

# Private Sector Pavilion presented by TERI and Becquerel Institute

5-6 September 2024  
Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi

Hall No. 14 | Entry through Gate 1 to 10

The International Solar Alliance (ISA) is a global intergovernmental organization dedicated to advancing solar power adoption for a carbon-neutral future. ISA's mission is to unlock investments in solar while reducing cost of technology and its financing. Serving as a platform for international cooperation, ISA assists member countries in solar deployment across various sectors through policy enactment, standardization, and investment mobilization. The International Solar Festival 2024 will highlight and celebrate the transformative power of solar energy and its role in powering new opportunities across the globe, leading the way to universal energy access and advancing the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Through its framework of partnership and purpose ISA ties together businesses and other stakeholders to unlock the full potential of solar energy, drive significant investments, and pave the way for a sustainable and vibrant future.

TERI (The Energy and Resources Institute) acknowledges that non-state actors, particularly businesses, play a vital role by understanding the opportunities of low-carbon economy and challenges on one hand, and by mobilizing resources and offering know-how and solutions, on the other. Over the last decade, TERI has been engaging with global business leaders, global coalition platforms and global think tanks to bring forth the voice of Global South in the discourse of international climate policies. The TERI Council for Business Sustainability, an interface of TERI's research work and the private sector, regularly engages in business-policy engagements. Details are available on the [weblink](#).

The Becquerel Institute has been engaging with ISA to [strengthen resilient global supply chain for the solar industry](#), including identification of policy levers to leverage the momentum for local PV manufacturing in emerging markets. Becquerel Institute acknowledges the need for an integrated approach to PV development, supporting not only market development but also local industry development and policy engagement. It has cultivated close contacts with numerous industry players, trade organisations and research organisations around the globe.

TERI in partnership with the Becquerel Institute, is hosting the Private Sector focussed pavilion of the International Solar Festival 2024. At the said Pavilion, TERI- Becquerel Institute duo aim to bring together stakeholders from Global North and Global South to foster dialogues to support a clean energy transition.




## Schedule of engagements at the Private Sector Pavilion

Thursday 05 September 2024 (India Time Zone)

Timings	Particulars
11:00 – 12:00 hrs	<b>Inauguration of Pavilion and Walk-Through by</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hon'ble Minister of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India</li> <li>High-level delegation of International Solar Alliance (Director General and Ministerial)</li> </ul>
12:00 – 12:45 hrs	Session switches over
12:45 - 13:45 hrs	<b>Side Event #1</b> <b>Leadership Panel</b> – India's enhanced global role in North-South partnership on faster solar energy transition
13:45 - 14:30 hrs	Lunch Break
14:30 – 15:15 hrs	 <i>Partner Session at Private Sector Pavilion</i> <b>Making India a Global Solar Manufacturing Hub – Exporting to Global North and Global South</b>
15:15 – 16:15 hrs	Break
16:15 – 17:00 hrs	<b>Technology Showcase Session #1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Presentation:</b> Key global trends on solar and storage solutions by Ir Gaëtan Masson, CEO, The Becquerel Institute</li> <li><b>Presentation:</b> Use case for storage solutions by Mr Vaibhav Dalvi, South Asia - Energy Storage, BASF New Business</li> <li><b>Presentation:</b> Integrating solar in agriculture - achievements and impacts (beyond GHG reduction) by Mr Atin Tyagi, Head- ESG, Sustainability and Carbon Projects, Jain Irrigation Services Ltd</li> </ul>
17:15 hrs	Wrap-up of day
17:30 – 18:30 hrs	ISA Cultural Program in Green Zone

## Friday 06 September 2024 (India Time Zone)

Timings	Particulars
10:00 hrs	Access to Pavilion commences
10:30 – 11:15 hrs	<b>Side Event #2</b> <b>Dialogue Session</b> - Making solar the energy source of choice - Building resilient supply chains for clean energy transitions in the Global South
11:15 - 11:30 hrs	Session switches over
11:30 – 12:30 hrs	 <i>Partner Session at Private Sector Pavilion</i> <b>Optimization of Engineering Design for Solar Projects - Case Studies and Best Practices</b>
12:30 – 12:45 hrs	Session switches over
12:45 – 13:30 hrs	<b>Technology Showcase Session #2</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Presentation:</b> Key global trends on Optimizing Solar EPC Supply Chain by Ir Gaëtan Masson, CEO, The Becquerel Institute</li> <li><b>Presentation:</b> Solutions to advance the clean energy solutions in the Global South and small islands countries by Mr Karthik Govindarajan, Vice President &amp; Head - International Business, Ecozen Solutions Ltd</li> <li><b>Presentation:</b> Decarbonizing India's electricity sector towards achieving Net Zero – Insights from national and sub-national studies by Mr AK Saxena, Senior Director – Electricity and Fuels, TERI</li> </ul>
13:30 – 14:30 hrs	Lunch Break
14:30 – 15:00 hrs	Session switches over
15:00 - 16:00 hrs	<b>Side Event #3</b> <b>Fireside Chat</b> – Getting Just Energy Transitions at centerstage with enhanced Private Sector Investments - Models for Multistakeholder Collaboration <i>Screening of multimedia film – Building a resilient future: Mainstreaming finance and investment for Just Transition</i>
16:00 hrs	Session Close and wrap-up of day
16:00 – 17:00 hrs	All proceed to Plenary Hall for Valedictory Session