

**DIGINITI:**  
**TECHNOLOGY AND POLICY CONCLAVE**  
**ADVANCING RESEARCH AND COLLABORATION**

**MARCH 17-18TH, 2025**

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**CALL FOR ABSTRACTS**

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# DigiNiti

Technology  
Policy  
Conclave

## OBJECTIVES OF THE CONFERENCE

The DigiNiti Policy Conclave aims to foster meaningful connections between students, faculty, and policy experts, creating an inclusive networking environment that bridges academic learning and practical policymaking. Through this platform, participants will have the unique opportunity to form research collaborations that transcend disciplines, encouraging innovative approaches to the integration of technology in governance. The Conclave will culminate in the publication of a post-conference magazine, capturing key insights, research outcomes, and expert perspectives shared during the event. This magazine will serve as a lasting resource, disseminating ideas from the Conclave to a broader audience and inspiring future discourse on technology-driven policy in India.

In order to foster a diverse array of viewpoints on the role of technology in governance, we are currently accepting abstracts for the DigiNiti Policy Conclave. This will enable participants to exchange innovative ideas and contribute to a collaborative knowledge base.

## CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

We are currently accepting abstracts from undergraduate, postgraduate, doctoral students and young research scholars enrolled in any program across the country. Independent researchers and practitioners are not allowed to submit abstracts for this conclave. The abstracts must be based on either original empirical evidence or original arguments addressing the core concerns of this conclave. You can find the [Abstract Submission Guidelines](#) below in the brochure.

## AWARDS AND ACADEMIC OUTPUTS



A monetary prize of Rs.10,000 will be awarded for the best paper presentation; details will be announced soon.



Selected presenters would get the opportunity to publish their papers in the end-of-conference magazine.



Paper presenters will receive certificates for their participation.

## CONCLAVE THEME

### **Tech in Policy: Technological Innovations and their Integration into Policymaking and Implementation**

The DigiNiti Policy Conclave represents a vision of combining traditional policymaking wisdom with modern technology. Recognizing India's diverse socio-economic landscape, the Conclave emphasises the importance of evaluating and shaping technologies like Artificial Intelligence (AI) to ensure they benefit everyone fairly. The goal is to strengthen policy frameworks, equipping policymakers to use technology in ways that support national priorities and social well-being.

With panel discussions, lectures, research presentations, and youth forums, DigiNiti provides varied ways for participants to engage. This event aims to inspire current and future leaders to embrace technology as a core part of governance and progress in India.

### **Sub-Themes for Conference**

1. *The Role of Technology in Governance and Public Policy*: Exploring how technology impacts governance and policy effectiveness.
2. *Fintech Policy and the Future of Digital Finance*: Analysing regulations that shape digital financial services.
3. *Data Privacy, Security, and Ethical AI in Public Policy*: Addressing challenges around AI ethics and data protection in policy.
4. *Smart Cities and IoT-Enabled Urban Governance*: Using IoT for more efficient, technology-driven urban management.
5. *Cybersecurity Policy in Critical Sectors*: Ensuring protection for essential sectors from cyber threats.
6. *Ethical AI and Automated Decision-Making*: Examining responsible AI in automated decisions for policy.
7. *Artificial Intelligence in Public Policy*: Applying AI to improve systems of governance and public service.
8. *Blockchain Technology in Public Systems*: Bringing transparency into governance through blockchain applications.
9. *Reviewing Public Service Delivery from Increased E-Governance*: Assessing how e-governance improves efficiency in public services.
10. *Future of Public Healthcare Systems and Tech Integration*: Exploring the role of technology in advancing healthcare systems.
11. *Introducing Digital Tools for Enhanced Preparedness for Disaster Management*: Utilising digital tools to improve response and readiness for disasters.
12. *AI-Driven Education: The Next Step in Learning and Development*

## ABSTRACT SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Please adhere to the following guidelines to ensure a seamless review process. Failure to follow the guidelines will result in immediate disqualification of the submitted abstract.

1. The abstract submitted should be under **750** words, with a set of keywords mentioned.
2. The document must be typed in Times New Roman, 12-point font and double-spaced.
3. Include the title at the top of the document, centre-aligned and in bold. The title must be followed by the author's full name, current academic level and institutional affiliation.
4. No more than **three** authors are accepted per abstract. For papers with multiple authors, all the contributing authors and their institutional affiliations must be included in the byline of the abstract.
5. Submissions should align with the [theme and sub-themes](#) of the conclave.
6. The abstract should concisely convey the research question, key arguments, methodology, findings and conclusion.
7. To avoid plagiarism, include any critical citations in the APA 7th Edition format only. Do not exceed three references.
8. The document must be submitted to the [DigiNiti Abstract Submission Form](#). The name of the document must follow the following syntax: **Your Name\_Your Institution\_Abstract**

The abstracts and papers will be reviewed by an in-house review committee consisting of esteemed FLAME faculty members. The presentations will be judged by the review committee and the panellists.

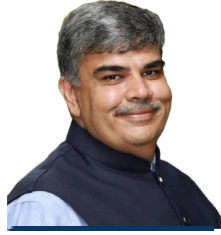
## IMPORTANT DATES

ANNOTATION	DEADLINE
Deadline for Abstract Submissions	<b>15th January 2025</b>
Notification of Acceptance	<b>15th February 2025</b>
Poster and Presentation Submissions	<b>1st March 2025</b>
Conference Dates	<b>17-18th March 2025</b>

**Important Note:**

All the submissions should be free from plagiarism. The conference committee holds no responsibility for plagiarism. The conference is based on submission of original work. Authors are solely responsible for plagiarism and, if detected, such papers will be removed from the conference.

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