

Here are just a couple more reasons to attend Disability Matters Asia-Pacific Conference & Award Gala

Be Inspired by this year's Keynote Speaker...**Deepa Malik**



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When we talk about battling all odds and emerging a winner, Deepa Malik stands as a living testament. She proved that no matter how strong the opposition, sheer courage and will power can make one a true winner. Having been diagnosed with a spinal tumour, she was left paralysed from the chest down during a procedure to remove the same.

Instead of letting it come in her way for making a mark for herself, the unfortunate event only contributed to spurring her on to do something that beats the prejudices the society holds for women or the specially-abled.

She took to sports at the age of 36, a point where most accomplished athletes seek retirement and went on to set the benchmark across various sports in the paraplegic arena. She recently scripted history by winning the silver medal in the women's shotput F53 event at the Rio Paralympics, with a personal best throw of 4.61m!

This win at the Rio makes her India's first woman and oldest athlete to ever win a medal at the Paralympics.

Deepa presents around the globe sharing her compelling story of tragedy and triumph. Her reallife experiences, captivating message of hope, courage, and perseverance and eloquent storytelling is sure to leave you spellbound.

Be Educated... by **Avik Biswas** on the latest changes and updates on disability regulations across the Asian Pacific region



Avik is well known for his employment law practice across all industry sectors and is considered a subject matter expert in employment contracts, nationwide employment audits, company policies and handbooks as well as internal disciplinary inquiries to name a few.

Avik is also very well regarded for his strategic advice to legal and HR functions of multinational corporations in relation to employment risk mitigation and management, and related best

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Be Educated via an **Experiential Learning session**... an exercise that will take attendees from experiencing a presentation while role-playing a disability to disclosing that disability, asking for an accommodation and entering into an interactive dialogue.

All this while celebrating this year's honorees and networking with likeminded executives.

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