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Background

Raw materials supply for public and industrial needs and its association with the problems of climate change and economic sustainability are evergreen challenges. Coal, Petroleum and Natural gases would remain dominating in energy sector at least for coming few decades in most of the Nations. However, mining and utilization of fossil fuel as energy source, and minerals for building and industry are undergoing a paradigm shift with the advent of the fourth industrial revolution, the Industry 4.0. Natural resources including metals and aggregates are being traded globally under rapid changing dynamic market behavior that often requires new policies and legislations for governance.

Access to available resources in difficult geo-mining conditions and environment friendly sustainable mining require advanced and innovative technology. Increased production target and exodus of skilled personnel from resource engineering sector have led to increased safety and mining risks. Emerging technological solutions using artificial intelligence, data mining, machine and deep learning, mechatronics, instrumentation, automation and robotics have opened up new promises for changing the mining industry.

This webinar aims at to offer a platform for the experts of advance technologies from mining and allied sectors from across the world and to provide an opportunity to the academic, researchers, industrial experts to deliberate on the state of the art advancements and smart technologies.

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Webinar Themes

- ◆ Mining process optimization and improvement of productivity
- ◆ Data Analytics, IOT and machine learning in mining: Industry 4.0
- ◆ Safety, health and environment: Sustainable practices
- ◆ Novel mining system and disruptive technologies
- ◆ Geo-mechanics and smart devices for ground monitoring and improvement
- ◆ Resource evaluation, finance and trading
- ◆ Mining machinery and mechanization
- ◆ Mine automation and instrumentation
- ◆ Society and mining: policy, law and governance
- ◆ Mines to Mill: Technology towards zero waste generation





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