



Privacy Policy

Pragyan is committed to protecting any personal information that we may receive while you access our website and mobile application. We believe it is important for you to know how we treat information about you that we may receive when you engage with us. This Privacy Policy is devised to help you feel more confident about the privacy and security of your personal details. 'You' shall mean You, the User of the Website/ Application and 'Yourself' interpreted accordingly. 'We' / 'Us' means Pragyan and 'Our', interpreted accordingly. 'Users' means the Users of the Website/ application collectively and/or individually as the context allows.

We receive both information that is directly provided to Us, such as personal information You provide when You visit the Website/ mobile application, and information that is passively or automatically collected from You, such as information collected from the browser or device You used to access Our Website or Services. In this Privacy Policy, we refer to all this as the 'User Information'. To explain further,

Information You Provide To Us: There are portions of this Website / Application where We may need to collect personal information from You for a specific purpose. For example, You can register, apply for partner services, seek out enabler connects. During these various offerings, We often seek to collect from You multiple forms of information, such as name, address, e-mail address, telephone number, fax number, and other details.

By entering Your User Information, You accept that We may retain Your User Information and that it may be held by Us or any Partners that processes it on Our behalf. We, along with Our Partners, shall be entitled to use Your User Information for the following purposes:

- Provide and communicate with You about feedback, follow up on programs you've applied for or queries submitted to the team
- Fulfil your requests regarding the services, including without limitation respond to your inquiries, communicate with You about our products or services that We believe may be of interest to You
- Enforce the legal terms (including without limitation our policies and terms of service) that govern your use of our Services, and/or for the purposes for which you provided the Information,
- Provide technical support for the Website or in connection with Our services and Offerings,
- Prevent fraud or potentially illegal activities (including, without limitation, copyright infringement) on or through Our Website or Services,
- Protect the safety of our other subscribers or Users,
- Perform analysis regarding how you use the Services or any part thereof such market research, including statistical analysis of User behaviour which We may disclose to third parties in depersonalised, aggregated form.
- In order to enable Us to comply with any requirements imposed on Us by law.

- In order to send You periodic communications (this may include e-mail) about features, products and services, events and special offers. Such communications from Us may include the promotion of programs being organized by third parties on our website.

Data may be automatically collected through the Use of Cookies or web beacons, or similar tracking technologies. "Cookies" are text files placed in your computer browser that store basic information that a Website can use to recognise repeat site visits and, as an example, recall Your name if this has been previously supplied. We may use this to understand Your service and internet usage, observe behaviour and compile aggregate data in order to improve or customize our products, services offerings or the Website, target the advertising and assess the general effectiveness of such advertising. Cookies do not attach to Your system and damage Your files. If You do not want information collected through the Use of Cookies, there is a simple procedure available in most browsers that allows You to deny or accept the Cookie feature. Note, however, that "personalised" services may be affected if the cookie option is disabled.

All security procedures are in place to protect the confidentiality, integrity and availability of Your User Information. We maintain strict physical, electronic, and administrative safeguards to protect Your User Information, including your personal information, from unauthorized or inappropriate access.

We follow generally accepted standards to collect, store and protect personal data, including the use of encryption. We retain personal data for as long as it is needed to provide the services you have requested and thereafter for legal and service purposes. These may include retention periods mandated by legal, contractual, or similar obligations; for resolving, preserving, enforcing or defending our legal and contractual rights; needed to maintain adequate and accurate business and financial records or how you access, update, or delete your data, etc.

This website will make all reasonable efforts to ensure the confidentiality of personal data, uploaded information etc., and that the information received from you is not misused. This website also reveals personal data/information uploaded by you in connection with any lawful process. While this website will take the above reasonable measures to guard against misuse of personal data/information submitted to it by you, this website cannot guarantee that someone will not overcome our security measures, including, without limitation, the security measures implemented on this Website. Therefore, your posting of personal data/ information on this Website constitutes your acceptance of this risk. By posting personal data/information, you waive any right to seek legal relief from this website due to any misuse of your information.

We may disclose the User Information as follows:

- To service providers or Partners that we have engaged to perform business-related functions on our behalf. This may include service providers that:
 - (a) conduct research and analytics.
 - (b) create content.
 - (c) provide customer, technical or operational support.
 - (d) conduct or support marketing (such as email or advertising platforms).
 - (e) fulfil orders and user requests.
 - (g) host our Services, forums and online communities.
 - (h) administer the Website.
 - (i) maintain databases.
 - (j) otherwise support our Services.
- Any answers submitted by you for a specific program or innovation challenge will be shared with the partners who are a part of that specific Innovation Hunt.
- In response to a legal process; for example, in response to a court order or a subpoena, a law enforcement or government agency's request or similar request.
- With third parties in order to investigate, prevent, or take action (in our sole discretion) regarding potentially illegal activities, suspected fraud, situations involving potential threats to any person, us, or the Website, or violations of our policies, the law or our Terms of Use, to verify or enforce compliance with the policies governing our Website.
- We may share the User Information with Our affiliates or group companies, so they can provide, improve and communicate with You about their own or their marketing partners' products and services.
- We reserve the right to disclose and transfer User Information outside India. We will comply with all relevant Data Protection legislation in relation to the period for which We retain any User Information.

Our Website may contain links to or integrations with other services such as Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, and other media services and platforms whose information practices may differ from ours. Visitors should consult these other services' privacy notices as we have no control over information submitted to, or collected by these third parties.

Acceptance of the Policy:

By visiting our website, signing up or logging into the website, uploading information on our website, you acknowledge and unconditionally accept the policy. If you disagree with this Policy, do not use our website and services or provide here any of your personal data.

This Privacy Policy is governed by and operated in accordance with the laws of India.