

# WSKIR 2026 – MEDIA FACT SHEET

## World Summit on Knowledge Industrial Revolution

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**Launch Year:** 2025

**Summit Year:** 2026

**Core Mission:** To transition humanity from resource-based development to a Knowledge-Industrial Civilization.

## WHAT IS THE KNOWLEDGE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION (KIR)?

The Knowledge Industrial Revolution treats knowledge as a measurable economic product—not merely information or skill. KIR shifts the engine of progress from land, labour, and capital to structured knowledge consumption and production.

## WHY IT MATTERS

For 75 years, trillions were spent globally on development, yet inequality persists. KIR reveals the missing link: the world misunderstood knowledge. KIR defines knowledge as a product with measurable levels, quality, and output.

## FOUNDATIONAL THEORIES

- 1. Knowledge Consumption & Production Correlation:** Societies produce only the level of knowledge they consume.
- 2. Stage Theory of Knowledge Growth:** Individuals and nations evolve through identifiable knowledge stages.

Together, these theories establish knowledge as the Fourth Factor of Production.

## WHAT CHANGES UNDER KIR

**Education:** Degree accumulation → Expert creation

**Industry:** Labour/capital intensive → Knowledge-intensive

**Governance:** Rule-based → Knowledge-centric

**Economy:** Resource-driven → Capability-driven

**Human capability becomes the new GDP.**

## WHAT THE SUMMIT WILL ACHIEVE

- Validate KIR frameworks globally
- Build knowledge-sharing and production alliances
- Enable national and sectoral deployments
- Initiate humanity's transition into a knowledge-industrial civilization

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Heads of State, policymakers, CEOs, educators, scientists, innovators, technology leaders, international agencies, and institutions seeking sustainable development.

## KEY MESSAGE

**Development is not funded. Development is produced.**

Once knowledge becomes a product, transformation becomes inevitable.