

Organized by India SME Forum

HOSTED BUYER PROGRAM 2025

New Delhi, India (3rd-4th November 2025) | **Pune, Maharashtra, India** (6th-7th November 2025)

Vizag, Andhra Pradesh, India (9th – 10th November 2025) - *Optional*

About Hosted Buyer Program

The Hosted Buyer Program of India SME Forum aims to connect authentic international buyers with potential Indian sellers, providing an unparalleled opportunity to source high-quality products and services from India's verified MSMEs and exporters.

Through carefully curated buyer-seller matchmaking and sector-focused meetings, the buyers will have direct access to reliable Indian suppliers, forging strong and long-term trade partnerships.

Focus Sectors

- Automobiles & Auto Components
- Engineering Goods
- Electronics & Electrical Components
- Agro, Marine & Food Processing
- Drugs & Pharmaceuticals
- Textiles & Apparel
- Organic & Inorganic Chemicals

Offerings for Selected Buyers in Hosted Buyer Program

- As a part of the new schedule, a 2-day **additional B2B & networking has been added to the event in a third city—Vizag, Andhra Pradesh, on 9th –10th November 2025.** (*Participation in Vizag event is optional and based on buyer's preference.*)
 - Hotel Accommodation from 2nd November to 10th November in Delhi, Pune and Vizag, with breakfast, official lunches and dinners and all local transport arrangements.
 - Intercity travel from Delhi to Pune on 5th November, from Pune back to Delhi on 8th November, from Pune to Vizag on 8th November for buyers continuing to Vizag, and from Vizag to Delhi on 11th November.
 - Access to over 300+ verified Indian suppliers across each priority export sectors.
 - Pitch session (15–20 minutes) to present business and sourcing requirements to potential Indian suppliers and partners at Delhi and Pune venues.
 - Dedicated helpdesk and point-of-contact executive assigned onsite for seamless assistance in India.
 - Pre-scheduled B2B meetings with export-ready Indian SMEs based on sourcing interests.
 - For special buyers placing successful orders of USD 50,000 or more, reimbursement of return economy airfare (up to a maximum of USD 2,000) will be provided after the order has been shipped.
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Program Schedule

Sunday, 2nd November 2025

- Arrival of Buyers in New Delhi
- Welcome Dinner Reception for International Guests only

Monday, 3rd November 2025

- Inaugural Ceremony
- Plenary Sessions with Ministers, Ambassadors & Commercial Attaches, State Government Representatives and other dignitaries
- International Delegates Presentations
- Networking and Valedictory Dinner

Tuesday, 4th November 2025

- Pre-scheduled B2B meetings with verified Indian MSMEs across focus sectors
- Working Lunch for International Delegates & Select Sellers

Wednesday, 5th November 2025

- Delhi Sight Seeing Tour
- Travel from New Delhi to Pune (2h 10 min flight)- organized by India SME Forum
- Informal Dinner for Buyers in Pune Hotel

Thursday, 6th November 2025

- Inaugural Ceremony & Welcome Address
- International Delegates Presentations
- Panel Discussions with Experts & Policymakers
- Lunch – Hosted by MSSIDC, Government of Maharashtra
- Networking Reception Dinner

Friday, 7th November 2025

- Pre-Scheduled B2B Meetings with verified Indian MSMEs across focus sectors.
- Open Networking Session Post B2B Meetings
- Valedictory Session
- Tour of City + Dinner at Tour Location – only for International Buyers

Saturday, 8th November 2025

- Travel from Pune to New Delhi (for buyers who would like to return) - organized by India SME Forum
- Travel from Pune to Vizag via Mumbai - organized by India SME Forum
- Check in at Vizag Hotel + Reception Dinner

Sunday, 9th November 2025

- Inaugural Ceremony & Plenary Sessions
- Lunch – Hosted by APMSME, Government of Andhra Pradesh
- International Delegates Presentations
- Networking Reception

Monday, 10th November 2025

- Pre-Scheduled B2B Meetings
- Valedictory Session
- Vizag Sight Seeing Tour + Dinner

Tuesday, 11th November 2025

- Travel from Vizag to Delhi to return to origin - organized by India SME Forum

Note: Accommodation for any Early Arrival (before 2nd Nov, 12:00 noon) and all expenses towards late departure to origin (after returning to Delhi whether on 8th November or 11th November) will have to be arranged/ borne by the buyers.

How to Participate

- Interested BUYERS may register for the program through the following link:
<https://indiasmeforum.org/itd/register-as-buyer>
- For more information about the program, please visit:
<https://www.indiasmeforum.org/itd/upcoming-events>

Additional Documents Required

- Annual Imports (in USD)
- Certificate of Incorporation/ Business Registration Certificate
- Last 3 Bill of Entry/ Commercial Invoice/Bill of Lading/ Supplier Confirmation Letter/ Letter by Vendor/ of Imported Products by company
- Name of Products with HSN code looking to source from India
- Importing Licence issued by Government of the buyer

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