

PLENARY SESSION

**ACCELERATING THE ENERGY TRANSITION
FOR INDIA'S GREEN GROWTH PATH**

Monday 27 April 2026
Dr MCRHRD Institute of Telangana, Hyderabad

Agenda Flow (Draft)

Timings	Particulars
2 mins	Welcome and Introductions: by TISS
10 mins	Keynote Address & Setting the Context: Rising Ambition – Carving New Pathways – India's Energy Transition <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Ajay Shankar, Distinguished Fellow, TERI; former Secretary, Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion in the Government of India; former Member Secretary of the National Manufacturing Competitiveness Council
2 mins	On-stage Moment and Photo-Op: Handover of Book authored by Mr Ajay Shankar to Prof Aseem Prakash, School of Public Policy and Governance & Campus Director, TISS Hyderabad and other dignitaries
25 mins	Interactive Discussion: Perspectives from Industry Implementers and Solution Innovators <i>Moderator:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Arupendra Nath Mullick, Associate Director, TERI Council for Business Sustainability <i>Panelists:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Ajay Shankar, Distinguished Fellow, TERI • Ms Shivi Dwivedi, Stakeholder Engagement & EMDE Lead, High Level Climate Champions Team • Mr R Veman, Sustainability Lead - Paperboards & Specialty Papers Division (PSPD), ITC Ltd • Dr KN Rao, Corporate Head of EHS (Environment, Health, and Safety), AFR (Alternative Fuels and Raw Materials), and Energy Sustainability, My Home Industries Pvt Ltd • Mr Kavikrut, CEO, T-Hub (affiliated with Transition VC Fund)
10 mins	Fireside Chat: <i>Speakers</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Gautam Reddy, Chief Operating Officer, Greenko and CEO, AM Green Ammonia • Mr Sobhanbabu PRK, Acting Director, Institute of Energy Transition, TERI <i>Moderator</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business Editor, TV9 Telugu News
3 mins	Vote of Thanks by TERI