

Accidental Anecdotes: Of Conversations, Experiences, and Reflections on Sustainability

#SustainabilityDialogues



Stalwarts from the social impact and CSR ecosystem at Accidental Anecdotes held in DA headquarters



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5:30 pm



**DA Headquarters,
New Delhi**

An evening filled with stories, voices of experience, moments of serendipity, and deep reflections on sustainability unfolded at Accidental Anecdotes, held on 31st March 2025 at the DA Headquarters in Delhi. It was a gathering to reminisce about India's sustainability journey and the milestones that followed.

The DA team—including Chairman Dr. Ashok Khosla, President Emeritus Dr. Arun Kumar, CEO Shrashtant Patara, Associate Vice Presidents Maj. Rahul Bhardwaj, Kanika Verma, Dr. Swayam Prabha Das, and Shaila Sam—were joined by 70 eminent guests from the social impact and CSR ecosystem. This diverse assembly facilitated a rich exchange of ideas, experiences, and collective reflections on sustainability. The evening was also a tribute to cherished memories shared by guests with Dr. Ashok Khosla and the DA team, illustrating how these interactions have contributed to shaping India's sustainable development landscape.

The event welcomed distinguished figures such as Arun Maira, Jyoti Parekh, Dr. Rajesh Tandon, Usha Srinivasan, Lalit Mansingh, HH Priyadarshini Raje Scindia, Sanjay Bhasin, Mahua Acharya, Pranshu Singhal, and Chandrabhushan, among many others. These stalwarts shared personal anecdotes and insights into India's sustainability journey, touching on pivotal themes such as Dr. Vikram Sarabhai's contributions, atomic energy in India, GIS, watershed management, and more. Their stories from a defining era will continue to inspire generations to come.



This remarkable gathering reaffirmed DA's commitment to sustainability and strengthened its extensive network. DA stands proud to have hosted such a distinguished and visionary group, reinforcing our collective dedication to building a more sustainable future.



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