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Speaker



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CII is India's apex industry organisation, proactively enhancing the competitiveness of Indian Industry.

Chandrajit Banerjee (CB) has been with the CII for over 35 years and has been serving as its Director General since 2008. In this post, he is responsible for the overall operations of CII.

CB is a Member of a number of important Government Advisory Bodies at the National and State levels. As DG of CII, he is responsible for leading and contributing to many policy-level dialogues and discussions to enhance the competitiveness of India Inc and towards the development of India.

He is also Secretary for many bilateral CEOs Forums constituted by the Government of India.

CB's International awards include China-India Friendship Award by the Chinese Premier for his contributions towards the development of bilateral ties between India and China, and the decoration of "Knight Commander" by Spain in

recognition of his meritorious achievements and exceptional contributions towards promoting relations between India and Spain. Government of Italy has bestowed CB with the award of "Cavaliere dell'Ordine della Stella d'Italia" for collaborating and solidifying friendly relationship and cooperation between Italy and India".

Chandrajit Banerjee is a Post-Graduate (MS) in Economics with specialisation in Economics of Planning and Econometrics from the University of Calcutta. Earlier, he did his Graduation from St. Xavier's College (Calcutta) in Economics (Hons).

He has also been honoured with Honorary Doctorate from Amity University and the Xavier Institute of Management (Xavier University), Bhubaneswar.