

Conference Venue:



The Symbiosis InfoTech Campus at Hinjewadi Pune is an international university campus with state-of-the-art facilities. It is located within the software technology park and close to the best IT companies in India. The venue is near the Mumbai-Pune Expressway and can be easily reached from Mumbai without having to enter congested Pune city areas.

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About Pune city

Pune (Poona) is a prime centre for education in India. The brightest of software brains study and work in Pune. Pune is located in western India and is the 7th largest city in India. It is a three hour drive from Mumbai (formerly Bombay), the commercial capital of India. It is well connected to all major cities in India.

Getting To Pune

Pune is well connected to all major cities in India. However it is important to book early if you wish to get a good air deal. As for trains, it's important to book early if you wish to get any reservation at all. Mumbai to Pune should take you between 3 to 4 hours by road.

Getting to the Venue

The IT Park at Hinjewadi is off the Mumbai Pune Expressway. If you are traveling from Mumbai, getting to the IT Park by road is a lot easier than by any other way. You just have to enter the IT Park by turning right at the Wakad Flyover Square instead of the left or going straight, both of which takes you to Pune city.

If you are traveling by road from any other city or if you have arrived via air or rail, you can get to the IT Park using either of the following routes

1. **From Chandani Chowk** - Travel towards Mumbai on the Expressway - turn left into the IT Park at the Wakad Flyover Square.
2. **From Aundh** - Travel up to Wakad and use the Wakad flyover to cross over the highway and get into Hinjewadi.
3. **From Baner** - Turn right at the square where Baner Road meets the Highway. The landmark at this point is Hotel Sadanand. Within a few minutes you will get to Wakad Flyover Square. Here you turn left for the IT park.

Routes/Landmarks to get to the Conference Venue from Pune Railway Station.

Route 1: Pune Railway Station --> Kumbharwada --> Bal Gandharv Rang Mandir Chowk--> Ghole Road --> Fergusson Road --> Agriculture College Chowk --> Pune University Road --> Bremen Circle -->Wakad --> Over the Flyover --> Hinjewadi --> Turn left to enter the Phase 1 Infotech Park --> Turn left at the LemonTree Hotel circle --> Symbiosis Infotech Campus is on the right

Route 2: Pune Railway Station --> Sangam Bridge --> College Of Engineering, Pune --> Sancheti Hospital --> Shimla Office --> Agriculture College Chowk --> Pune University Road --> Bremen Circle -->Wakad --> Over the Flyover --> Hinjewadi --> Turn left to enter the Phase 1 Infotech Park --> Turn left at the LemonTree Hotel circle --> Symbiosis Infotech Campus is on the right.

Local Transport like Rickshaws can be availed to travel. Rickshaw drivers in Pune charge as per the meter reading. Do not be duped by rickshaws charging a flat amount. It will approximately charge you between Rs.150- Rs.200.

Also if you wish to opt for the bus services, PMPML (Pune Mahanagar Parivahan Mahamandal Limited) has bus services available from Pune station to Hinjewadi. (Refer to attachment for bus timings)

1. **To reach conference venue in right time:** Watch out for the traffic in Pune which can be quite chaotic. Further, time of commencement of the academic programmes (09.00am) is during peak traffic hours. So keep at least 45 minutes to 1 hour travel time.
2. In the month of May, the temperature ranges between 35 degrees to 40 degrees. The days may be warm, but nights are usually cool. The summers are warm and humid, with average temperature of 36 degrees Celsius.

3. Conference Venue and accommodation facility :

For reservations to stay at conference Venue, Alternatively, you can call Dr. Amit Borse at 09767163099 or Mr.Sanjeev Pawar at 09270996419. Reservations must be made on or before Monday, May, 1st 2010. Reservation requests received after May 1st will be accepted based on space and rate availability.

4. Registration , academic sessions, catering facility :

The schedule for National Seminar will be followed strictly. Therefore ensure that you are punctual for the sessions, stick to the minutes as laid out in National Seminar Schedule and be respectful of others' time!

5. Parking facility :

We promote usage of public transport. However you can park your vehicle outside the venue in specified area for parking.

6. Attire:

Casual Summer Clothes for all Pre conference Symposium, workshops and sessions (Light Cottons)

Leisure:

Pune city has seen a rise in the number of shopping malls, multiplexes, lounge bars and pubs. There are E-Square, Inox and Gold Adlabs multiplexes, lounge bars like Kawa and more. Apart from movies, you can find book stores, restaurants and other entertainment options at these multiplexes. You can also take a stroll along the walking plaza at M.G Road on a Sunday which has a long line of charming boutiques, clothes stores, trinket shops and roadside cafes. Fergusson Road and Jungli Maharaj Road are young and happening places with many colleges, restaurants and shopping malls. The 'Aundh' area of Pune is closest to the venue. As the conference venue is located within the IT Park and outside the main city, most of the leisure places are 5-15 kms away.

Our hospitality is well known. We would like to continue this tradition and impression. Historic moments are ahead. Come and join.

Attachment:

- Academic Schedule
- Venue Map
- PMPML bus timings