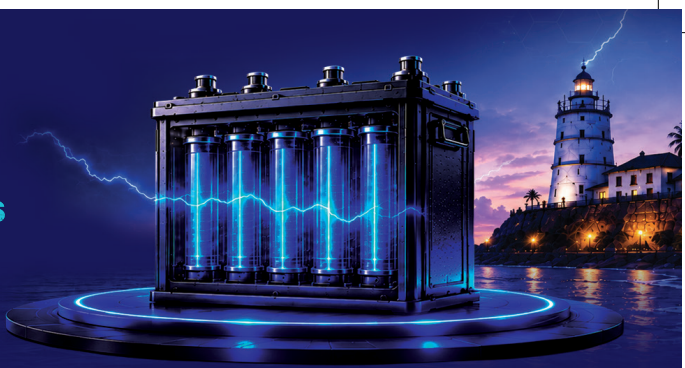
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Doubletree by Hilton – Panaji, Goa.



SCHEDULE

DAY 1 — 18th Nov 2026

3:30 PM – 6:30 PM	Registration Open
7:00 PM – 10:00 PM	Welcome Dinner at Lawn

DAY 2 — 19th Nov 2026

8:00 AM	Registration Open
9:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Inaugural Session

Welcome Speech	Ramachandra Sivaramakrishnan, Director – IBMA
Lamp Lighting	By dignitaries – President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer , ILBC Chairman + Executive team
Address by President IBMA	Mr. Avik Roy, President– IBMA

ADVANCED 12V SLI FOR TOMORROW'S VEHICLES: Session Chair: Plamen Nikolov		
9:30 AM – 9:55 AM	Chairman's Overview	Plamen Nikolov, Bulgarian Academy of sciences
9:55 AM – 10:20 AM	Global Trends & Tasks Ahead	Eckhard Karden, Technology Consultant
10:20 AM – 10:45 AM	The Asian Story	Jun Furukawa, International battery consultant
10:55 AM – 11:15 AM	IBMA Members' Presentations	Anjan Roy, Exide Industries/ Santu Saha (Tata Autocomp GY)
11:15 AM – 11:30 AM	Q & A	
11:30 AM – 12:00 PM	Inauguration of Exhibition Tea/Coffee on the side	President/Vice President IBMA
12:00 PM – 12:30 PM	IBMA Leadership Speaks	Avik Roy/Harsha Gourineni/Vivek Abrol in discussions with ILBC Chair CEOs of Exide/ AREML/ Luminous; ILBC Chair – Dr. Dipak Sen Chaudhuri to initiate
LEAD ACID FOR INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS		
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM	Global Trends	Amogh Karwa, Hollingsworth & Vose
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM	LUNCH	
RENEWABLE ENERGY STORAGE: THE BESS STORY: Session Chair: Sundar Mayavan		
2:00 PM – 2:25 PM	Keynote Speech	Matt Raiford, Consortium for Battery Innovation
2:25 PM – 2:50 PM	The Road ahead	Mike McDonaugh, Microtex Energy
2:50 PM – 3:10 PM	System Integrator perspective	Manoj Pande, Stratcon Energiaa
3:10 PM – 3:30 PM	IBMA Members' Presentations	Ganesh Moorthi, Luminous Power Technologies
3:30 PM – 3:40 PM	Q & A	
3:40 PM – 4:10 PM	Exhibition Time Tea/Coffee on the side	
INDUSTRY PARTNERS' PRESENTATIONS: Session Chair: Partha Dasgupta, Exide Industries		
4:10 PM – 4:25 PM	Daramic	Ahila Krishnamoorthy, Daramic Battery Separators India
4:25 PM – 4:40 PM	Entek	Masaki Onishi, Entek International
4:40 PM – 4:55 PM	KETEX	Mrinal Kanti Sen, Amer-Sil ketex
4:55 PM – 5:10 PM	Jinkeli	Liang Younchao, Jinkeli Power Sources Technology
5:10 PM – 5:25 PM	Black Diamond	Paul Everill, Black Diamond Structures
7:00 PM – 10:00 PM	Gala dinner and entertainment	

DAY 3 — 20th Nov 2026

AUXILIARY BATTERIES: Session Chair: G Balaji, Amara Raja Energy & Mobiity		
9:00 AM – 9:20 AM	Keynote Lecture 1	Eckhard Karden, Technlogy Consultant
9:20 AM – 9:40 AM	Keynote Lecture 2	Jun Furukawa, International battery consultant
9:40 AM – 10:00 AM	Keynote Lecture 3	P Nikolov, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences
10:00 AM – 10:15 AM	User Perspective	Tarun Agarwal, Maruti Suzuki India
10:15 AM – 10:30 AM	User Perspective	Sudhir Chikle, Tata Motors
10:30 AM – 10:45 AM	IBMA Members' Presentations	Sandeep Krishna P, Amara Raja Energy & Mobility
10:45 AM – 10:50 AM	Q & A	
10:50 AM – 11:20 AM	Exhibition Time Tea/Coffee on the side	
THE DATA CENTRE BATTERY: Session Chair: Matt Raiford		
11:20 AM – 11:40 AM	Chairman's Overview	Matt Raiford, Consortium for Battery Innnovation
11:40 AM – 12:00 PM	Keynote Lecture	Kevin Jones, Wirtz Manuifacturing Co.
12:00 PM – 12:15 PM	UPS OEM perspective	Sandeep Tunguri, Vertiv
12:15 PM – 12:30 PM	IBMA Members' Presentations	Partha Dasgupta, Exide Industries
12:30 PM – 12:45 PM	IBMA Members' Presentations	K Santhosh Kumar, Amara Raja Energy & Mobility
12:45 PM – 1:00 PM	Q & A	
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM	Exhibition Time - LUNCH	
YOUNG SCIENTISTS & ENGINEERS PRESENT: Session Chair: Dipak Sen Chaudhuri, ILBC Chair		
2:00 PM – 2:10 PM	Exide Industries	Biswas, Arnab
2:10 PM – 2:20 PM	High Energy Batteries	Dhanapriya, M
2:20 PM – 2:30 PM	Cancrie	Jain, Akshaye
2:30 PM – 2:40 PM	Exide Industries	Manna, Arghyadip
2:40 PM – 2:50 PM	Exide Industries	Mitra, Arnab
2:50 PM – 3:00 PM	Amara Raja Energy & Mobility	Naidu, Sreedhar
3:00 PM – 3:10 PM	Amara Raja Energy & Mobility	Rajshree, S
3:10 PM – 3:20 PM	Q & A	
3:20 PM – 3:30 PM	Results, Prize Distribution	By IBMA President/ Vice President/ ILBC Chair/ Prize sponsor- Mr. Mukul Vijay Singh/ CERCI Head- Dr. Sundar Mayavan
3:30 PM – 3:45 PM	CONCLUDING SESSION	Vote of thanks by IBMA Secretary Mr. Jitendra Kumar
3:45 PM – 5:30 PM	Exhibition Time Tea/Coffee on the side	

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