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ABOUT ADEX

More than just an annual dive show, ADEX Series is inspired by the past and aims to lead the present and impact the future. The ADEX Asia Dive Expo is the largest and longest-running dive consumer and trade show in Asia, celebrating its 25th year in 2019. ADEX is endorsed by major industry organizations such as the Diving

Equipment and Marketing Association (DEMA) and China Underwater Association (CUA) and has been recognized as "Best Exhibition Organiser 2018" by the Singapore Tourism Board (STB). ADEX was also recently appointed by the United Nations and Asia-Pacific Diving communities as the "Sustainable Ocean Ambassador". Underwater360° group has managed

the event since 2009, resulting in significant growth and establishing ADEX as a "must-attend" event for anyone interested or involved in the world of diving. ADEX 2019 took place in Singapore on April; in Shanghai and Beijing on July; and will be running its maiden run in Mumbai, India on October. For more information, please visit www.adex.asia.

ABOUT UNDERWATER360°

Underwater360° (UW360) is the umbrella arm to Asian Geographic Magazines Pte Ltd and the platform that represent every major pillars of the diving ecosystem across Asia and the world. Since 2010, the platform hopes to hurdle together over 25,000,000* divers' community globally through curating content and services that offers 'everything one needs to know about exploring the world of water. Convening the global dive communities and diving industries, Underwater360° curates informative, up-to-date, exciting information, all of which is easy to digest on the go – mainly the three magazines titles, a largest and longest-running dive expo and a lifestyle, infotainment, directory and networking hub called 'Diveaholic by Underwater360°' for all the underwater enthusiasts out there. For more information, please visit www.uw360.asia.



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Highrise was formed in 2007 as a graphic design and event management company. It expanded and incorporated as a full-fledged marketing firm. Operating from Male', Maldives & Colombo, Sri Lanka. Highrise with their comprehensive solutions and holistic approach to challenges, have made a difference to well established organizations and built well recognized products. The Team at Highrise is the highest important resource and only through developing their talents and attributing them due recognition, respect and reward, will the vision

be made a tangible reality. Hence, Highrise embraces high value and respect to its team who are creative, dedicated and passionate professionals. Today Highrise is the one of the most know brand in Maldives serving world class organizations and brands in the region. For more information please contact:
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ABOUT EVENTS SOLUTION

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ADEX INDIA CELEBRATE LEGEND OF INDIA: RAJAN

By Mark Strickland



At first, the idea of encountering an elephant underwater seems rather strange. After all, these huge mammals are adapted for life in the jungle, not below the waves. If you think about it, however, with their long, flexible “snorkel” of a trunk, there are few land animals that are better suited for an aquatic existence.

Enter Rajan, India’s famous swimming elephant. Widely celebrated for his willingness to pose for underwater photographers, this gentle giant was born in southern India around 1950, then brought to the remote Andaman Islands as a young adult to labour in the logging industry. His life was not easy but Rajan did find time for romance, eventually meeting a female with whom he was clearly smitten. Relationships between the sexes are typically fleeting affairs with elephants, but their case must have been an exception, as the two were seen together frequently over the years. The female was an avid swimmer and Rajan soon followed suit, often joining her for a refreshing dip in the sea after work. Swimming was also something of a job

requirement as the logging companies occasionally swam their elephants between neighbouring islands, rather than hiring barges to transport them. The pair lived happily together for several decades, until a few years ago the female was bitten by a cobra and succumbed to complications.

Grief stricken, Rajan was inconsolable and slipped into a deep depression for more than a year following her death. Normally a hard worker, he became disinclined towards his loghauling duties, and therefore useless to his employers. With no hint of when or if he might get his mojo back, the elephant’s future looked grim. Fortunately for Rajan, it was about this time that movie director Tarsem Singh heard about his affinity for the sea and tentatively cast him in a film called *The Fall*. Rajan’s then-current location was not suitable for the shoot so arrangements were made to move him to Havelock, an idyllic, mostly undeveloped island in the central Andamans. Apparently, the surroundings and job description agreed with him and Rajan gradually regained his former joie de vivre.

After filming was completed for the movie, the photogenic pachyderm settled easily into the sleepy pace of life on Havelock, spending much of his time foraging in the forest with his mahout (handler). Before long, however, his owners announced their intention to ship him back to the mainland, where he would likely have spent his remaining years chained to a temple wall. Thankfully, the owners of Barefoot Resort, who’d been looking after him during his time on Havelock, came to the rescue. The elephant’s owners had demanded a huge sum for the animal, so the resort enlisted Rajan to raise the money via paid photo sessions with visiting divers. Averaging only a few sessions each month, Rajan eventually raised enough cash to earn his freedom, and officially retired from underwater modelling in 2014. Since then, he could often be seen wandering in the forest near the resort, enjoying his well-deserved retirement while entertaining visitors and locals alike. Rajan recently passed away at the ripe old age of 66.



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ABOUT ADEX INDIA – MUMBAI DIVE SHOW



ADEX Asia Dive Expo, the largest and longest-running dive show in Asia, will premier for the first time in India hosted by the Underwater360° with other organising representatives in the region – High Rise Pvt. Ltd. (Maldives & Sri Lanka) and Events Solution (India). ADEX India – Mumbai Dive Show will be held in Bombay

Exhibition Centre, Goregaon East Mumbai, from October 4 to 6, 2019. As many of ADEX exhibitors, speakers and visitors have observed since its inception 25 years ago, ADEX is unlike any other dive show around the world in the breadth and depth of its features – from the numerous, diverse expert presentations and

seminars to the various zones dedicating to underwater imaging, freediving, tek diving and more.

ADEX India – Mumbai Dive Show
4-6 October, 2019
Bombay Exhibition Centre

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**PARINEETI
CHOPRA**

**ADEX INDIA
AMBASSADOR**

A leading actress and singer in India, Parineeti is an acclaimed actress with two nominations for Best Actress in the Filmfare Award for her performances in *Ishaqzaade* (2012) and *Shuddh Desi Romance* (2013), and a Special Mention for her work in the former in the National Film Award. Parineeti also actively supports a number of charitable causes including NDTV's Greenathon - an initiative to support eco-friendliness and investigate poor electricity in rural villages. She currently has 22.2 million followers on her Instagram platform and growing.

GUEST SPEAKER



ADV. AFROZ SHAH
LLM GOLD MEDALIST
INDIA

**WORLD'S BIGGEST
BEACH CLEAN-UP IN HISTORY
BY UNITED NATIONS**

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"CHAMPION OF THE EARTH"**
INSPIRATION AND ACTION, 2016

Afroz Shah, a practising Indian lawyer from Mumbai, is known for leading the "World's Biggest Beach Clean-Up in History" by the United Nations for the removal of 25+ million KG of plastic and filth from the ocean, beaches, creeks, rivers, forests and is also the first Indian recipient to receive the highest environment award, the United Nations "Champion of the Earth" title alongside the former Vice President of USA, Al Gore, the Prime Minister of Bangladesh, Sheikh Hasina, the Prime Ministers from Mongolia, Mexico, Maldives, Guyana, UAE, France, Rwanda, Prince Albert of Monaco and recently the Prime Minister of India, Narendra Modi. Inspired by Afroz Shah and his community clean-up, the initiative has led to the birth of the "Global Clean Seas Campaign" by the United Nations.

For the past 206 weeks, Shah has been educating people to stop littering, and he has been monetizing plastic and adopting circular economy. He has also encouraged the engagement of schools and colleges in the fight against the marine plastic pollution. "The cleaning will continue till the ocean is made plastic and filth-free," says Afroz.

Afroz Shah has been a keynote speaker in many local and international environmental events and has been labelled as the "Indian of the Year" by CNN-News18, deemed as an "International Sensation" by DARPAN, Canada in 2018 and was also recently quoted by the Prime Minister of India, Narendra Modi, who stated, "My friend, Afroz, is an inspiration for the entire country."

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GUEST OF HONOUR FORMER PRESIDENT AND SPEAKER OF THE PEOPLE'S MAJLIS MALDIVES **MOHAMED NASHEED**



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PRAHLAD KAKAR INDIA

ADEX INDIA Ocean Ambassador
 Founding Partner, Lacadives Diving School
 Founder and Chairman, Genesis Film
 Production Founder and Chairman, The
 Prahlad Kakar School of Branding and
 Entrepreneurship

Founder of India's first Scuba Diving school – the Lacadives Diving School in the Lakshadweep islands, Prahlad Kakar, an advertising film professional, discovered his passion for the deep seas by accident after a nerve wrecking dive in Mauritius. That experience led him on a journey to become a pioneer of recreational scuba diving in India. He has since gone on multiple diving escapades as a certified CMAS Master Level diver to several islands and together with his diving school, Prahlad has trained and certified more than 6000 divers, many of whom have went on to establish their own diving centres.



MITALI DUTT KAKAR INDIA

ADEX India Ocean Ambassador, Co-Founder,
 Reef Watch Marine Conservation, Co-Founder,
 Lacadives Diving School, Producer, Genesis Film
 Production, Founder And Director, The Prahlad
 Kakar School Of Branding And Entrepreneurship

Co-founder of Reef Watch Marine Conservation, prolific ad-film producer Mitali Dutt Kakar, has been actively involved in creating awareness in the marine conservation scene through initiating education programmes, documentaries and research. An avid diver, she has also logged more than 5000 dives and trained both local and international students over two decades. In 1998, she produced the award winning film "Troubled Waters" to highlight the effects of global warming on coral reefs in the Lakshadweep islands and has also been involved in several environmental television film series. Combining her passion for films, marine conservation, photography and scuba diving, Mitali is focused on educating the younger generation to be socially conscious individuals.



**AHMED
GABR**
EGYPT

GUINNESS WORLD RECORD HOLDER IN THE DEEPEST SCUBA DIVE - 332.35_M (1,090.4 FT)

Ahmed Gabr's record scuba dive 332.35 metres into the Red Sea is the deepest ever. Making a stand for our oceans, he founded an organisation and mobilised 614 divers for the world's largest underwater cleanup. As a technical diving instructor trainer he is backed by more than 20 years experience in sport and military diving; an ex-Special Forces officer, a graduate of the US Combat Diver course, his passion for technical diving began soon after becoming a professional dive instructor in 1996.

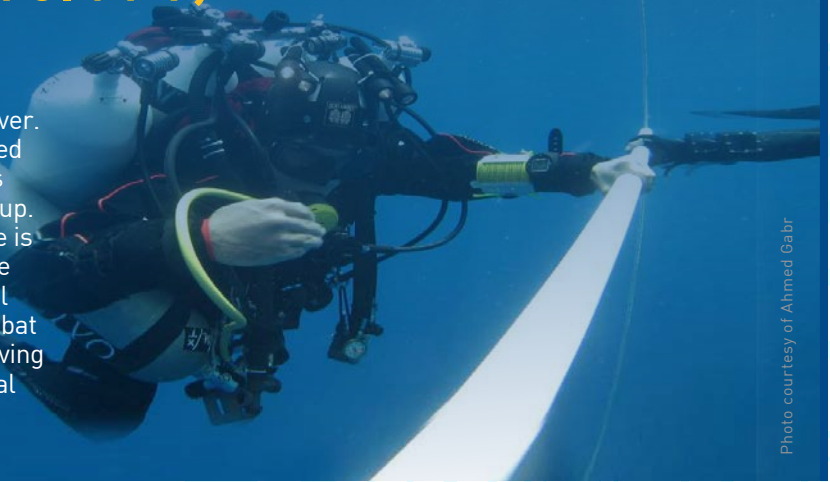


Photo courtesy of Ahmed Gabr



**FAISAL
JAWAD
HASHIM**
KUWAIT

GUINNESS WORLD RECORD HOLDER FOR THE FASTEST 10KM SCUBA DIVE 5 HOURS 24 MINUTES

A diver with paraplegia, Faisal overcame depression following his disability that was sustained from a horrible car accident, to start Alfaisal Universal Center – the biggest health institute in the field of physiotherapy in terms of vision and concept. Faisal enjoys diving because he feels free underwater. In August 2018, he became the Guinness World Record holder for the fastest 10 km scuba dive at an astonishing time of 5 hours 24 minutes in Hurgada, Egypt. His triumph over his disability has rebuilt his confidence and made him a motivational speaker and trainer.



Photo courtesy of Faisal Jawad Hashim

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FRIDAY OCTOBER 4, 1:30-3:00 PM

DIVING 101

Enter the underwater world and debunk associated myths as well as discover the opportunities that lie in the diving industry. This panel delves deep into various diving disciplines such as scuba diving, freediving, mermaiding, and underwater photo/videography. This panel will share and explore its definition, the knowledge, skill-training and certification required for aspiring or novice scuba divers to embark into their preferred diving disciplines and the various career prospects available – in India and across Asia.

Join in the conversation with key thought leaders, industry movers and shakers, and "record-breaking" practitioners as they share their personal experiences and valuable insights from their first dive experience to the career that they have built from diving.



PANELISTS

MATT WENGER (SWITZERLAND)

Regional Manager, PADI

FAISAL JAWAD HASHIM (KUWAIT)

GUINNESS World Record Holder for the Fastest 10km Scuba Dive (5 hours 24 mins)

MARK STRICKLAND (USA)

Underwater Photographer, Bluewater Photo

MAJOR VIVEK JACOB (INDIA)

Special Forces, Veteran Indian Army

JONAH SKOLES (HOLLAND)

Freediving Instructor, Technical Dive Instructor, Equipment Technician Trainer

NEIL FRANCIS (UNITED KINGDOM)

SSI Business Development and Training Director – SSI India, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Myanmar, Vietnam and Cambodia

MODERATOR

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Chairman, Genesis Film
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7 Reasons to Visit Likupang, The Beauty Untouched from Northern Part of Sulawesi



Looking for an incredible tropical destination brimming with a bevy of pearly-white sand beaches and boasting an abundance of lush greenery? Take an hour-long ride from Manado to reach Likupang, Indonesia and soak in the beauty of the natural sights that will rejuvenate your senses. Explore the breath-taking landscape and let these trip ideas refresh you on your unique holiday in Likupang.

1. Bahoi Ecotourism Village

An eco-adventurer's paradise, the coastal village of Bahoi is a community-based marine-protected area where you can get up close and personal with coral reefs, seagrass beds, and mangrove forests. Let the breeze cool you off as you take a walk on the bridge that runs through the beautiful forest, feel the fine white sand under your feet as you amble along the beach, or marvel at the rich marine life as you enjoy some snorkelling and diving.

2. Gangga Island

The Gangga Island is certainly a slice of heaven for nature lovers. It offers a gorgeous white-sand beach with azure seawater, a fascinating underwater world, dreamy sunrise and sunset views, wonderful dive sites, and exotic resorts. What more could you ask for?

3. Paal Beach

Take a leisurely meander down the Paal beach, chill in a gazebo, gaze at the surrounding hills, dip your feet in the bright blue water, bask under the warm sun or go for a speedboat ride. Spending some time on this calm and clean beach is a great source of stress relief.

4. Pulisan Beach & Hills

The Pulisan Beach is yet another perfect spot to relax and unwind. Trek through the green savanna hills, explore the rock pools and caves, try snorkelling or take an invigorating swim in the crystal-clear water.

5. Lihaga Island

Wrapped in a sugary-white stretch of sand and surrounded by breath-taking turquoise seawater, Lihaga Island is a true beach lover's delight. This tiny uninhabited island is a hidden gem offering stunning scenic vistas and great snorkelling opportunities.

6. Larata Hill

Admire the panoramic views of the sea from the top of the grassy Larata Hill in Kinunang village. The huge expanse of the green grass and the brilliant hues of the blue water are bound to add a magical atmosphere to your photos.

7. Likupang Beach

Likupang Beach is one of the most amazing beaches in Indonesia showcasing soft white sand, calm blue seawater, and green rolling hills. Lounge on the charming beach, spot a green turtle, or strap on some flippers and go on a snorkelling tour in the translucent water. A boat ride from the Likupang Beach will transport you to the not-so-far Bunaken National Marine Park that's home to a rich coral ecosystem with extraordinary biodiversity and offers some of the best dive sites in Indonesia.

Another popular attraction close to Likupang is the Lembeh Strait that's famous for its muck diving and macro underwater photography. Wildlife enthusiasts can hop over to the nearby Tangkoko Nature Reserve and grab the chance to witness rare endemic species like tarsiers, the crested black macaques, Maleo birds, cuscus, and hornbills.

So, enjoy the brilliance of the unspoiled beaches, snorkel, and dive to your heart's content, and be surrounded by the immense beauty of nature on your next Likupang trip. Have a great time and return completely invigorated! (HR)

Source: www.indonesia.travel

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Bangka Island,
East Likupang



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EXPERT SPEAKERS



ROBERT SCAMMELL

UNITED KINGDOM

PADI Course Director, PADI Tri-mix Instructor Trainer, Instructor Examiner

Rob has over 30 years diving experience and is a PADI Course Director, Instructor Examiner, and a PADI Tri-mix Instructor Trainer. Rob has been traveling to India on behalf of PADI for ten years and is widely known across the diving community as the person who has certified the majority of Indian PADI Instructors, along with conducting various seminars for PADI members in India. In early 2018 Rob took on the role of Regional Training Consultant for India, meaning he now spend more time traveling around India supporting PADI members and Dive Centres and Resorts. Along with helping promote the Indian Industry and its positive growth both in country along with its outbound tourism market. Rob is a firm believer in the potential of the Indian market and PADI and enjoys working with members within India to that end.



PAUL TANNER

UNITED KINGDOM

Territory Director, PADI Asia Pacific

Paul Tanner, affectionately known as Tosh, is the Territory Director for PADI Asia Pacific. Paul started his career in the Dive Industry over 20 years ago as a PADI Dive Instructor. Since then he has been a PADI Examiner, PADI Course Director and a PADI Regional Manager. Throughout his career he has worked in several exotic locations in the Caribbean and Asia.



MATT WENGER

SWITZERLAND

Regional Manager, PADI

With twenty years as a PADI Pro under his belt, Swiss-made Matt Wenger is coming into his fourth year as the PADI Regional Manager for the Maldives. Having first set foot in the island nation in 2008 as the dive centre manager for Anantara Dhigu, Veli and Naladhu, and later working for the Park Hyatt brand, PADI Course Director and Examiner Matt has a long history with the country. Since his return in 2016 as PADI Regional Manager, Matt has overseen the steep growth in PADI's reach in the Maldives, across both luxury resorts and emerging local island destinations. Matt is passionate about keeping a commitment to the environment at the core of everything PADI represents in the Maldives and is dedicated to implementing PADI's Four Pillars of Change.



NEIL FRANCIS

UNITED KINGDOM

SSI Business Development and Training Director – SSI India, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Myanmar, Vietnam and Cambodia

Based out of Thailand Neil is an SSI International Training Director, and has been active in the diving industry for over

12 years. Originally from the UK, Neil moved to southeast Asia in 2008 and has been responsible for developing SSI India since 2014. Neil devotes time working closely with SSI Professionals, Centers and Resorts across the Indian mainland and the Andaman Islands and has built up strong personal and professional relationships within the diving industry in India.

"The marketplace in India is about to explode. With the diversity of courses available from SSI, I am excited to be a part of the next step of the industry evolution in India."



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TEKDIVE AND SCUBA DIVING SPEAKERS



JONAH SKOLES

HOLLAND
Technical Dive Instructor,
Freediving Instructor and Equipment
Technician Trainer

Jonah Skoles' thirst for learning has never ended. He grew up in Auroville in the South of India. As a Technical Dive Instructor, Freediving Instructor and Equipment Technician Trainer, he has been able to share his passion for the sea with divers of all ages from kids to experienced tec divers. Being one of the pioneers of technical diving and sidemount training in India, he has been part of the exploration of the deeper coast of South India where Sidemount has permitted. He has now branched out to take the best parts of all he has learnt, and coalesced them into his own diving and research center in Auroville, South India.



MAJOR VIVEK JACOB

INDIA
Special Forces,
Veteran Indian Army

A Special Forces Operative for 14 years and a specialist in Counter-Terrorist Missions and Precision Combat Shooting, Major Vivek Jacob is also trained in sky diving, scuba diving, high-altitude endurance trekking and unarmed combat. Vivek now leads a team of highly trained ex-special Forces instructors in combat sky and scuba diving, adaptive scuba diving, unarmed combat, mountaineering, as well as survival and emergency med response under 'Special Forces Adventures.com'. His mission is to train people with disabilities and the abled alike in the above skills and empower them to lead independent and powerful lives.



COMMANDER VISHWANATH RAJAN

INDIA
Technical & Public Safety Diving
Instructor Founder And Director Scuba
Evolution India Pvt Ltd

Vishwanath is a technical Trimix and Full Cave Diver. He retired from the Indian Navy to pursue teaching scuba diving full time, and eventually co-founded the first dive centre in Mainland India, Scuba Evolution India in Goa, where dive safety and top quality dive education is the mantra. He teaches Technical and Public Safety Diver courses, along with Marine Resource Management, coral and shark conservation.



JULIEN FORTIN

FRANCE
PADI Course Director & Tec Instructor
Trainer, TDI & IANTD Technical &
Cave Dive Instructor, GUE (Global
Underwater Explorers) Fundamentals
instructor, Technical Diving India

Julien Fortin is a PADI Course Director and Tec Instructor Trainer, TDI and IANTD technical and cave dive instructor, and a GUE (Global Underwater Explorers) Fundamentals instructor. He is currently splitting his time between India and Mexico where he works on various teaching and exploration projects. He has taught numerous courses across Asia, America and Europe and runs Technical Diving in India, where he has trained dozens of technical divers up to Trimix level. Quality-oriented, dedicated to team-diving, standardized procedures, and focused on the usage of helium-based mixes to support aggressive diving, he is an active member of the community and is devoted to growing a network of like-minded divers.



ABI CARNADIE

INDONESIA
Industry Consultant for PADI Asia Pacific,
Member of Marine Tourism Development
and Acceleration Team Ministry of
Tourism of Indonesia and Co-founder of
Bubbles Dive Center, Jakarta

Abi started diving in 1986 and becoming PADI Instructor in 1996. He is the co-founder of Bubbles Dive Centre, Jakarta. He is a member of Marine Tourism Development and Acceleration Team Ministry of Tourism of Indonesia. More than 20 years as a diving professional, he has been actively supporting the Indonesia diving industry. From 2016 he acted as PADI Industry Consultant serving Indonesia, an indisputable and one of the world's best diving destinations for marine diversity.



ANEES ADENWAL

INDIA
CMAS & PADI 5 star Instructor
Director & Partner at Orca Dive Club
Underwater Film Services

Anees Adenwala is India's first few Scuba Diving instructors who was tasked with setting up a dive centre in the uncharted waters of the Lakshadweep Islands in 1996. With two dive centres in Lakshadweep, Anees returned to Mumbai in 2003 to set up two passion projects: an Underwater Filming Company and the Orca Dive Club. ORCA aims to make Divers and Novices in this field responsible, safe and environmentally conscious. Anees's Underwater Film Services comprises of a professional team specialised in underwater stunts/action and filming. Anees has trained and worked with many Bollywood, Tollywood, Marathi Film and TV personalities, and UFS has shot for more than 200 productions for underwater sequences.

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SATURDAY OCTOBER 5, 12:00-1:30 PM

INDUSTRY DIALOGUE: SUSTAINABLE DIVING TOURISM~INDIAN OCEAN

Explore the integration of sustainability into the diving industry strategy. Sustainability is important for the ocean, environment, country, and businesses in the long run. Sustainability for the future of our industry is profitable, environmentally sound and socially balanced. Recently reported on Times of India and a survey conducted by Booking.com, 97% per cent of Indian travellers want to travel sustainably and 88% per cent are willing to pay for premiums for the same.

This dialogue aims to convene a panel of industry experts and leaders from dive professionals and operators, national tourism organisations and ocean experts to discuss and share the status quo and coming up with different ideas to achieve the sustainable development goals in India and Asia through the ocean-conscious business models.



PANELISTS

ZOONA NASEEM (MALDIVES)

Winner of International Ocean Awards 2019, Padi Course Director, National Award Winner in Recreational Diving 2018

ROBERT SCAMMELL (UNITED KINGDOM)

PADI Course Director, PADI Tri-mix Instructor Trainer, Instructor Examiner

MITALI DUTT KAKAR (INDIA)

ADEX INDIA Ocean Ambassador, Co-Founder, Reef Watch Marine Conservation, Co-Founder, Lacadives Diving School, Producer, Genesis Film Production, Founder and Director, The Prahlad Kakar School of Branding and Entrepreneurship

NISHAN PERERA (SRI LANKA)

Co-Founder & Director Blue Resources Trust, Sri Lanka

JONAH SKOLES (HOLLAND)

Technical Dive Instructor, Freediving Instructor and Equipment Technician Trainer

ABI CARNADIE (INDONESIA)

Industry Consultant for PADI Asia Pacific, Member of Marine Tourism Development and Acceleration Team Ministry of Tourism of Indonesia and co-founder of Bubbles Dive Center, Jakarta

NEIL FRANCIS (UNITED KINGDOM)

SSI Business Development and Training Director - SSI India, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Myanmar, Vietnam and Cambodia



MODERATOR

IBRAHIM NAEEM (MALDIVES)

Director, Environmental Protection Agency Maldives

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TEKDIVE AND SCUBA DIVING SPEAKERS



SB ARAVIND
INDIA

PADI Master Instructor
Disabled Diver Instructor

Aravind Tharunsri, born in Chennai, was once a water baby later turned to Aqua Man (PADI Master Instructor, Disabled Diver Instructor) who is equipped with 10+ years of experience in the Scuba Diving industry. Having conducted several recreational and professional level dive training courses for individuals, as well as government organizations such as, NDRF, SDRF, Marine Police, Tamil Nadu Fire & Forest Department, Aravind is also a director for Temple Adventures - the largest 5 Star PADI IDC diving resort in Mainland India, of which all operations at their facility in Pondicherry, India are closely monitored.



JOHN SEDDON
HONG KONG

Export Sales & Senior Technical
Training Manager (Asia Pacific)

After a long career in diving operations and retail, John joined Scubapro in 2002. A course director from 1995, his main diving interests are in cave diving and World War 2 ship wrecks.

Many in the diving community know John from the many Scubapro technical training programs that are conducted across Asia-Pac for the industry partners every year, and his extensive Diving product knowledge. John will be talking about a few of the new Scubapro products for the 2019/20 Asian market and updates in Dive Computer Tech including the new Scubapro HUD and Full face Mask air delivery options.



ROB PARTRIDGE
INDIA

Master Instructor,
Technical Dive Instructor and First Aid
Instructor Trainer

A qualified Master Instructor, Technical Dive Instructor and First Aid Instructor Trainer, Rob Partridge has various instructor ratings from many international dive agencies. Partridge established Temple Adventures in 2008 and this dive training centre has trained thousands of certified divers in the past decade. With his mechanical background and technical training, Rob has facilitated and assisted defense training all around India for the Navy, Coast Guard, Marine Police, and Army. He currently resides in Pondicherry with his wife and sons.



JACKSON PETER
INDIA

Founder & Managing Director, Cool Divers Pvt. Ltd. Founder & Managing Director, Bond Ocean Safari Founder & Managing Trustee, Planet Ocean Foundation (A Non-Profit Organization)

Hailing from a traditional fisherman family in a small coastal village Vadackal in Alappuzha, Jackson joined a USA-based MNC in UAE right after his graduation. Firmly grounded in his upbringing, it was natural for him to be fascinated by the ocean. After returning to India, he plunged heart and soul into establishing Cool Divers and Bond Ocean Safari, a well-known adventure sports tour company in his native Kerala. Over the last couple of years, he has worked to make Cool Divers and Bond Ocean Safari one of the most innovative and unique adventure sports outfit in the state. They undertake scuba diving, bond safari (first of it's kind operation in India) and snorkeling trips in the region and set to launch more adventure tourism products like semi-submarine, parasailing and game fishing by the start of next tourism season. Dedicated in giving back to the oceans, he has kick-started a campaign called #OceanLove with the aim to raise awareness about marine pollution. His organization has spearheaded programmes to raise awareness about marine plastic pollution in Kerala, such as the "World's First Underwater CEO Conference", "India's First Underwater Wedding", "Kerala's First Underwater Plastic Clean-Up Initiative" and "Planet Ocean Foundation" - a self-sustainable initiative to keep the Arabian sea free from plastic debris.



SANDIP NAIR
INDIA

An M.Tech graduate in Mechatronics from BESU Shibpur (presently IEST Shibpur)

Mr. Sandip Nair: An M.Tech graduate in Mechatronics from BESU Shibpur (presently IEST Shibpur), has worked on the design and development of RC blimp since the commencement of his M.Tech project work.

2012 to 2014 he was working for few unique inflatable products for advertisement, underwater salvaging and aerial surveillance requirements which were successfully designed and tested.

He founded and lead Agastya Buoyant Pvt Ltd, an inflatable technology company, to establish in market its credibility with products such as trash boom (deployed for Clean Ganga Mission and lake cleaning), Underwater Lift Bag (for underwater diving and salvaging for rescue and disaster management), Biogas balloon, inflatable pools (for amusement parks and dive training) and fish tank.

He is now working as a consultant to different technical textile companies to expand the wider application of products in different domain such as underwater diving, oil spill, and disaster management.

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DIVING INTO PROFESSIONALISM

This panel will discuss the evolvement and needs of technical diving, as well as how it differs from recreation diving, and tackle both theory and practical practices that recreational divers require to conquer before the plunge into the deep abyss. Enter the strict standards, integrity and wealth of technical knowledge, skills and practices of technical diving and its other disciplines, and discuss why it is not yet a mainstream diving sport.

This chat will also address and encourage novice divers to embark into becoming a professional diver, explore what is the next steps to pursue the possible career prospects and the opportunities available in the diving industry and more.



PANELISTS

PAUL TANNER (UNITED KINGDOM)

Territory Director, PADI Asia Pacific

MAJOR VIVEK JACOB (INDIA)

Special Forces, Veteran Indian Army

JULIEN FORTIN (FRANCE)

PADI Course Director & Tec Instructor Trainer, TDI & IANTD Technical & Cave Dive Instructor, GUE (Global Underwater Explorers) Fundamentals instructor, Technical Diving India

COMMANDER VISHWANATH RAJAN (INDIA)

Founder and Director Scuba Evolution India, Technical & Public Safety Diving Instructor

JOHN SEDDON (HONG KONG)

Export Sales & Senior Technical Training Manager (Asia Pacific)

ANAND SHARMA (INDIA)

General Manager S.A.R.C., Luxfer Uttam Pvt. Ltd.

MODERATOR

AHMED GABR (EGYPT)

Adex Ambassador For Tekdive (International), Guinness World Record Holder In The Deepest Scuba Dive (332.35M), Founder, IF

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CONSERVATION SPEAKERS



ZOONA NASEEM
MALDIVES

PADI COURSE DIRECTOR SINCE 2017,
National Award Winner In Recreational
Diving 2018 Winner Of International
Ocean Awards 2019

Co-founder of PADI 5-star instructor development facility Moodhu Bulhaa Dive Centre, Zoona has been working as a PADI professional in the Maldivian dive industry for over 24 years, including 8 years at the international hotel chain Banyan Tree and Angsana as an Area Marine Recreations Manager overseeing 5 Dive Centres and watersports. During her professional career, she has trained locals into professionals and increased the number of female diving professionals. She became Maldives's second - and the first female - to obtain the rank of PADI Course Director level on 2017. She received the Rehendhi Award 2018 for "Women Working in Non-Traditional Fields", the National Award in 2018 for the recreational scuba diving category, and recently the International Ocean Award 2019 for the 'Local Hero' category.



IBRAHIM NAEEM
MALDIVES

Director, Environmental
Protection Agency Maldives

Starting out as an environmental enthusiast, Ibrahim began working to help protect the Earth's fragile marine environment in 1990. Since then, he has amassed more than 25 years of experience in the field and his passion for nature led him to become the Director General of the Environment Protection Agency (EPA) in the Maldives. His unstinting efforts for conservation and his valuable advice led to Baa Atoll being recognised by the UN as a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve in 2011 for being one of the best spots for manta rays and whale sharks to feed and clean.



NISHAN PERERA
SRI LANKA

Co-founder & Director Blue
Resources Trust, Sri Lanka

Nishan is a Sri Lankan marine biologist and co-founder of Blue Resources Trust, a marine research and conservation organization in Sri Lanka. His current work focuses on understanding the impacts of climate change and fisheries on coral reefs, and supporting management of marine protected areas. He has dived extensively around Sri Lanka exploring remote reefs and wrecks. As co-founder and owner of Island Scuba he played a key role in popularizing wreck diving off Colombo. Nishan is the author of Coral Reefs of Sri Lanka, and has contributed articles and images to Sri Lankan and international travel magazines.



ELSIE GABRIEL
INDIA

Mentor- Climate Reality
Project Founder of Young
Environmentalists Programme

Meet climate change advocate and environmentalist Elsie Gabriel, trained by former Vice President of USA Al Gore and certified by Harvard University. Elsie is a global diver having done research in Galapagos Islands, Grand Cayman, Australia, Malapascua Phillipines, Cozumel Mexico, Bahama's and many other Asian oceans. As the founder of Young Environmentalists Programme, she promotes bans on plastics and pollution. As an award-winning activist, Elsie will host and moderate the panel discussions on Plastic Ocean pollution. Join her at the ADEX India to find out how you can join forces to fight climate change and ocean pollution.



MONICA CHIN
MALAYSIA

Director, Ara Dinawan Research
Education Conservation Centre
(ADRECC)

Exposed to the ocean as a child, Chin is an avid scuba diver who has been diving for 19 years. After two years of volunteering with Trash Hero Borneo, she has now ascended onto a bigger platform: Marine & Environmental Research, Education & Conservation Centre at Dinawan Island. As an influential female diver in North Borneo and conservationist, she wants to inspire more people raise awareness to protect the underwater world and educate the young generation. She believes that if there is no ocean, there is no life.



SHAAHINA ALI
MALDIVES

First female Maldivian to work
professionally in the diving industry
of Maldives

The first female Maldivian to work professionally in the diving industry of Maldives, Shaahina has more than 30 years of diving experience. She set up the Dive Centre and worked intensely with the government to bring in and formalise recreational diving standards in the Maldives. Today, she heads Parley for the Oceans in the Maldives and is the executive who is leading a national programme to implement the Parley AIR strategy while making the Maldives the showcase for combating plastic pollution in the ocean.

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**PANEL DISCUSSION:
EDUCATING THE PUBLIC AT
THE GRASSROOTS LEVEL
THROUGH CITIZEN SCIENCE
ON SINGLE-USE PLASTICS
AND CIRCULAR ECONOMY**



PANELISTS

ROB SCAMMELL (UNITED KINGDOM)

PADI Course Director, PADI Tri-mix Instructor Trainer, Instructor Examiner

ALESSANDRO GIULIANI (ITALY)

Managing Director, SDA Bocconi Asia Center

MATT WENGER (SWITZERLAND)

Regional Manager, PADI

SHOUKATHALI K.C (LAKSHADWEEP)

Chief of Lakshadweep Dive Academy



MODERATOR

ELSIE GABRIEL (INDIA)

*Mentor-Climate Reality Project USA,
Founder Young Environmentalists*

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MOHAMED SEENEEN MALDIVES

Director of diveOceanus Maldives

Seenen started out his career as a PADI Dive Master 22 years ago in the Maldives just two years after getting his diving instructor status. A founding member of the Divers Association of Maldives, his passion for the environment and underwater photography started during the early stages of open water certification. Images were the only way he could express the way he felt to his friends. He currently works with a proud team of 30 Dive Professionals in five different dive centers in the Maldives known as diveOceanus (Three-time Gold Winner of South Asia's Leading Dive Center at SATA).



Photo: Mohamed Seeneen



Photo: Mark Strickland



MARK STRICKLAND USA

Underwater photographer,
Bluewater Photo

Mark's ocean connection includes 10,000+ dives and careers as an ocean lifeguard, a captain, a scuba instructor, and a cruise director. A passionate photographer and conservationist, his work has appeared in BBC Wildlife, Conde Nast, National Geographic, World, Nature's Best, Natural History and books like Lonely Planet's award-winning Diving and Snorkeling Thailand. His work has been displayed at galleries like the Smithsonian and United Nations Visitor Center. Mark currently works at Bluewater Photo, leading trips annually to his favorite dive destinations.

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SUNDAY OCTOBER 6, 1:30-3:00 PM

THE SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CONUNDRUM

We are all facing the same global environmental epidemic: Plastic pollution. Eight million tons of plastics are dumped to the ocean each year. Eight of the world's 10 dirtiest rivers contributing to plastic pollution are from Asia and three out of the ten rivers that releases more than 90% of total plastic debris found in the sea globally are in India: the Indus, Ganges and Brahmaputra. What can the solution entail?

Join in the conversation with the practitioners and advocates from citizen science communities, NGOs/NPOs, circular economy solution providers and government agencies as they share their insights on means to stop plastic pollution.



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MITALI DUTT KAKAR (INDIA)

ADEX INDIA Ocean Ambassador, Co-Founder, Reef Watch Marine Conservation, Co-Founder, Lacadives Diving School, Producer, Genesis Film Production, Founder and Director, The Prahlad Kakar School of Branding and Entrepreneurship

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MAIN STAGE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, 4 OCTOBER

TIME	SPEAKER / COMPANY	TOPIC / SYNOPSIS
10:30-11:00	PRAHLAD KAKAR - LACADIVES	OPERATIONAL ASPECTS OF DIVING - A TECHNICAL PERSPECTIVE
11:00-11:30	COMMANDER VISHWANATH RAJAN DAILY LUCKY DRAW	
11:30-12:00	MATT WENGER	
12:00-12:30	MOHAMED SEENEEN - DIVEOCEANUS MALDIVES	DIVE & TRAVEL MALDIVES
12:30-13:00	ROB PARTRIDGE	BREATHING AIR FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION IT'S TOO EXPENSIVE TO CHANGE MY COMPRESSOR FILTER
13:00-13:30	IBRAHIM NAEEM - ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA) MALDIVES	PROTECTED AREA MANAGEMENT IN THE MALDIVES
13:30-15:00	[FIRESIDE CHAT DISCUSSION] MODERATOR: PRAHLAD KAKAR PANELISTS: MATT WENGER, FAISAL JAWAD HASHIM, MARK STRICKLAND, MAJOR VIVEK JACOB, JONAH SKOLES, NEIL FRANCIS	DIVING 101
15:00-17:00	ADEX MUMBAI 2019 OPENING CEREMONY	
17:00	DAILY LUCKY DRAW	
17:00-17:30	MAJOR VIVEK JACOB	SCUBA DIVING FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES CORALS IN CRISIS: THE CHALLENGES OF CORAL REEF CONSERVATION IN AN ERA OF RAPID CLIMATE CHANGE SSI SWIM, MERMAID, LIFEGUARD, FREEDIVING AND SCUBA DIVING DIVING AS A CAREER FROM AN EDUCATION PERSPECTIVE AND HE IMPORTANCE OF INTRODUCING THIS SPORT TO OUR YOUNGER GENERATION
17:30-18:00	NISHAN PERERA	
18:00-18:30	NEIL FRANCIS - SSI	
18:30-19:00	ZOONA NASEEM	

SATURDAY, 5 OCTOBER

TIME	SPEAKER / COMPANY	TOPIC / SYNOPSIS
10:30-11:00	JULIEN FORTIN	SSI SWIM, MERMAID, LIFEGUARD, FREEDIVING AND SCUBA DIVING DISABLED OR DIFFERENTLY ABLED ARE MORE NATURAL DIVERS THAN US
11:00-11:30	NEIL FRANCIS - SSI	
11:30-12:00	SB ARAVIND	
12:00-13:30	[PANEL DISCUSSION] MODERATOR: IBRAHIM NAEEM PANELISTS: ZOONA NASEEM, OBERT SCAMMELL, MITALI DUTT KAKAR, NISHAN PERERA, JONAH SKOLES, ABI CARNADIE	SUSTAINABLE DIVING INDUSTRY DIALOUGE
13:30-14:00	IPRESIDENT MOHAMED NASHEED (Former President And Speaker Of The People's Majlis Maldives)	DIVING INDONESIA WORLD RECORD DEEPEST (OPEN CIRCUIT SCUBA)
14:00-14:30	ABI CARNADIE	
14:30-15:00	AHMED GABR	
15:00	DAILY LUCKY DRAW	
15:00-15:30	PAUL TANNER - PADI	DISABILITY TO GUINNESS
15:30-16:00	FAISAL JAWAD HASHIM	
16:00-17:30	[PANEL DISCUSSION] MODERATOR: AHMED GABR PANELISTS: PAUL TANNER, MAJOR VIVEK JACOB, JULIEN FORTIN, JOHN SEDDON, COMMANDER VISHWANATH RAJAN, ANAND SHARMA	DIVING INTO PROFESSIONALISM
17:30-18:00	MARK STRICKLAND	INDIA'S UNDERSEA TREASURE - THE ADAMAN ISLANDS
18:00-18:30	SHAAHINA ALI - PARLEY FOR OCEAN	
18:30-19:00	[PANEL DISCUSSION] MODERATOR: ELSIE GABRIEL PANELISTS: ROB SCAMMELL, ALESSANDRO GIULIANI, MATT WENGER, HOUKATHALI K.C	EDUCATING THE PUBLIC AT THE GRASSROOTS LEVEL THROUGH CITIZEN SCIENCE ON SINGLE-USE PLASTICS AND CIRCULAR ECONOMY

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JOHN SEDDON (HONG KONG), JONAH SKOLES (HOLLAND),
JULIEN FORTIN (FRANCE), PAUL TANNER (UK),
MATT WENGER (SWITZERLAND), ROB SCAMMELL (UK),
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MAJOR VIVEK JACOB (INDIA) and many more...

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MAIN STAGE SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, 6 OCTOBER

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10:30-11:00	JONAH SKOLES	SIDEMOUNT AND TECHNICAL EXPLORATION
11:00-11:30	JULIEN FORTIN	
11:30-12:00	NISHAN PERERA	SEAS OF SERENDIPITY: OFF THE BEATEN PATH DIVING ADVENTURES IN SRI LANKA
12:00-12:30	MONICA CHIN - ADRECC	HOPE FOR OUR OCEAN!
12:30-13:00	ABI CARNADIE	BEGIN YOUR DIVE ADVENTURE IN PARADISE
13:00-13:30	MARK STRICKLAND	AMAZING MARINE LIFE BEHAVIOUR
13:30-15:00	[FIRESIDE CHAT DISCUSSION] MODERATOR: MITALI DUTT KAKAR PANELISTS: IBRAHIM NAEEM, ELSIE GABRIEL, MONICA CHIN, JACKSON PETER, SHAAHINA ALI, AHMED GABR	THE SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CONUNDRUM
15:00	DAILY LUCKY DRAW	
15:00-16:00	AFROZ SHAH	
16:00-16:30	MITALI DUTT KAKAR	
16:30-17:00	ROB SCAMMELL	
17:00-17:30	FAISAL JAWAD HASHIM	DISABILITY TO GUINNESS
17:30-18:00	JOHN SEDDON	DEFENCE TECHNOLOGIES RELATING TO SCUBA INCLUDING FULL FACE MASK AND HEADS UP DISPLAY (HUD) SYSTEMS
18:00-18:30	JACKSON PETER	CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES IN ADVENTURE TRAVEL MARKET IN INDIA
18:30-19:00	SANDIP NAIR FOUNDER & LEAD, AGASTYA BUOYANT PVT LTD	

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Booth A06
MALDIVES HOLIDAY COLLECTIONS

Booth A07
AUSSIE DIVERS PHUKET

Booth A07 A08
ADDU DIVE

Booth A10
YOU & ME BY COCOON

Booth A11 & A12
OCEAN GALLERY

Booth A13 & A14
SPEAKER & VIP LOUNGE

Booth A15
LUXFER

Booth B01, B02
PADI

Booth B03
BLUE CORNER DIVING - BALI

Booth B04
SCUBA EVOLUTION INDIA

Booth B05
INFINITI LIVEABOARD

Booth B06
MOLA MOLA LIVEABOARD

Booth B09-B14
WONDERFUL INDONESIA

CO EXHIBITOR

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- KURABESI LIVEABOARD & CHARTER
- ENA DIVE
- DIVE CENTRAL GILI
- TASIK RIA RESORT
- SAFARI TOURS & TRAVEL
- SEA SAFARI CRUISES
- CORDELIA PHINISI
- TWO FISH DIVERS INDONESIA
- RAJA AMPAT DIVE RESORT

Booth B15
VILLA HOTELS MALDIVES

Booth B16
FLOATING ASIA

Booth B17
KAIMOO RESORTS & HOTELS

Booth B18
REEFWATCH

Booth B19
AL-CAN EXPORTS

Booth B20
LACADIVES

Booth C01
SAILING TOURS

Booth C02
RESORT LIFE EXTREME

Booth C03, C06
JYOTECH ENGINEERING & MARKETING CONSULTANTS.

Booth C07-C12
NEW PRODUCT SHOWCASE

Booth C13
FRENCH KISS DIVERS

Booth C14
ORCA DIVE CLUB

Booth C15
ATMOSPHERE RESORTS & SPA

Booth D09 & D10
SCUBAPRO

Booth D11
SHARKSKIN

Booth D1
XDEEP

Booth D13
PROSCUBA

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DE OX

Booth D15 & D17
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Booth D16, D18, D20
LAKSHADWEEP TOURISM

Booth D19
ADRECC

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BLUE K SAFARI

Booth E07
PLANET OCEAN FOUNDATION

Booth E08 - E12
KIDS ZONE

Booth E13
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Booth E14 & E15
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MOODHU BULHAA

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DIVE CLUB MALDIVES

Booth GP03
MALDIVERS DIVING CENTRE

Booth GP04
HONORS LEGACY - MALDIVES LIVEABOARD

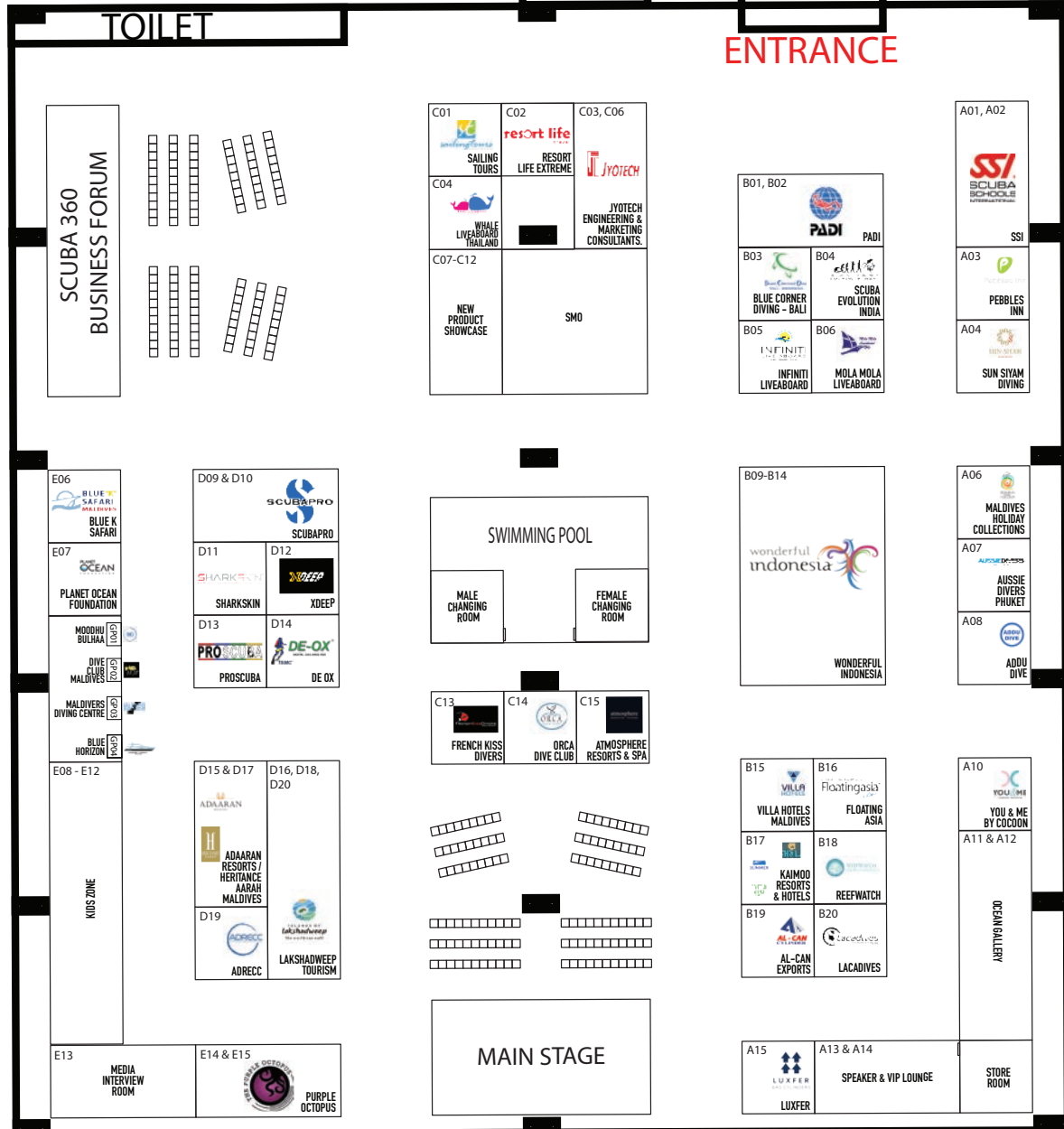
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Travel Time

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up to 11 meters

Best Time

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Unique Features

**Lobsters, White tip reef shark,
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Travel Time

1 hour by air from Mumbai,

6 hours by train from Mumbai



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**NETRANI ISLAND,
KARNATAKA** 

**KADMAT ISLANDS,
LAKSHADWEEP** 

**CORAL SHARKS
REEF, PONDICHERY** 

 **KOVALAM, KERALA**

KADMAT ISLANDS, LAKSHADWEEP

Visibility

up to 45 meters

Best Time

May – November

Unique Features

**Coral reef, Turtles, Sharks, Manta Ray
Other exotic marine species**

Travel Time

1 hour 20 min by air from

Kochi to Agatti Island,

3 hours by ferry from

Agatti Island to Kadmat Islands



NETRANI ISLAND, KARNATAKA

Visibility

up to 40 meters

Best Time

October – May

Unique Features

**Coral reef, Butterfly fish, Parrot fish,
Eels, Shrimps and Orcas**

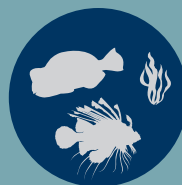
Travel Time

2 hours by ferry from Murudeshwar



CORAL SHARKS REEF, PONDICHERRY

Visibility
up to 20 meters
Best Time
January – June, September – November
Unique Features
**White tip shark, Manta Ray, Eels,
Whale shark, Coral reefs**
Travel Time
4 hours by car/bus from Somnath

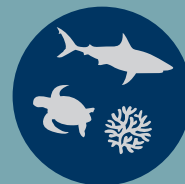


HAVELOCK ISLAND

Visibility
5 – 7 meters
Best Time
October – April
Unique Features
**Lionfish, Clownfish, Oysters,
Humphead Parrot Fish,
Schools of colourful fishes, Corals**
Travel Time
2.5 hours by ferry from Port Blair

NORTH POINT, CINQUE ISLAND

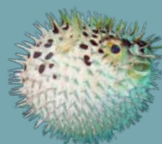
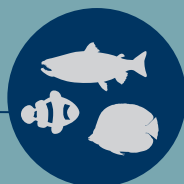
Visibility
up to 80 feet
Best Time
December – May
Unique Features
**Sharks, Corals, Turtles, Sea Snakes,
Salt-water Crocodile**
Travel Time
2.5-3 hours by ferry from Port Blair



NORTH POINT
CINQUE ISLAND

NEIL ISLAND

Andaman & Nicobar Islands



KOVALAM, KERALA

Visibility
up to 10 meters
Best Time
November – June
Unique Features
**Puffer fish, Groupers, Box fish,
Sergeants, Pipe fish,
Multi-coloured corals**
Travel Time
1 hours by air from Kochi



NEIL ISLAND

Visibility
up to 40 meters
Best Time
December – May
Unique Features
Coral reef, Sea snake, Turtles, Dugong
Travel Time
2 hours by ferry from Port Blair

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