AI Startups with Strong Social Impact Win Big At AI for Good Awards

The AI For Good awards, an initiative by the NASSCOM Center of Excellence DSAI and Government of Karnataka, was held on May 25th, 2019 at the Conrad Hotel, Bangalore.

The winners were felicitated in the presence of several high-profile individuals from the industry and government. Gaurav Gupta, IAS and Principal Secretary of IT, BT and ST, Government of Karnataka was the chief guest for the event.

Here’s the complete list of winners:

- Aindra Systems
- Voxta Communications
- Jungroo Learning
- Netradyne
- Tricog Health
- EasyGov
- DataGlen Solutions
- Intello Labs
- Vinfinet Technologies
- MyCrop Technologies

In addition, an exclusive panel discussion on *AI in Everyday Life* was conducted. The session was attended by Sameer Dhanrajani, Chief Strategy Officer of Fractal Analytics; Manish Jain, Partner - Digital Consulting, Fintech & Blockchain, KPMG India; Andrew Fleming, British Deputy High Commissioner to Telangana and Andhra Pradesh; and Dr. Vidyadhar Mudkavi, of the CSIR Fourth Paradigm Institute, and moderated by Sanjeev Malhotra, CEO, NASSCOM Center of Excellence.

The panel discussed underlying themes in AI today such as consent-based architecture for data usage, AI policy in India, the availability of data in India to solve challenges and how AI is playing a definitive role in decision-making across businesses.

The event concluded with the launch of the *AI for Good Compendium* by Gaurav Gupta, IAS and Principal Secretary of IT, BT and ST, Government of Karnataka, Alok Saigal, Partner and Global Delivery Leader, Grant Thornton, KS Vishwanathan, Vice President – Industry Initiatives, NASSCOM and Sanjeev Malhotra, CEO, NASSCOM Center of Excellence.