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Vishal Gandhi is Senior Vice President & Head –Life Sciences at YES BANK. He leads the Life Sciences Knowledge Banking initiative for YES BANK working as the key stakeholder responsible for Origination, Advisory & Execution Oversight of Corporate Banking / Investment Banking deals in the sector. He has over the past 5 years at YES BANK significantly developed the Life Sciences Knowledge Vertical and has been instrumental in developing a strong external equity and new client break -troughs for the Bank.

Prior to joining YES BANK in Sept/06, he has worked with FICCI, Genomic Solutions, U.K, Ranbaxy Laboratories, Dabur India Limited in various capacities, over a span of 11 years. In his previous role at FICCI, Vishal was actively involved in taking up Policy issues with the various government departments to create a better business environment for Biotechnology, Healthcare & Pharmaceuticals sector. He has been a part of various business delegations to USA, China and U.K for facilitating Biotechnology and Pharma Bilateral trade.

At Ranbaxy/Dabur, he was part of business development and strategy team and implemented several initiatives successfully.

Vishal is a member of various sectoral taskforces of the respective industry associations, including CII, FICCI, ABLE, Department of Biotechnology, USIBC taskforce for Biotechnology and Nanotechnology, among others. He holds an executive management degree from XLRI, Jamshedpur with specialization in finance and strategy. He completed his master's in Biotechnology from Central University, Hyderabad and a bachelor's degree in Botany honours from Delhi University respectively.
