



U.S. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



USIBC Session at DefExpo 2018
“Linking India to the Global Defense & Aerospace Supply Chain”
 April 11, 2018 | 10:30 – 12:00 hrs
 Chennai, India

Inaugural 1030 – 1115 hrs	
1025 – 1030 hrs	Call to Order
1030 – 1035 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting <i>Mr. Pratyush Kumar, USIBC DefExpo Mission Co-lead and President, Boeing India</i>
1035 – 1045 hrs	Inaugural Address “The Indian Ocean Region: Evolving Threat Scenario and the Role of U.S. Defense towards Regional Stability” <i>Ms. Ann Cataldo, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Defense Exports and Cooperation*</i>
1045 – 1055 hrs	Special Address “India as a Major Defense Partner for the U.S.: The Evolution of a New Export Control Regime in South Asia” <i>Hon’ble U.S. Ambassador to India Mr. Kenneth Juster*</i>
1055 – 1110 hrs	Address by the Chief Guest “New Perspective on Defense Acquisition” <i>Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Hon’ble Minister of Defence, Government of India*</i>
1110 – 1115 hrs	Closing Address <i>Dr. Vivek Lall, USIBC DefExpo Mission Co-lead and Vice President, Lockheed Martin</i>
Linking India to the Global Defense & Aerospace Supply Chain 1115 – 1200 hrs	
1115 – 1120 hrs	Opening Remarks & Context Setting <i>Mr. Rahul Madhavan, Chairman of USIBC Defense and Aerospace Committee and Vice President, AECOM</i>
1120 – 1130 hrs	Special Address <i>Mr. Sanjay Mitra, Defence Secretary, Ministry of Defence, Government of India*</i>
1130 – 1140 hrs	Proven Commitment by US Industry towards Make in India <i>Mr. Kevin McSweeney, President, Telephonics</i>
1140 – 1150 hrs	U.S.-India Collaboration in Defense: Currently Perspective <i>Dr. Vivek Lall, USIBC DefExpo Mission Co-lead and Vice President, Lockheed Martin & Mr. Dave Sutton, Director, Lockheed Martin</i>

1150 – 1158 hrs **Major U.S. Defense Platforms and Indian Acquisition**
Mr. Nik Khanna, Managing Director - India, BAE Systems

1158 – 1200 hrs **Vote of Thanks**
Mr. Benjamin Schwartz, Head of USIBC Defense and Aerospace

*Confirmation awaited