

BVR Mohan Reddy, Founder Chairman & Board Member, CYIENT

Dr. BVR Mohan Reddy is a visionary who firmly placed India on the global engineering, research and development (ER&D) services map by establishing Cyient (formerly, Infotech Enterprises) in 1991. Cyient now is a global digital Engineering and Technology solutions company. Cyient collaborates with customers to design digital enterprises, build intelligent products and platforms and solve sustainability challenges. Cyient is committed to designing tomorrow together with our stakeholders and being a culturally inclusive, socially responsible, and environmentally sustainable organization.

As founder of Cyient, he went on to create the “Engineered in India” brand and by June 2024 led Cyient to contribute over \$8.7 billion in cumulative exports from India to several global clients, including Fortune 100 companies. In 1997 he listed Cyient (formerly, Infotech Enterprises) in NSE and BSE and in 2023, he listed Cyient DLM (the electronics manufacturing division) in NSE and BSE. For FY25, Cyient Group revenue was \$834.4 Mn and Group Market cap as on 31st March 2025 stood at around US \$1.6 Bn (Rs.13,868 Crores). With the help of our 15,000+ associates across 22 nationalities and 48 delivery centers worldwide, Cyient delivers transformative solutions that anticipate and meet the dynamic needs of industries worldwide.

Dr. Reddy took up several leadership positions to promote higher education in the country. He is currently the Chairman of the Board of Governors of IIT-Hyderabad (from 2012), IIT-Roorkee (from 2020 to 2025) and NIT Warangal, NIT Jalandhar, NIT Jamshedpur, NITK Surathkal, NIT Puducherry (in 2025). He has introduced several innovative concepts and played a pivotal role in implementing elements in the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 like multi-disciplinary courses, fractal courses, multiple entry and exit options. He tirelessly worked towards propelling IIT Roorkee, India's oldest technology institution, to be elevated among the top five engineering institutions in the country. And his efforts helped IIT Hyderabad, a second-generation IIT, to be recognized as one among the top ten engineering institutions in India, as per the prestigious NIRF rankings.

Dr. Reddy is a member of the Leadership Advisory Board (LAB) at the University of Michigan College of Engineering, USA, and a member of the Court of Governors of Administrative Staff College of India (ASCI) and currently serves as co-chair of B20 Brazil for Education and Employment.

Dr. Reddy is also the Founding Director of T-Hub, the largest start-up incubation center in the country. T-Hub is a premier innovation hub and ecosystem enabler based out of Hyderabad, India. T-Hub leads India's pioneering innovation ecosystem and strives to create impact for startups, corporations and other ecosystem stakeholders. It's mission is to enable and empower an ecosystem hungry for innovation. Incorporated in 2015, T-Hub has provided 2000+ national and international startups access to superior technology, talent, mentors, customers, corporates, investors and government agencies, among other innovation ecosystem stakeholders.

Dr. Reddy served as the Chairman of NASSCOM (National Association of Software & Service Companies) during 2015-16. He served as the Chairman of CII, Southern Region (2008-2009), and the Chairman of CII Education Council (2020-2023). As the Chairman of the CII (Confederation of Indian Industry) Education Council, Reddy has made significant contributions to higher education, specifically in promoting the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 and emphasizing the importance of digital skills and industry academia partnerships. Dr. Reddy's contributions extend beyond to G20B20 India, where he co-chaired “Task Force on Future of Work, Skilling & Mobility”.

Dr. Reddy was the Honorary Consul General for Federal Republic of Germany for the states of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh (2016-20).

Dr Reddy recently established BVR Mohan Reddy School for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (BVR SCIENT) at IIT-Hyderabad through funding from Shibhodhi Foundation (his family foundation) and Cyient Foundation. It is a first-of-its-kind school catering to creating entrepreneurial ecosystem.

Dr. Reddy, through Cyient Foundation, adopted 30 government schools and provides quality education to over 20,000+ children every academic year across India. Through 82 Cyient Digital Centres (CDCs), 35,000 children and adults across four states in India get access to Digital Skills. Cyient Urban Micro Skill Centres (CUMSC) and Cyient Rural Micro Skill Centres (CRMSC) improve employability for over 2000 children every year by skilling them freely.

Dr. Reddy received India's fourth-highest civilian award—the Padma Shri—in 2017 for his contribution to trade and industry. He is the recipient of the Distinguished Leadership Award of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (CIE Division). He was conferred Lifetime Achievement Awards from Outlook Business, Hyderabad Management Association (HMA), Hyderabad Software Enterprises Association (HySEA), the Centre for Organization Development (COD), Dataquest, a leading publication house that focuses on writing about the developments in the Information Technology sector, and the International Startup Foundation (ISF), in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the field of engineering and entrepreneurship, his visionary leadership driving innovation and his unwavering commitment to education and nation building. He is the recipient of Distinguished Alumnus Award from IIT, Kanpur and is a fellow of the Institution of Engineers (India) in 2015. He has been inducted into the 'Geospatial Hall of Fame' at the Geospatial World Forum (GWF) 2022. He received the Lifetime Achievement Award at the Golden Peacock Awards ceremony at London from the Institute of Directors and he is the recipient of 24th ICSI Lifetime Achievement Award. He has been conferred recently the Living Legend Award by Geospatial World, one of the world's leading geospatial knowledge organizations. The award recognizes Dr. Reddy's pioneering leadership and lifetime contribution to advancing the geospatial industry in India and globally.

Dr. Reddy holds postgraduate degrees from IIT-Kanpur, and University of Michigan, USA. He is the recipient of honorary doctorates from JNTU-Hyderabad, JNTU-Kakinada, Andhra University, KL University, Yogi Vemana University, and VelTech University.

Mr. Reddy's maiden book "Engineered in India: From Dreams to Billion-Dollar CYIENT" was National Best Seller for the year 2023. *Engineered in India* is a memoir and manifesto that captures his journey as an entrepreneur, and his deep belief in the power of education, innovation, and ethical leadership.