

Virtual Programme on Implementation of Data Governance Framework (DGF): The Road Ahead

Background:

Data has increasingly emerged as a critical organisational asset for Regulated Entities (REs), underpinning business operations, customer service, financial reporting, regulatory compliance, risk management, and strategic decision-making. The rapid growth in digital financial services, interconnected fintech ecosystems, third-party arrangements, advanced analytics, and automated decision-making processes has significantly expanded the volume, velocity and complexity of data being generated, processed, shared and stored by REs. Consequently, the ability of REs to ensure the accuracy, availability, confidentiality, consistency, integrity, and traceability of data across systems and business functions has assumed heightened importance.

Against this backdrop, RBI has issued the 'Guidance on Regulatory Expectations for Data Governance' in the Regulated Entities (REs) in July 2026 so as to enable the REs to put in place a robust Data Governance Framework (DGF) for effective management of all the emerging risks they are exposed to. The One-day Virtual Program will discuss about the issues and challenges for effective implementation of DGF, Single Source of Truth(SSOT), Data Risk management, Data Life Cycle Management and compliance with DPDP Rules,2025.

Objectives: The objective of the program is to empower the senior officers and Board Members of Banks, NBFCs and FIs involved in laying down a strong Data Governance Framework (DGF) in their organisation; so that it becomes the foundational architecture for RE's Risk Management system which is constantly exposed to cyber-attacks, tech-disruptions and breach of confidential Data of customers. Further, the Expected Credit Loss (ECL) framework which is going to be mandatory from April 1,2027 will face major road blocks unless the Data Governance Framework is successfully implemented.

Programme Highlights:

- Mapping of Roles & Responsibilities for DGF
- Single Source of Truth (SSOT) & Data Risk Management
- Data Protection & Data Privacy concerns & preventions
- Data Life Cycle Management
- Third-Party Risk Management

Programme Conditions

- Programme fees must be paid before the program.
- Institutions may depute another officer if the nominated officer is unable to attend.
- Nomination may be cancelled up to five days prior to the programme

Date/Day: November 18, 2026,
Wednesday

Time: 09:45 AM to 05:45 PM

Platform: CISCO WebEx

Type: Virtual Programme

Fees: ₹ 15,000 + 18% GST

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**Last date for filing nomination
November 16 , 2026**

Participant Profile

Senior officers of Banks (including SFBS, RRBs, UCBs), FIs & NBFCs (all 4 layers) working in the areas of risk management, compliance, IT security dept., audit, strategy, legal dealing with aspects relating to data processing, data storage, data security, data privacy, data protection. This Virtual programme is also suitable for Board members of REs who are keen to enhance their knowledge to improve the quality of data governance in their institutions

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