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# CFO

## EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP SUMMIT 2020

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**EVENT REPORT**

# CFO EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP SUMMIT - VIRTUAL 2020

Finance leaders are convening virtually to discuss actionable insights and future technologies in the face of unprecedented shifts in Digital Transformation, Risk & Cyber Security, Business Continuity Plan and Remote Work.

## Leading Change & Driving Innovation..... A Leading Virtual Event For CFO's And Senior-Level Finance Executives

The role of the CFO has evolved significantly, as CFO's are expected to make critical decisions on business performance, transformative projects and strategic judgements on all aspects of business. The unstable and fast changing economic environment might make the role of CFO more challenging. This Virtual Platform will provide CFOs to discuss how to be well prepared for future challenges.

Designed with senior finance executive in mind, the CFO Executive Leadership Virtual Summit is the key opportunity for finance leaders across all industry sectors to examine issues, share insights and best practices.

The Summit enables CFOs to learn and share perspectives from leading experts like themselves on the best practices for tackling today's opportunities and challenges, to engage in discussions with presenters and peers to think about how to outpace disruption. The Summit will address key topics on the minds of CFOs. We have conducted extensive research to ensure that the topics on the agenda are innovative, relevant to your challenges, and of course thoughtful!

The 2020 Summit is sure to be an engaging experience.....

## WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

- Ways In Which The Role Of The Modern CFO Continues To Evolve
- How Finance Is Partnering With Business To Drive Product Innovation
- Tips To Automate, Centralize And Streamline Finance & Accounting Processes
- Successful Ways To Build And Motivate A Finance Team
- Best Practices For Risk Management, Compliance, And Data Analytics



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VIRTUAL EXHIBITION AREA

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# WELCOME NOTE

- Global impact of pandemic on current economy
- A chicken-licken psychology
- What is creative destruction?
- The future of finance
- The role of CFO, CRO, CCO, auditors as well as the supervisor of the financial sector will get the paradigm change

This Time It is “Really” Different – Limping back to a “New Normal”



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# KEYNOTE LEADERSHIP PANEL

- How do we harness our increasing responsibilities and traditional finance expertise to drive the C-suite agenda and lead substantive change
- Leading the move towards digitisation and automation: why are we still spending more time on traditional finance activities than new digital trends
- What does it take to blend the production of hard financial reporting data with the analysis and insights needed to develop a dynamic, realistic corporate strategy
- How can we shift our focus more towards becoming long-term value architects whilst still achieving the short-term performance goals our board and investors want to see
- Strengthening the Core - leading approaches for streamlining core finance processes to speed information delivery
- Delivering growth to the bottom line - strategies and approaches for balancing the drive for growth with agile cost management

## The New CFO Mandate – Fresh Perspectives On Prioritization And Transformation



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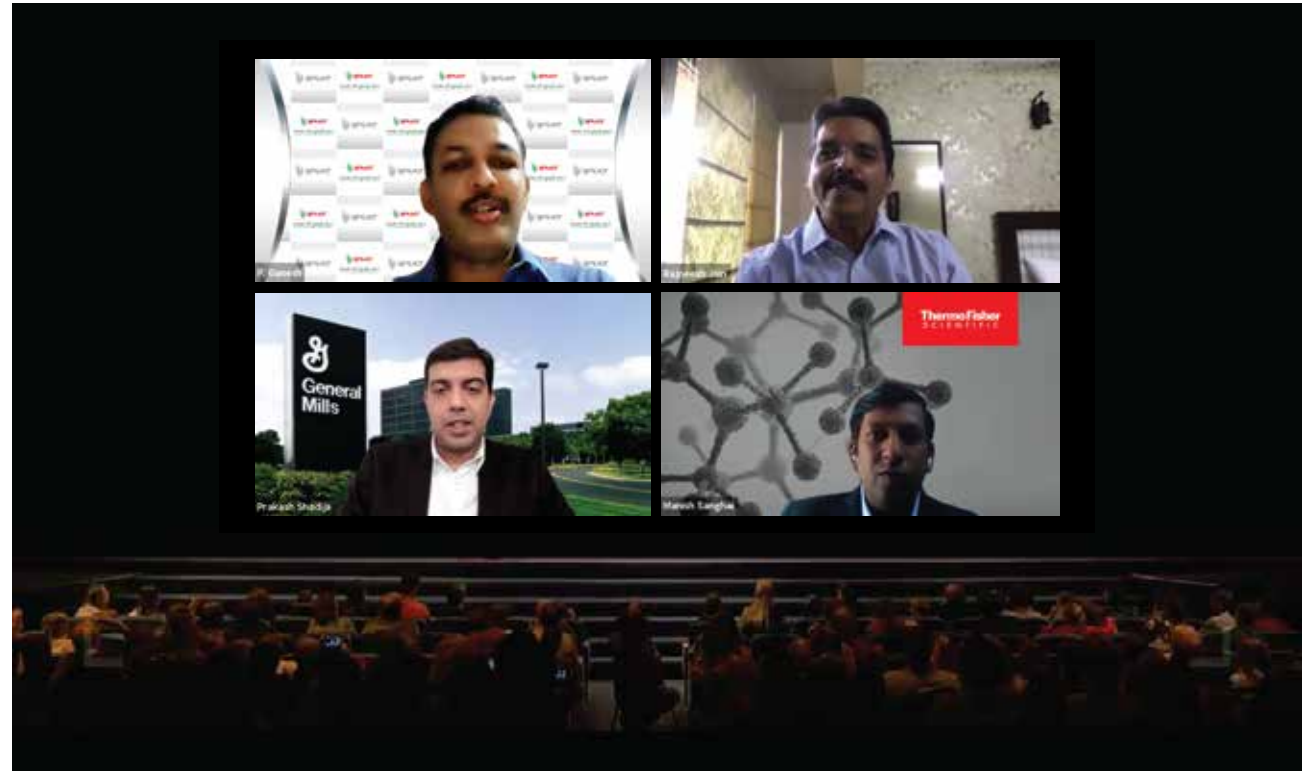
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# PANEL DISCUSSION

- Moving through the hype to set practical goals and make strategic decisions on the usage of emerging and available technologies
- Building data foundations which provide a single source of truth for the processes they support
- Automation as an enabler: Developing seamless capabilities between customer and business
- With the pace of change expected to accelerate, how do we stay ahead of change and set ourselves up for a new future
- Extended planning and analysis - How XP&A is changing the planning solution landscape and how organizations are connecting operational planning and financial planning to enterprise planning models
- Today's new payment models - Opportunities, leading practices and pitfalls to avoid
- Outsourcing's changing model and value proposition - where and how does it fit in today

## Finance In A 4.0 World: Building The Intelligent Enterprise



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# PANEL DISCUSSION

## The (R)evolution of Value Creation : How Treasury Can Support Business Model Disruption

- How does today's treasurer cope with the current super storm of risk, build a smarter treasury and keep on top of innovation?
- The technology conundrum: Understanding what you need and when you need it
- The intelligent treasury: Where treasury and the business intersect: key partners in transformation
- Using digitalization and data to finally release the strategic value of treasury
- How to future proof your business with a strategic long term treasury plan



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## The Next Revolution In Finance: The Rise Of Exponential Technology

- The world is shrinking in terms of strategic alliances – How do we increase our connectivity
- Transitioning from legacy systems to the future with minimum disruption to the business
- Understanding which technologies/ solutions best suit your business needs and how to implement them with minimum disruption to the business
- Sourcing capital to invest into value-enhancing tech solutions - from in-house development to expert outsourcing
- How to prepare for the accelerating pace of disruption
- Ensuring that the rise of technology brings proactivity, not reactivity, to changes in the external market and to changes in disruption



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- The evolving role of CRO as business partner: How is risk shaping the business
- How is FinTech driving change in the business model and risk management
- Integrating cybersecurity and operational risk to meet regulatory compliance and business challenges
- Emerging Risk - Reviewing the structure of the operational risk function including the ability to cope with emerging risk
- How will changes in technology affect our approach to Risk Management (e.g., process automation, AI, cyber-security)
- Moving from analog to digital: A new paradigm for risk management
- The future of operational risk: Defining the remit and role of the operational risk manager and department of the future
- Conduct Risk: Increasing emphasis on management of conduct risk to ensure internal and external compliance
- Monitoring global geopolitical risk and impact on future outlooks and regulatory change

## The Future Of Risk Management – Challenges And Opportunities Created By A Rapidly Changing Environment



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## Emphasizing Human Capital in Finance for Long-Term Success - Managing and Attracting Your Next-Generation Finance Talents

- Effective strategies to attract new talent to the finance function, especially Millennials and Gen Z
- How to find and attract top talents that are fully prepared for the evolving role of finance
- Skills and traits finance leaders seek in identifying and cultivating a modern finance talent pipeline
- Best practices for evaluating a finance team's capabilities and strengths – and how to identify and optimize opportunities for further training and development
- Diversity and gender balance - What are people doing? How to achieve a more balanced work force



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## Leadership - The Future Of Finance And What Is The CFO's Agenda For Your Business

- The next decade will bring more challenges but also endless opportunities for the proactive CFO – how to harness the potential
- How to translate the finance mandate to non-finance people
- Fast forward finance - How smart CFOs are embracing automation and other game-changing technologies
- What modern CFOs do, what they aspire to do, and how they are turning aspirations in actions
- Future issues and avenues for CFO skill-mastering success
- What will the finance function look like in 2030



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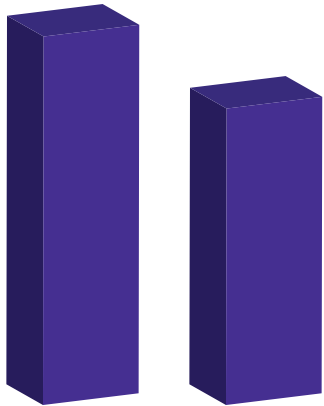


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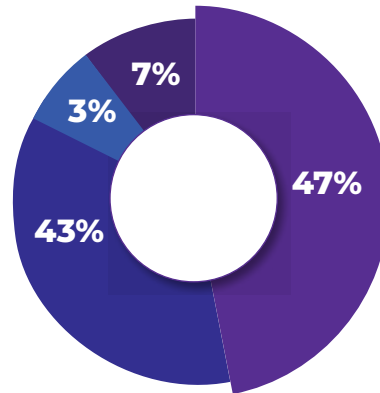
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Male

**77**  
Female

## Age Group



**47%**  
35 - 50

**43%**  
21 - 35

**7%**  
51 - 60

**3%**  
> - 60

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- 46%** Panel Discussion - The (R)evolution of Value Creation : How Treasury Can Support Business Model Disruption
- 39%** Panel Discussion - The Future Of Risk Management – Challenges And Opportunities Created By A Rapidly Changing Environment
- 25%** Leadership Fireside Chat - Leadership - The Future Of Finance And What Is The CFO's Agenda For Your Business
- 11%** Panel Discussion - Finance In A 4.0 World: Building The Intelligent Enterprise

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54% Very Satisfied

32% Satisfied

12% Average

2% Poor

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