

Mayank Jalan,
Co-Chairman, CII National Committee on Food Processing and
Fisheries, Animal Husbandary & Dairying
Managing Director, Keventer Agro Limited

Mr. Mayank Jalan, Chairman and Managing Director, Keventer Agro Ltd (KAL) joined the company in 2004, when the turnover of the Company was approx. INR 13 crores. In the last two decades, the Company has grown from strength to strength and currently has a turnover of approx. INR 950 crores.

Mayank aims to make KAL one of the leading FMCG company in the country through aggressive marketing plans, stakeholder relationship, customer focus and adapting new technology.

His proficiency in managing a complex supply chain has been the driving force that delivered steady top-line increments as well as bottom-line accruals. Over the years, he has strived to raise standards of customer expectations and has passionately encouraged the team to focus on the 'customer first' approach towards their every deliverable.

In acknowledgement of his business vision, Mayank had been inducted into national special task forums like the Expert Group for Agriculture and Allied Activities by NITI Aayog in September 2017. He has been conferred the Management Excellence Award in the category of Emerging Leader for 2018 by Calcutta Management Association (CMA) - an affiliate of All India Management Association (AIMA) the national apex body of the management profession in India. Mayank has been awarded the Young Entrepreneur Award for 2018 at the Zee 24 Ghanta Youth Summit by the Chief Minister of West Bengal and has also been recognized as Barclays Hurun Next Gen Leader 2018 for Business Excellence. He has been conferred with an award for the Visionary Leader at the Times Men of the Year 2019 and ET 40 Under Forty, India's Young Business Leaders 2019.

Mayank is a first-class degree holder in Mechanical Engineering from University College of London and also has a degree in Business Finance from the prestigious London School of Economics.

He holds important offices across a number of industry forums – he is the Co-Chairman of the CII National Committee on Allied Sectors in Agriculture - Dairy, Poultry & Fisheries for the year 2021-22 and member of the Working Group on Food Processing Sector for CII National Manufacturing Forum. He is the immediate Past-President of Indian Chamber of Commerce. He was the Chairman of FICCI West Bengal State Council for 2018-19 and is currently a part of FICCI National Executive Committee for the year 2021 and the Co-Chairman for FICCI Task Force on Dairy.

Mayank Jalan is a member of the Executive Committee of Calcutta Management Association, on the Board of Governors of Calcutta International School, President of Bengal Table-Tennis Association and is also the Honorary Consul of Ireland in Kolkata.