

Second Announcement



IRIA 2019

72nd ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF
INDIAN RADIOLOGICAL & IMAGING ASSOCIATION



17th-20th JANUARY, 2019
PGIMER, CHANDIGARH, INDIA

INVITATION

Dear Colleague



Dr. Bhupendra Ahuja Dr. N. Khandelwal
Organizing Chairpersons

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, it is our honour and pleasure to invite you to participate in the 72nd Annual Conference of the Indian Radiological and Imaging Association to be hosted by the Chandigarh Chapter of IRIA (ChIRIA) from 17th – 20th January, 2019.

Chandigarh, also known as the “City Beautiful” is picturesquely located in the foothills of the Shivaliks. Chandigarh is a Union Territory which serves as the capital to the neighbouring states of Punjab and Haryana. It is one of the early planned cities in post-independent India and is internationally renowned for its modern architecture and urban design.



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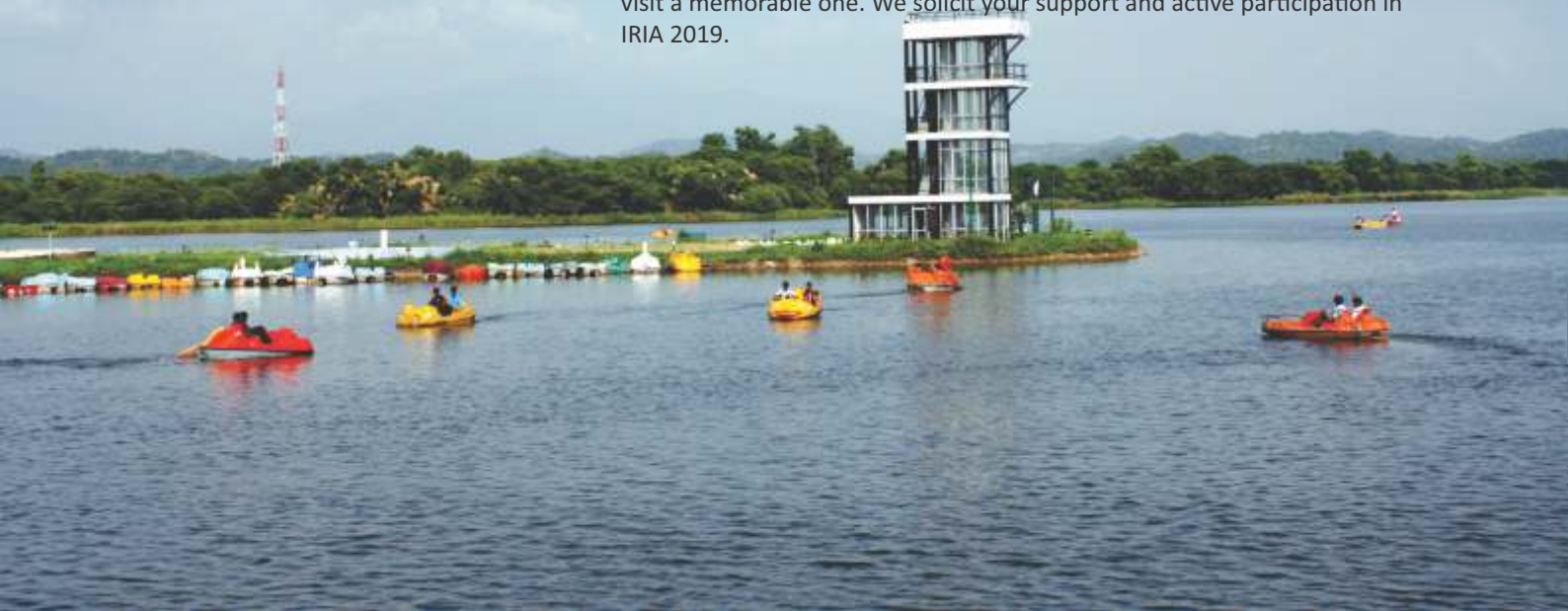
The venue of the conference is the Postgraduate Institute of Medical Education and Research (PGIMER) which is located in the north-western part of the city in Sector 12. Founded in 1962, it is designated as one of the Institutes of National Importance by the Government of India. It has a rich legacy in education and research and has the honour of having produced several Padma Shri awardees, beside many national and international academic awardees. Also known as the Mecca of learning in north India, with its imposing architecture and sprawling green campus, PGIMER offers a unique academic environment to share, learn and disseminate the latest advances in the various fields of radiological sciences. The Scientific Committee is working hard to ensure that the conference meets the expectations of the resident doctors as well as practising radiologists. The faculty of the conference has been drawn from amongst the distinguished leading radiologists from all over India and abroad.



Dr. Gurdeep Singh Dr. Amit Jain
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We are also organizing a “Run for the Girl Child” at Sukhna Lake for the delegates and city residents to raise public awareness. Chandigarh abounds in tourist attractions, both within the city and in its near environs.

The organizing committee looks forward to welcoming you and your family to the “City Beautiful”. We assure you of an unmatched learning experience associated with a cultural and gastronomic feast. We are certain that the traditional warm hospitality of the region will make your visit a memorable one. We solicit your support and active participation in IRIA 2019.



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PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

DATE	HIGHLIGHTS
16th January 2019	Trade Relations Committee Meeting Governing Body Meeting of ICRI Executive Committee Meeting of IJRI Central Council Meeting of IRIA
17th January 2019	ICRI Awards ICRI - Inauguration ICRI Orations Dr. S.K. Sharma Ultrasound Symposium Dr. Suren Kothari Film reading Session ICRI-GBM IRIA Inauguration Cultural Function Inaugural Dinner
18th January 2019	IRIA Awards IRIA Orations Subspecialty based Guest Lectures Publication and Journalism Session IRIA-GBM Banquet Dinner
19th January 2019	New Central Council and State Chapter President and Secretaries Meeting Guest Lectures with emphasis on sonography Subspecialty based Guest Lectures Session on 3-D Printing, Artificial Intelligence and Legal issues Free Papers Banquet Dinner
20th January 2019	Subspecialty based Guest Lectures Free Papers Valedictory function Concurrent Workshops in post lunch session

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

Hotel Name	Star Rating	Distance from PGIMER, Chandigarh	Single Occupancy per night (incl of taxes)	Double Occupancy per night (incl of taxes)
JW Marriot	5 Star	6.1 km	INR 8,320	INR 8,960
Hyatt	5 Star	9.8 km	INR 8,960	INR 8,960
Taj	5 Star	2.6 km	INR 7,552	INR 8,260
The Lalit	5 Star	10.5 km	INR 7,080	INR 7,670
Golden Tulip	4 Star	17.7 km	INR 6,490	INR 7,080
Bella Vista ITC	4 Star	12.5 km	INR 5,900	INR 6,490
Best Western	4 Star	19.7 km	INR 5,900	INR 6,490
Mountview	5 Star	2.6 km	INR 5,310	INR 6,200
Shivalikview (Deluxe room)	4 Star	4 km	INR 5,015	INR 5,723
Lemon Tree	4 Star	8.4 km	INR 5,200	INR 5,700
James	4 Star	2.8 km	INR 5,000	INR 5,500
Park Plaza Zirakpur	4 Star	17.6km	INR 4,720	INR 5,310
Solitaire	3 Star	9.3 km	INR 4,596	INR 4,879
Shivalikview (Standard room)	4 Star	4 km	INR 4,012	INR 4,720
Fern Residency	3 Star	9.7 km	INR 4,130	INR 4,720
Royal Orchid	3 Star	14.6 km	INR 4,130	INR 4,720
Regenta Almedia	4 Star	14.5 km	INR 4,130	INR 4,720
Almedia Zirakpur	4 Star	14.3 km	INR 4,130	INR 4,720
Hometel	3 Star	8.2 km	INR 3,730	INR 4,500
Hotel 6 Zirakpur	4 Star	17.5 km	INR 3,540	INR 4,130
Aquamarine	3 Star	5.3 km	INR 3,776	INR 4,012
The Gaur	3 Star	7.8 km	INR 3,540	INR 3,894
Redfox	4Star	7.4 km	INR 3,300	INR,3,600
KLG Starlite	3 Star	10.5 km	INR 3,540	INR 3,540
Parkview	3 Star	2.8 km	INR 3,481	INR 3,481
Aroma	3 Star	3.7 km	INR 2,904	INR 3,305
Pride	Budget	2.5 km	INR 1,150	INR 1,150

Terms and Conditions:

1. Rooms will be booked subject to availability.
2. The organizers are only facilitating discounted rates for the delegates. If you are getting lower rates from any other portal, please inform the organizers of the same.
3. Full refund of money will be done until 30th September 2018 for any cancellations. Thereafter, refunds will be subject to the policy of individual hotels and delegates will need to contact the concerned hotel.
4. The rental charges will be inclusive of the currently applicable taxes. Any changes in the tax structure will have to be dealt by the guest/ delegates directly with the hotels.
5. All bookings to be done through website only using credit / debit card. Please DO NOT send any cheques / drafts for hotel booking to the organizers.
6. The organizers will not have any responsibility regarding the services being offered by the hotels.
7. Delegates are advised to visit the websites of the respective hotels and check for facilities before making any reservations.
8. For making reservations, please visit www.iria2019.org.

IN & AROUND CHANDIGARH

Chandigarh, also known as the “City Beautiful” is a green city abounding in various themed parks such as the Bougainvillea Garden, Poinsettia Garden, Garden of Fragrance etc, besides the world famous Rose garden. Its roads are lined by trees which flower at different times of the year, lending colour regardless of the season. The main tourist attractions in the city and nearby are given below:

Chandigarh Capitol Complex : It is spread over 100 acres in Sector 1. Designed by Le Corbusier, it was listed as a UNESCO World Heritage site in 2016. It comprises of three buildings namely, the Palace of Assembly or the Legislative Assembly, the Palace of Justice, that is the Panjab and Haryana High Court and the Secretariat. It also has 3 monuments, the Open Hand Monument, Geometric Hill and the Tower of Shadows.

Open Hand Monument : The monument is an emblem or symbol of the Chandigarh Administration and symbolizes “the hand to give and the hand to take; peace and prosperity, and the unity of mankind”. This metal structure stands on a base of 12 meters and is 14 meters high, weighs 50 tons and was designed to rotate in the wind, to symbolize life's constant changes.

Zakir Hussain Rose Garden : The garden is a botanical garden in Chandigarh. Spread over 30 acres with 50,000 rose bushes of 1600 different species, it holds the distinction of being Asia's largest garden, created in 1967 under the guidance of Dr M.S. Randhawa, Chandigarh's first Chief Commissioner. The garden has not only roses but also trees and plants of medicinal value.

Rock Garden : It is a sculpture garden created by Nek Chand, which is completely built of industrial and home waste. Situated over 40 acres near Sukhna lake, it consists of man-made interlinked waterfalls and sculptures from all kinds of wastes like broken bangles, glasses, tiles, ceramic pots etc.

Sukhna Lake : Lake is a man-made reservoir in the foothills of the Shivalik range of the Himalayas. This 3 km² rainfed lake was created in 1958 by damming the Sukhna Choe, a seasonal stream coming down from the Shivalik hills. It is a popular site for boating, jogging, walking and bird-watching, being a wintering site for thousands of migratory birds.

Government Museum and Art Gallery : It is a premier museum which was created after partition when 40% of the artefacts kept in the Central museum, Lahore came to India as its share. Designed by Le Corbusier, it houses a lovely collection of Gandharan sculptures and miniature paintings from the Pahari and Rajasthani schools along with Sir Sobha Singh's paintings of the Sikh Gurus and contemporary art.

Golden Temple Amritsar : The Temple is the holiest gurudwara and the most important pilgrimage site of Sikhism. Also known as Sri Harmandir Sahib (“abode of God”) or Darbar Sahib, it is located in the holy city of Amritsar, about 240 kms from Chandigarh. The man-made pool (sarovar) around the temple was completed in 1577 and the Adi Granth was placed in the temple in 1589. The temple has been rebuilt many times as it was destroyed many times by armies of the Mughal Empire. Maharaja Ranjit Singh rebuilt it after founding the Sikh empire in 1809. One should also visit the Jallianwala Bagh memorial, the site of the brutal massacre of hundreds of unarmed Indians by the British army. If one plans an overnight stay, a visit to the Wagah border to witness the elaborate flag evening ceremony is a must-watch.

Kasauli : is a cantonment and town, established by the British in 1842, located 65 km from Chandigarh (about two hours scenic drive) in the Shivaliks at an elevation of 1,900 meters. It is ideal for a one day trip from Chandigarh with its pristine green environment contrasting with its bustling market.

Yadavindra Gardens, Pinjore : Yadavindra Gardens is a historic 17th century Mughal garden located on the Chandigarh - Shimla highway at Pinjore, 22 km from Chandigarh. It was built as a summer retreat for Aurungzeb by Muzaffar Hussain, his foster brother architect. The garden came into disuse and was restored to its former splendour in the 19th century by the Maharaja of Patiala, after whom it was renamed.

Shimla : Capital of Himachal Pradesh, is about 120 km from Chandigarh. Having served as the summer capital of British India, it is home to a number of buildings in Tudorbethan and neo-Gothic architectural styles as well as multiple temples and churches. Surrounded by dense forests, it is a scenic 3 hours drive from Chandigarh. One can also travel up on the Kalka – Shimla Railway line which is an UNESCO World Heritage Site on the famous “Toy Train.”



REGISTRATION DETAILS

Registration Fee for Indian Delegates (in INR)			
Category	01.06.2018 to 15.09.2018	16.09.2018 to 31.10.2018	01.11.2018 to 31.12.2018
IRIA Past President	0	0	0
IRIA Emeritus Members	0	0	0
IRIA Life Member	8,260	9,440	14,160
Accompanying Person	7,080	8,260	11,800
IRIA Provisional life Member	7,080	8,260	11,800
Non IRIA Member Radiologist (Student / Consultant)	9,440	11,800	17,700
SAARC Delegates	9,440	11,800	17,700
Trade Member	11,800	14,160	17,700
Registration Fee for Foreign Delegates (in US dollars)			
Non SAARC Overseas Delegates	472	590	826

Mode of Payment:

1. By Demand draft drawn in favor of 72nd Annual Conference of IRIA and payable at Chandigarh.
2. Online registration and payment through conference website www.iria2019.org.

Cancellation Policy:

Cancellations are permitted, against written request, till 31st December 2018. 25% of the delegate fee will be deducted against cancellation charges and remaining 75% will be refunded by demand draft.

Important Information:

1. Children below the age of 5 year are complimentary.
2. Complimentary registration will be provided to all the Emeritus Members and Past President.
3. Persons accompanying Emeritus Members shall pay as per the details mentioned above.
4. The registration form can be downloaded from the conference website www.iria2019.org
5. The conference organizers will not be responsible for any registration forms and drafts lost in transit.
6. The registration rates are inclusive of GST @18%.
7. All the registered delegates will be provided delegate kit and rights to entrance for scientific halls, food court and trade exhibition.
8. No registration will be accepted after 31.12.18. Spot registration facility will not be available
9. Non radiologists can register as accompanying person or Trade Member only



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Delegate category: Life Member Provisional Life Member Non Member Trade Member
 Accompanying Person SAARC Delegate Non SAARC Overseas Delegate

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First Name _____ Middle Name _____ Last Name _____

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Age _____ Gender _____ Designation: Student / Consultant

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Mailing Address _____

City _____ Pin Code _____ State _____ Country _____

Accompanying Person

First Name _____ Last Name _____

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SCHEDULE OF FEES

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Member IRIA	8,260	9,440	14,160
Accompanying Person	7080	8,260	11,800
Student Member	7,080	8,260	11,800
Non Member	9,440	11,800	17,700
SAARC Delegates	9,440	11,800	17,700
Trade Member	11,800	14,160	17,700
Registration fee details for foreign delegates from Non SAARC countries (in US dollars)			
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Cheque/DD No _____

Date _____

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