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**Calls for Abstracts & Proposals for LCIS 2026 - Life Cycle Insights for  
Sustainability Conference, 11-12th September 2026  
Hybrid Mode | Goa Institute of Management (GIM), Goa, India**

**About LCIS 2026**

Life Cycle Insights for Sustainability (LCIS) 2026 marks the inaugural edition of India's dedicated conference platform for the Life Cycle community. The conference aims to bring together researchers, practitioners, policymakers, industry leaders, academicians, and students to advance the application of Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) and life cycle thinking for sustainability.

Conceived as an interdisciplinary and collaborative forum, LCIS 2026 seeks to foster dialogue, encourage knowledge sharing, showcase emerging research and best practices, and explore innovative pathways for sustainability transitions through life-cycle approaches.

**Conference Venue & Format**

LCIS 2026 will be held on 11–12 September 2026 at the Goa Institute of Management (GIM), Goa, India, and will also be accessible virtually through an integrated hybrid conference format.

The conference is designed to facilitate meaningful participation from both in-person and virtual delegates through interactive sessions, live-streamed discussions, workshops, and collaborative engagements.

**Why Goa?**

Located on India's western coast, Goa is globally recognised for its rich biodiversity, coastal ecosystems, and cultural heritage. The setting provides an inspiring, contextually relevant backdrop for discussions on sustainability transitions and life-cycle thinking.

**Conference Themes**

- Technology Use in LCA.
- LCA Education and Literacy.

- LCA Methodology Development.
- Indian Roadmap for Scaling Up LCT/LCM/LCA.
- Moving Beyond Product LCAs.

### **Additional Areas of Interest**

- Carbon markets and MRV systems.
- Circular economy and waste management LCAs.
- Sustainable infrastructure and built environment.
- Clean transportation and mobility systems.
- Energy transitions and hydrogen systems.
- Climate resilience and sustainability transitions.

### **Call for Abstracts & Workshop Proposals**

The Call for Abstracts and Workshop/Special Session Proposals is now open.

We warmly invite researchers, academicians, practitioners, policymakers, industry professionals, and students to contribute to the conference programme and become part of India's growing Life Cycle community.

### **Presentation Formats**

- Oral presentations (onsite or virtual).
- Poster presentations.

### **Abstract Guidelines**

Abstracts should align with the conference themes and clearly present objectives, methodology, findings, and significance. Submissions should include title, author affiliations, and preferred presentation format and should not exceed 400 words.

We especially encourage submissions that advance life cycle methodologies, present innovative sustainability research, share policy or industry case studies, address implementation challenges, and showcase collaborative or open-source initiatives.

### **Workshop Guidelines**

We invite interactive workshop proposals that encourage engagement, collaboration, and knowledge exchange within the life cycle community.

Workshops may include:

- Structured discussions and debates.
- Breakout sessions and collaborative activities.

- Hands-on exercises and tool explorations.
- Panel dialogues with audience interaction.

### **Important Dates**

- Abstract Submission Deadline: 31 May 2026
- Early Bird Registration Deadline: 30 June 2026
- Registration Opens from: 15 May 2026
- Registration Deadline: 15 August 2026

### **Registration Fees**

- Early Bird: ₹9,000
- Standard Registration: ₹12,000
- Late Registration: ₹15,000

### **Discounts:**

- Student Discount: 30%
- FSLCI Member Discount: 20%
- Online Participation: 50%

### **Submission Link**

Abstracts and workshop/special session proposals may be submitted through:  
<https://fslci.org/events/lcis2026/>

### **About the Centre for Excellence for Sustainable Development-GIM**

The Centre for Excellence in Sustainable Development (CESD) at Goa Institute of Management (GIM) serves as a platform for sustainability-focused research, education, policy engagement, and practice-oriented innovation. The Centre works across areas such as climate action, water management, circular economy, biodiversity, waste management, sustainable tourism, and livelihoods, aligned with key Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). CESD actively undertakes interdisciplinary projects, international collaborations, sustainability assessments, training programmes, and policy initiatives, including the EU co-funded Co-LIFE project. Through its activities, CESD aims to bridge academia, industry, policy, and communities to promote responsible leadership and sustainable development.

**Location of the conference:** <https://goo.gl/maps/YUuH9kV6GcMaHS9r7>

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