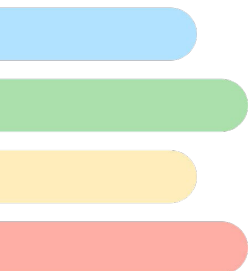


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Enabling a Secure Digital Future For
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A Partnership Built For Impact



Three organisations each a leader in their domain coming together to drive India's most important conversation on digital trust, safety, and responsible AI.

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India's digital safety crisis from AI-powered fraud to deepfakes to child online harm cannot be solved by any single sector. DataLEADS, Google, and IIPA are joining forces because this moment calls for more than awareness - it demands action, accountability, and a shared commitment to a safer digital India. Watch this video from our previous roundtable.

Focus Areas Of The Dialogue



Public institutions and digital trust:

How public institutions can help shape trust, accountability, and resilience in India's evolving digital ecosystem

Frauds, scams and financial harm in the AI era:

A focused discussion on UPI payment fraud, impersonation scams, job/loan/investment fraud and deepfake-enable deception, cross-platform scam networks, and response systems

The dialogue is designed to move from problem framing to practical response spanning institutions, financial harms, child safety, and responsible AI

Kids and family safety:

Protecting children and communities from grooming, cyberbullying, harmful content, gaming harms, addictive design, and weak reporting pathways

Responsible AI and trust:

AI governance, risk mitigation, responsible use of generative AI, and safety-by-design principles

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Don Bosco University, Assam



Hong Kong University
(Asian Network of News & Information Educators)



Australia India Institute



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FIRST DRAFT



Why This Dialogue

₹22,845.73 crore (US \$2.66 Billion) -
lost to scams in India in 2024 alone, up **206%** from
previous year ³

Deepfake/AI-powered fraud: Significant rise
across sectors; deepfakes used to impersonate
public figures and
promote scams

**THIS IS WHERE THE PEOPLE
SOLVING THESE PROBLEMS WILL
GATHER – BE PART OF THIS
SOLUTION**

UPI Transactions
(June 2025):
18B+ transactions, **₹24.03 lakh crore** in value²

Build exchange and
collaboration to
advance discussions around Democratic
resilience, digital trust, cyber security

[1] Indian Cyber Crime Coordination Centre (I4C), Ministry of Home Affairs Projections

[2] Press Information Bureau, Government of India

[3] Response given to the Parliament by Hon. Minister of State for Home Affairs (Jul 2025)

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Abhishek Singh

*Additional Secretary, MeitY
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“This initiative by DataLEADS to organise this roundtable on online frauds, deep fakes, and financial crimes has been a very welcome initiative. We do need to build awareness, we do need to talk about it, we need to make citizens aware with regard to what are the risks there and what are the measures to take up when anyone undergoes such a crime. So, indeed a commendable initiative and all credit to DataLEADS.”



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