



# BBIF IBC 2026

## INTERNATIONAL BIOBANKING CONFERENCE

**Theme**  
**Technology-Driven Biobanking:  
Enabling Innovation from Bench to Bedside**

**Three Day's Event on:**  
**5 – 6 – 7 March 2026**

**Venue**  
**Seminar Hall, School of Life Sciences,  
University of Hyderabad**

*Our Partners*



**Organized by:**  
**Biobank India Foundation (BBIF), Delhi**  
**In Collaboration with:**  
**Technology Enabling Centre (TEC) & ASPIRE–BioNEST, University of Hyderabad**

# BBIF IBC 2026 - A FINAL REPORT

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**Total Delegates – 124**

**In-Person Delegates – 115**

**Virtual Delegates - 09**

**Countries - 08**

**Total Abstracts – 33**

**Poster Presentation – 27**

**Oral Presentation – 06**

**Exhibit Booths – 08**

**Workshops – 02**

**Round Table Discussions - 01**

## Our Conference Supporters

**Haier Biomedical**

Intelligent Protection of Life Science

Channel Partners: **Genesis Bio Solutions**



**Cryo Bio System**  
Groupe IMV Technologies

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Advancing Science, Personalizing Medicine



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**ThermoFisher**  
SCIENTIFIC

**ULTRA**  **BIO**



## **Biobank India Foundation (BBIF)**

Biobank India Foundation (BBIF) is a not-for-profit Indian biobank organization for promoting biobank Science in India. It makes a common platform for scientists, biobankers, legal representatives, scientific industry and donor to work on emerging issue of biobank, cryopreservation and research. BBIF works on awareness of biobank science among stakeholders and provides a strong support & guidance to new and established biobanks.

The key activities of BBIF include Biobank awareness, cryopreservation, education, advocacy, creation of state-of-the-art guidelines, collaboration and platform to exhibit new product, findings and technologies.

### **Our Vision**

BBIF will be the leading Indian biobanking forum for promoting biobank know-how, promote harmonized high-quality principles, education, ethics, and innovation in health sciences and management

### **Our Mission**

To advance the biobanking science in India

### **Our Goals**

- To guide establishment of biobanks, biorepositories, accreditation, sustainability and management
- Promotion and advancement of the science of biobanking in India
- Bring members together to work on emerging issues of biobank and research
- Provide a strong support and guidance to new and established biobanks
- Engage scientists and interested representatives
- Encourage to follow high-quality international standards in biobanking
- Identify critical gaps in the field and provide solutions
- Develop biobanks best practice guidelines in India

- Make collaborative engagements with the governments, patients and members of the civil society on the importance of a biobanking infrastructure to manage both patient-donated and archival tissue samples for healthcare research
- Encourage and support public – private partnerships owing to their scientific, medical and commercial importance
- To facilitate national and international collaborations in basic and translational sciences

## **Conference Summary:**

BBIF IBC 2026 conference organized by the Biobank India Foundation (BBIF) in collaboration with School of Life Sciences, University of Hyderabad, scheduled for 5-7 March 2026, this event bring together leading experts, researchers & professionals from diverse fields of Biobanking.

The meeting welcomed around 124 delegates & of these delegates 115 attended In - person and an additional 09 attended virtually from 8 countries.

85% of registrations were paid and 15% were complimentary (invited speakers, BOD members, sponsors/exhibitors)

The conference featured informative sessions, keynote speeches and panel discussions on topics of biotechnology. These sessions were facilitated by industry-leading experts and thought leaders, providing insightful discussions and actionable strategies.

The organization also hosted round table discussion and workshop, allowing attendees to connect with colleagues and forge new opportunities. The conference provided a vibrant platform to showcase the latest bio technological developments, with several cutting-edge demos.

As a result of the conference, attendees gained significant insights into the latest bio technology trends and networked with industry leaders. They got exposure to new services and were inspired to implement new ideas and strategies in their organizations.

Overall, the conference created a lasting impact and was rated as a successful and memorable event by attendees, sponsors, and organizers alike.

### **Institutional Organizing Committee:**

1. Prof. Ravi Kumar Gutti, (Dept. of Biochemistry, UoH)
2. Prof. A Bindu Madhava Reddy (Dept. of Animal Biology, UoH)
3. Dr. B. Sunil, Sr. Scientific Officer, TEC
4. Dr. Anil Kondreddy, CEO, Aspire- Bionest
5. Dr. Ramakrishna BS (CEO, ASPIRE-TBI, UoH)

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### **IBC 2026 Organizing Committee**



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Indonesia

## Glimpses of IBC 2026 on 5-7 March @ University of Hyderabad

































# Walkathon organized on 7 March 2026 @ University of Hyderabad





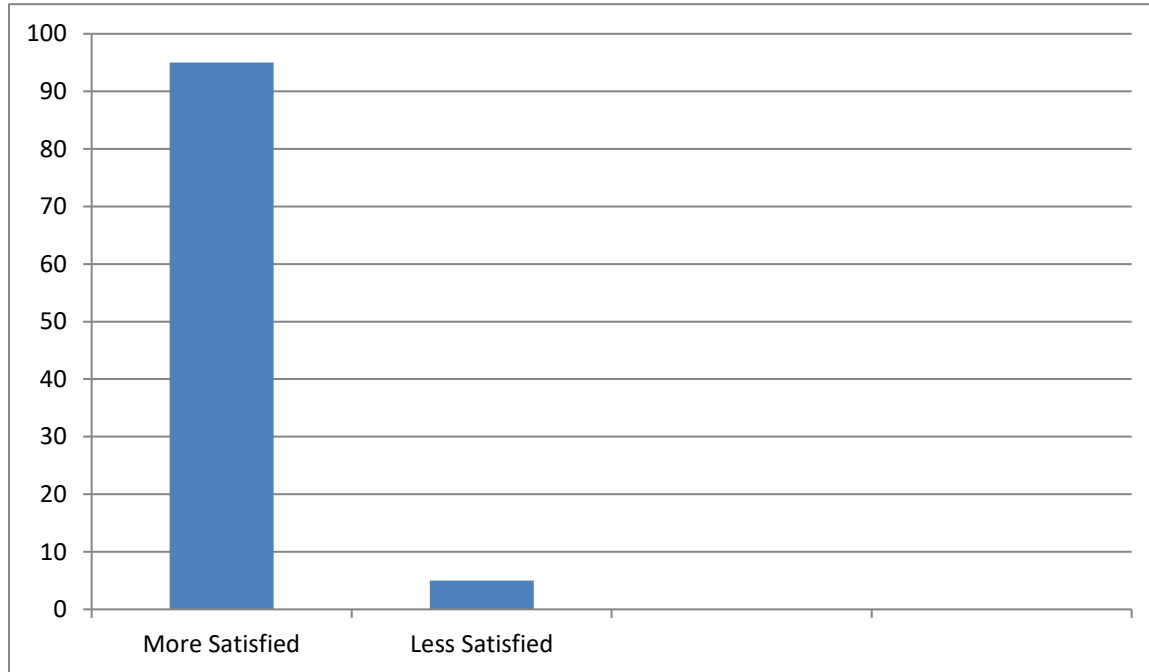


# **POST CONFERENCE FEEDBACK**

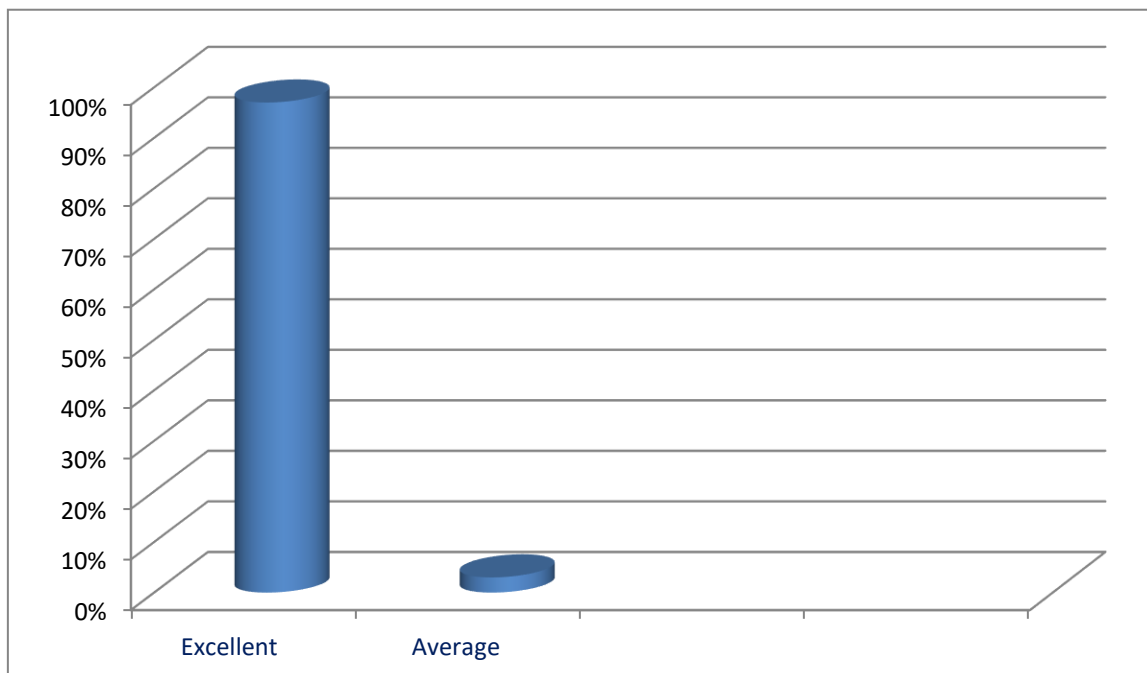
**Q.1. Which part of the conference did you attend?**

**Feedback: More delegates were present on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> day of conference.**

**Q.2. On a scale of 1 to 10, how satisfied were you with the IBC 2026 Conference?**



**Q.3. How was the quality of scientific sessions?**



**Q.4. How was the Organization and logistics?**

**Feedback:** 4 out of 5 points given by attendees to organization and logistics.

**Q.5. How would you rate the Workshop/Hands-on training usefulness?**

**Feedback:** 5 out of 5 points given by attendees to Workshop/Hands-on training usefulness.

**Q.6. How likely are you to attend a future conference?**

**Feedback:** 95% attendees are willing to attend future conferences.

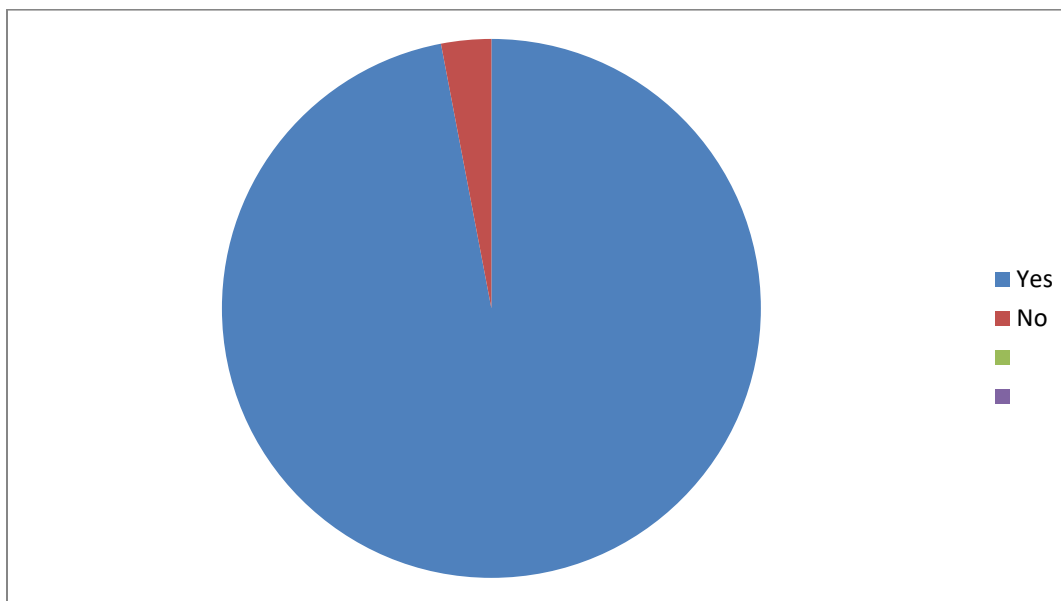
**Q.7. Which was your favorite session or speaker at the conference?**

**Feedback:** Oral presentation session and Dr. Anita Mahadevan were liked by many attendees.

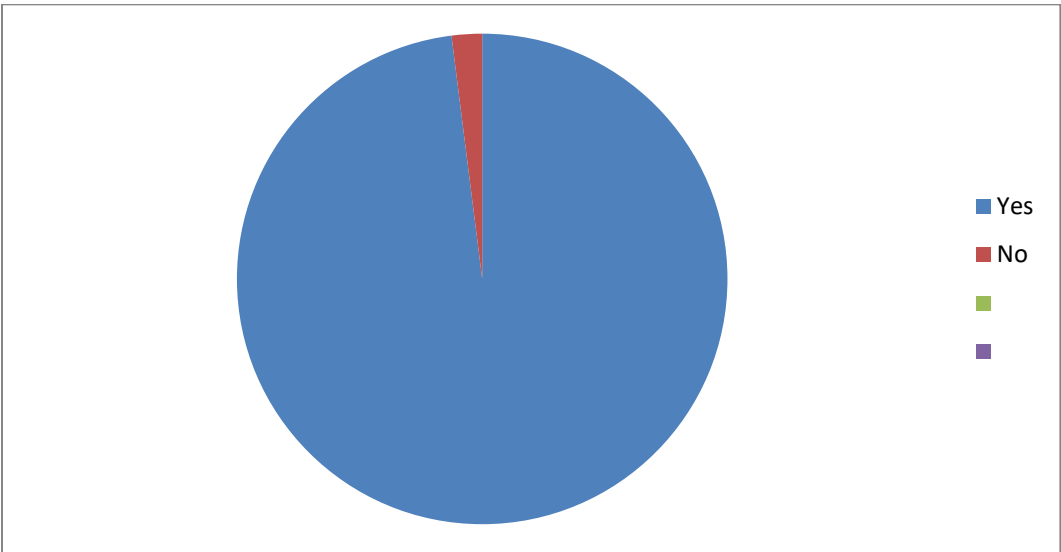
**Q.8. Which session or speaker did you least enjoy at the conference?**

**Feedback:** All sessions were equally enjoyed by the attendees.

**Q.9. Were the conference facilities (venue, technology, etc.) satisfactory?**



**Q.10. Did you find the conference schedule and agenda easy to follow?**



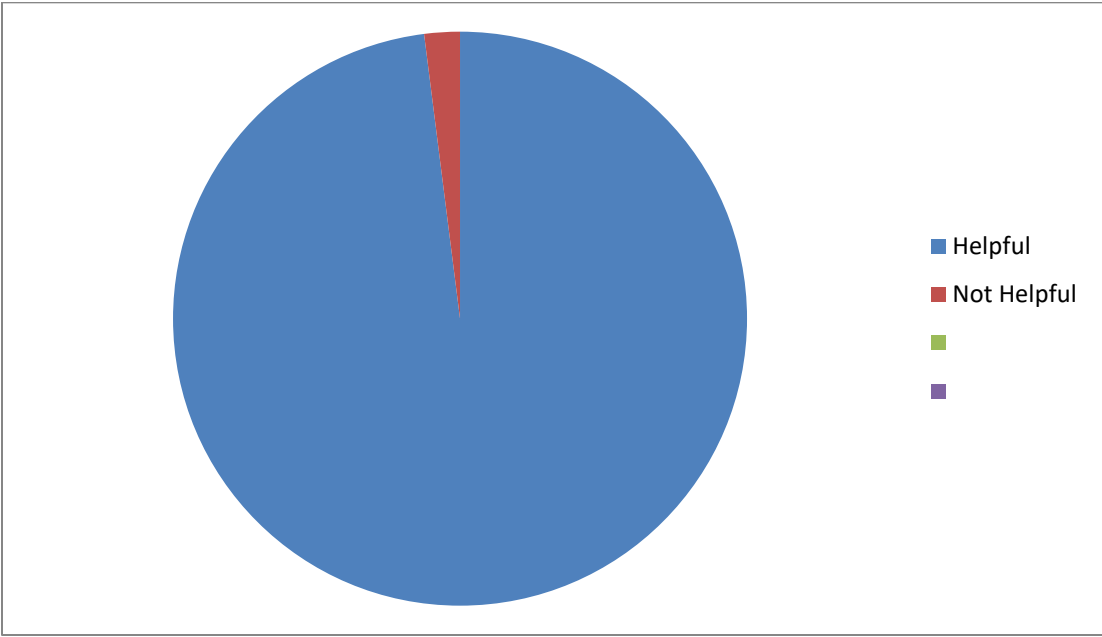
**Q.11. What is your feedback on Panel discussion “Building a National Biobank Network – A Roadmap for India?”**

**Feedback:** The panel discussion was highly informative and insightful. It clearly explained the importance of building a national biobank network in India. The speakers shared practical ideas and future directions, making it very useful for students and researchers.

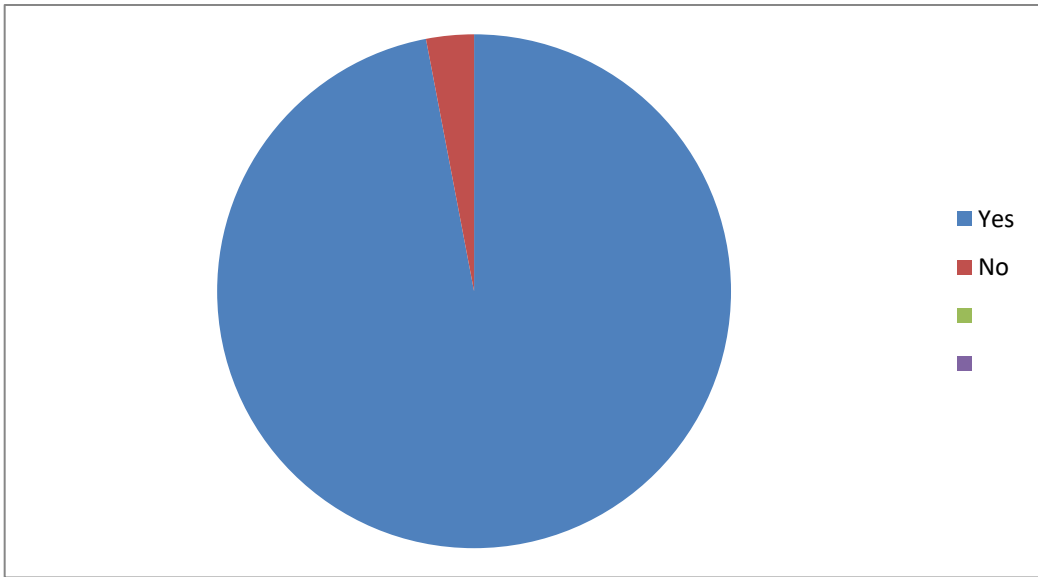
**Q.12. Were there any topics or sessions that you wished were included in the conference?**

**Feedback:** More sessions on practical bioinformatics applications, AI in healthcare and Microbial Biobank.

**Q.13. Did you network with other attendees at the conference? If yes, did you find the networking opportunities helpful?**



**Q.14. Did the conference meet your expectations in terms of content and delivery?**





## Connect Biobanking Professional Globally through Biobank India Foundation (BBIF)

### Who can Join?

Organization and Individuals from university, biobanks, company, research centers, technician, medical professionals, IT, legal & any unaffiliated person and students



### **BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP INCLUDE**

- Reduced registration for BBIF conference and regional meetings
- Opportunity to connect biobank professionals in India and globally
- Stay informed with latest biobank news through the online BBIF news
- Opportunity to join as volunteer the BBIF Executive committee, Regional Directors and committee groups

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# **Next BBIF IBC 2027**

**Date:  
28-30 January 2027**

**Venue:  
ACTREC, Mumbai**

For more information visit: [www.bbifoundation.org](http://www.bbifoundation.org)