

Event Guide

UNICOM EXPO 2023 TestExpo, Agile & DevOps Expo and Low Code Expo

22 June 2023, Online

Time: 09:20 - 14:25 IST

Programme

The times stated in the programme are in IST

Conference Chair: Alec McCutcheon, UNICOM

09:20 - 09:25	UNICOM's Welcome
09:25 - 09:55	Security Testing is Testing. <i>Santhosh Tuppada, Software Testing Guru</i>
09:57 - 10:27	BIZ DevOps <i>Nivarti Jayaram, Chief Data Officer, Societe Generale</i>
10:29 - 10:59	High Impact Leadership Mantras in an Agile World <i>Sreekala Sunderrajan, Senior Corporate Leader</i>
11:01 - 11:31	Is There a Golden Ratio – Number of Test Specialists Per Development Specialist in an Agile Team <i>Debashis Banerjee, Senior Director, Walmart, India</i>
11:33 - 12:03	How Chatgpt or AI/ML Impacts Testing Industry? Is This Something That Will Complement or Complicate? <i>Kiran Rayachoti, Vice President Engineering, Publicis Sapient</i>
12:03 - 12:17	Break
12:17 - 12:47	Quality Engineering in Cloud Centric World <i>Gaurav Shrimal, Associate Director, Deloitte India</i>
12:49 - 13:19	Evangelizing the Site Reliability Engineering (SRE) Mindset <i>Vinita Jacob, Associate, Director-SRE, Verizon India</i>
13:21 - 13:51	Enterprise DevSecOps <i>Mohammad Anwer, IT Engineering Enterprise DevOps Manager, Accenture</i>
13:53 - 14:23	Low Code/No Code Tooling in AWS Ecosystem <i>Bhagyashree Chandak, Enterprise Solutions Architect, AWS India</i>
14:23 - 14:25	End of Conference

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Speakers' Profiles



MOHAMMAD ANWER, IT Engineering Enterprise DevOps Manager, Accenture

Mohammad Anwer has 17 years of experience (4 years in North America, Europe, ASIA-Pacific and 13 years in various IT Cities in India) in diverse domains which helping him to drive, manage, build products, platforms, applications, conceptualizing and delivering various enterprise level software engineering solutions. Versatile technology experience helping him to create organizational capabilities, processes, technologies, accelerate transformations and adoptions Agile, Cloud, DevOps to help organizations accomplish their strategic vision and objectives. Anwer is visionary leader focused on developing high performance teams and fostering culture of excellence.



DEBASHIS BANERJEE, Senior Director, Walmart, India

Debashis Banerjee is a software professional with significant product development expertise in areas of Supply Chain, Procurement, Web, Mobile, Security domains. He has spoken at 50+ speaking engagements across multiple forums and is an inventor with multiple grants and patents pending.



BHAGYASHREE CHANDAK, Enterprise Solutions Architect, AWS India

Qualities such as teamwork and sacrifice have helped me prioritize what matters in life and succeed in cooperative environments through discipline, dedication and perseverance. I am currently employed at AWS as a Solutions Architect. In my previous organisation, TCS Digital, I worked as a Data Scientist and a Machine Learning Engineer.



VINITA JACOB, Associate, Director-SRE, Verizon India

Vinita is a seasoned technology and operations leader with more than two decades of experience and demonstrated ability to provide strategic direction and thought leadership to build robust scalable applications and services – currently leading Site Reliability Engineering initiatives and building automation solutions for software and the associated infrastructure provisioning and driving the key SRE KPIs for Verizon. In her past roles, she has led the DevOps teams and built robust CI and CD Pipelines, Configuration and Code Management strategy and built Single Click pipelines to enable developers and operations teams. Vinita has a strong experience with Kubernetes and cloud-based applications, technologies and tools, deployment, monitoring and operations. She is highly passionate about DevOps, AWS cloud management, Infrastructure as a Service and Windows administration. In addition to this, Vinita is also an active member of the Diversity council at Verizon India and has represented Verizon India at GHCI from 2017 to 2019. She has also been a panel member in the "Emerging Tech" track for white paper reviews. In her free time, she loves reading and gardening.



NIVARTI JAYARAM, Chief Data Officer, Societe Generale

An Enterprise Transformation Leader, Author of Unlearning, Winner of NEXT 100 – India's Future CIO Award, Keynote Speaker, Executive Coach, Service Veteran, UN Peacekeeper, recognized for his expertise in transforming organizations for more than 15+ Years. Promotes a culture of "being dispensable" through identifying the right talent & building the capability to create sustainability in organizations. Passionate about helping people enhance their self-awareness & presence, so they can identify and realize their full potential.



KIRAN RAYACHOTI, Vice President Engineering, Publicis Sapient

Kiran, having around 22+ years' experience in Engineering in various domains and industry verticals. Currently working as 'Vice President, Engineering, Digital Business Transformation at PublicisSapient. Hands on Engineering Leader UpToDate with Industry Trends and Technologies. Currently working as one of the Engineering Lead for Retail Industry Vertical and primary focus is to improve the Quality, Automation coverage and moving into Digital Transformation and IT Modernization. Well versed and extensive experience in handling Scrum, Agile projects delivery and leading development and testing teams. Worked on projects ranging from packages, custom implementations, micro services and end to end technology solution.



GAURAV SHRIMAL, Associate Director, Deloitte India

Gaurav is an accomplished professional delivering close to 20 years of experience in heading end-to-end operations which includes project & delivery management, policy formulation & implementation, quality engineering & testing, networking to accomplish the organizational objectives. He has worked with various clients in incorporating industry best practices, techniques, and methodology into existing testing processes for effective Quality Engineering transformation. His experience in Quality Engineering spans geographies including India, North America, the UK, Asia Pacific (AP), and the Middle East in Test Consulting, Assessments, Test Programme/Project management, and Test competency development.



SREEKALA SUNDERRAJAN, Senior Corporate Leader

With close to 2 decades of experience in the Corporate Industry, Sreekala is a High impact Leader who has held various roles across Engineering, Business and People Portfolios. She is the winner of the "Women Influencer Leadership Summit award for 2021". She is the founder of "Shakti" – A deep learning venture with a vision to empower women leaders of India's corporate as top class leaders. She is a Senior Leadership coach with a stalwart ability to build and develop leaders in the Corporate World. With experience across domains, countries and portfolios, Sreekala has led turn key teams and strategies. She was instrumental in bringing leaders across 8 countries to collaborate and succeed in global programs. She has led the location strategy to set up entire Testing teams across Singapore and Vietnam in the past. With a variety of roles played, she had led development and testing teams, Pre sales, Core Engineering, Software Delivery and Project Management teams thereby gaining an end-end business sense of the Industry, hand on. A very naturally dynamic leader, she has led Agile Transformations in organizations and been responsible for bridging people and cultures to adopt and excel in this.



SANTHOSH TUPPAD, Software Testing Guru

Santhosh Tuppada has played different roles in his life which include being an entrepreneur, liar, lover, boyfriend, thief, passionate software tester, blogger, reader, trainer, coach, black-hat hacker, white-hat hacker, gray-hat hacker and what not. In this amazing journey of life, he has experienced his salvation. Not to forget that "Salvation comes at a price" and of course he has paid that price. Before he was known for being merciless, ruthless, unkind, evil, etc. And today he is known for kindness, humbleness, and some people call him "Privacy Fighter".

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Organiser's Profile



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