

Sushil Borde

Sushil Borde is Head of the Reliance Innovation Leadership Centre at Reliance Industries Limited, India's largest private sector firm. The centre provides support to the Reliance Innovation Council comprising iconic global thought leaders including Nobel Laureates and designs, develops and deploys path breaking innovation programmes. Sushil has also led many other initiatives for Reliance including Mumbai Indians, a cricket franchise of the Indian Premier League (IPL).

Sushil spent 7 years in South Africa where he led the Advanced Manufacturing Technology Strategy for the country. Under this programme, he spearheaded an investment agency which deployed public funds in technology programmes to make the South African manufacturing sector globally competitive.

Sushil has also helped MIT, Boston to set up the Fab Foundation in the capacity of its President. The Fab Foundation deploys Fab Lab, a rapid product prototyping set up which allows non-technical people solve local problems through new product development. The mission of the Foundation is 'Invention as Aid'.