

# Banking Conclave

Jointly organized by

The Ahmedabad Education Society (Through H.L. College of Commerce) & National Institute of Bank Management (Pune)

**Theme: Banking Digitalization for Viksit Bharat: Innovation, Inclusion & Trust**

Date: Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2026

Venue: CEPT University, BNB Lecture Hall

## Programme Schedule

Timing	Details
10:15 – 11:00	Registration
11:00 – 12:00	Inaugural Session: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Welcome Remarks:</b> Prof Shriram Nerlekar, Director, AES</li><li>• <b>Introductory Remarks:</b> Prof Partha Ray, Director, NIBM</li><li>• <b>Inaugural Address:</b> Shri P Vasudevan, Executive Director, RBI</li><li>• <b>Presidential Address:</b> Shri Sanjay S Lalbhai, President, AES</li><li>• <b>Vote of Thanks:</b> Dr Naveen Kumar K, Associate Professor, NIBM</li></ul>
12:00 – 12:15	Tea Break
12:15 – 13:20	Panel Discussion 1: <b>Theme: Artificial Intelligence: Redefining the Future of Banking</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Panelist 1:</b> Shri Prasanna Lohar, President, India Blockchain Forum</li><li>• <b>Panelist 2:</b> Shri Binit Jha, Chief Data Officer, IDBI Bank</li><li>• <b>Panelist 3:</b> Shri Sandeep Ubale, Chief General Manager &amp; Deputy Chief Digital Officer, SBI</li><li>• <b>Moderator:</b> Dr. Deepankar Roy, Associate Professor, NIBM</li></ul>
13:20 – 14:20	Lunch Break
14:15 – 15:05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Keynote Address:</b> Shri K Rajaraman, IAS, Chairman, International Financial Services Centre Authority (IFSCA)</li><li>• <b>Chair:</b> Prof Partha Ray, Director, NIBM</li></ul>
15:15 – 16:20	Panel Discussion 2: <b>Theme: Cyber Frauds – Safeguarding the Common Person</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Panelist 1:</b> Shri Balaji Rajagopalan, Chief Technology Officer, SBI</li><li>• <b>Panelist 2:</b> Prof. Arunabha Mukhopadhyay, IIM Lucknow</li><li>• <b>Panelist 3:</b> Shri Dharmendra Sharma, SP, Cyber Security, Gujarat</li><li>• <b>Moderator:</b> Prof. Kaushik Mukerjee, Professor, NIBM</li></ul>
16:30 – 17:15	Valedictory Session:

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Valedictory Address:</b> Shri Debdatta Chand, Managing Director &amp; CEO, Bank of Baroda</li><li>• <b>Chair:</b> Adv. Saurabh Soparkar, Council Member AES &amp; Chairman Governing Body, HLCC</li><li>• <b>Vote of Thanks:</b> Dr. Monal Kelshikar, Principal, HLCC</li></ul>
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