



9th Webinar

Capacity Augmentation & Service Life Enhancement of Bridges

Managing assets for maximizing service life
and serviceability demands using innovative
modern technologies

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Dr. Gopal Rai

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Graduating from IIT Bombay with a PhD in Structural Engineering in 2006 laid the foundation for Dr. Gopal Rai's illustrious career with over 50 excellent research papers and consistent contribution throughout for advancement of his field of expertise. His involvements in organizations like Indian Institution of Structural Engineer (IISE), Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), and the American Concrete Institute (ACI) are exemplary, and he is the present Honorary Secretary of the Indian Institute of Bridge Engineers (IIBE).

Dr. Rai embarked on his entrepreneurial journey in 2010 by founding the Dhirendra Group of Companies (DGC), a specialized engineering and consulting company. Structural auditing, retrofitting and monitoring etc with Dr. Rai's vision of revitalizing infrastructures through advanced technology, tools, and materials, he spearheaded the innovative adoption of prestressing technology for Structural Strengthening and Rehabilitation.

DGC has delivered many significant projects of structural engineering in India and abroad. Dr. Rai's DGC has been awarded many prestigious awards like Manufacturing Innovative Leader at the World Innovation Congress, Leading Structural Rehabilitation Company by ICONS (Singapore), Vishwakarma Award by CIDC, International Quality Crown Award, Best Enterprise Award in London, and Process Innovator award from Government of India.