in e-governance
- ▶ Public administration efficiency
- ▶ Citizen-centric services
- ▶ Data-driven decision-making
- ▶ Healthcare and Nutrition





KEY HIGHLIGHTS



GLIMPSES : KEY ACHIEVEMENTS



Gujarat State Conclave 2026 is planned as a multi-format event spread over two days (scheduled for **19-20 March 2026**). The program is designed to be engaging and interactive, combining various session formats to maximize impact.

Overall, the format ensures a balance of knowledge exchange, policy dialogue, and business networking. All sessions will encourage audience participation - with Q&A segments, live polls, and an opportunity for attendees to contribute ideas from the floor.



PARTICIPATION & TARGET AUDIENCE

Gujarat State Conclave 2026 is an inclusive platform bringing together stakeholders across the country. Who should attend :



**Government &
Policy Makers**



**Industry,
Business Leaders,
MSME's & SME's**



**Thought Leaders,
Academics &
Civil Society**

**Women Leaders &
Women-Focused
Groups**



**Sports Icons
& Youth
Champions**



**Cultural
Ambassadors
& Influencers**



**International
Delegation and
Partners**



**Entrepreneurs
& Startups**

**Investors &
Financial Community**



**Sustainability
& Green Sector
Experts**



**Agriculture &
Rural Development
Representatives**



EXPECTED OUTCOMES

The conclave is designed to deliver tangible results, not just discussions :



Policy Recommendations – Clear, actionable proposals to improve regulation and ease of doing business.



Facilitating Investment – Announced pledges, MoUs, and project pipelines.



Strategic Collaborations and Networks – Partnerships across government, industry, academia, and startups.



Awareness and Branding – Strong messaging on Gujarat's sector strengths and opportunities.



Follow up Action Plan – Owners, Timelines, and Tracking for post event execution.



Aligned with the State Government's long-term development vision, the Knowledge Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KCCI) is convening the Gujarat State Conclave 2026 (GSC 2026) as a strategic platform to reflect on Gujarat's development journey and shape the next phase of its growth agenda. The conclave is positioned to move beyond reflection toward coordinated action, focusing on priorities that will define Gujarat's progress in the years ahead.

Gujarat State Conclave 2026 will serve as a dynamic forum to convert vision into actionable strategies. By integrating policy direction with industry insights and institutional capacity, the platform will drive sector-specific roadmaps, foster innovation, and strengthen partnerships for sustainable and inclusive growth.

With a clear emphasis on measurable outcomes and long-term impact, GSC 2026 aims to accelerate implementation, enhance competitiveness, and position Gujarat as a global hub for investment and innovation. These deliberations will drive Gujarat's growth agenda forward and play a defining role in shaping India's vision of Viksit Bharat 2047.





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