



MANIPAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

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(A Constituent Unit of MAHE, Manipal)



TechTatva 19
Embracing Contraries

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Manipal Hackathon

Welcome Guide



ABOUT MANIPAL

Manipal is located 5 km east of the center of the temple city of Udupi. It is located in the part of Coastal Karnataka, 65 km north of Mangalore. Home to the Manipal Academy of Higher Education, the town attracts more than twenty-five thousand students every year and hence consists predominantly of students. It is one of the most cosmopolitan towns of India, attracting students and faculty from around 60 countries. Manipal is a major technological and medical research hub, with major conferences and seminars organized almost every week. The weather of Manipal ranges from tropical to extreme monsoons to hot and humid, currently experiencing extreme monsoon from July'19.

ABOUT TECHTATVA:

TechTatva is the annual National Level Technical Festival of Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal. It is the 2nd largest festival in the South Zone of the country, seeing a footfall of a large number of in house participants and over 700 participants from colleges across the nation. TechTatva comprises a plethora of events, both conceived and moderated by technical clubs and associations, ranging across the various branches of engineering, as a consolidation amongst them, making this fest largely student run.

This year, the institution is ready to host this extravaganza of everything technical from October 9th to 12th. The fest hosts featured events such as Robowars, Fuel RC, Bizzventure and Skyrush. Organizing events pertaining to the latest developments in their respective disciplines throughout the year, providing our students a platform to hone their skills, making us one of the most technologically sound engineering students throughout India.

HOW TO REACH

Manipal is well connected by road, rail and air. There are two main cities close to Manipal that serve as entry points- Udupi and Mangalore. Udupi is 5 kms from Manipal and Mangalore 65 kms away.



By air: The nearest airport is at Mangalore which is one and a half hours' drive by road. There are daily domestic flights from Mumbai and Bangalore. All major airlines fly to Mangalore. Prepaid taxis are available at the Mangalore airport. Also, there are a number of buses to Manipal at regular intervals.



By road: Manipal is well connected with the major cities in Karnataka, Kerala, Goa, etc. Buses run between Mangalore and Manipal frequently. Direct buses are also available from Bangalore, Goa, Hyderabad, Mumbai and other cities. Also overnight bus journey from Bangalore has proven to be comfortable for the students.



By train: The nearest railway stations are at Udupi (2kms from Manipal), Surathkal railway station (48 kms from Manipal) and Mangalore (65 kms from Manipal). These railway stations lie on the Konkan route connecting the North and the South along with West Coast. Delhi and Mumbai (to the North) and Ernakulam (to the South) are linked to Udupi Station. Mangalore station is connected to Bangalore, Chennai, Delhi, Goa, Calicut, Trivandrum, Mumbai and other major cities.

Checklist

Before travelling to Manipal.

1. Fill out the 'Accommodation and Arrival information' form that was sent to the team leader's email address. If you don't know your arrival information yet, send us this information afterwards as soon as possible.
2. Don't forget to carry your umbrella and waterproof backpacks.
3. Contact the outstation management team in case of any emergencies.

Upon arrival in Manipal

4. Take transportation for "MIT Main Gate", register yourselves at the Registration Desk at Academic Block-4 (Innovation Centre).
5. Strictly follow the schedule for Manipal Hackathon'19 which will be circulated soon.

GENERAL RULES

GUIDELINES FOR TEAM MEMBERS:

1. All the Outstation teams participating in TECHTATVA'19 have to first register themselves at the Registration Desk at Academic Block-4 (Innovation Centre).
2. The Team Leader has to submit all the valid ID cards of the participating students. The Organizers will then provide them with a delegate card (TECHTATVA ID card) for their event.
3. The team requiring accommodation will have to pay INR 2000 (refundable deposit), which will be deducted in case of any disciplinary issue. Only one member per team has to pay the deposit amount.
4. After the registration process, the teams will be guided towards hostels and events accordingly. Transportation from the registration desk to the hostels and from hostels to the event venue will be provided by the college.
5. At the time of departure of the teams, their ID cards will be returned along with the security deposit.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Accommodation will be provided from 10th to 12th October 2019. Students are requested to check-out from the hostels on the 13th of October by 8:00 am.
2. Food will be provided from 11th to 12th October 2019 to all the participants by the college once the registration is confirmed. Smoking, consumption of Alcohol or possession of any banned substance is prohibited inside the campus; strict action will be taken if anyone is found under violation of this rule.
3. Students taking accommodation inside the campus are supposed to adhere to the hostel rules and perm timings (10:50 PM) strictly.
4. All outstation participants must abide by the campus rules and regulations while also maintaining respectable behavior.
5. Any instances of harassment will be dealt with accordingly.
6. One delegate card per participant will be issued, in case of losing/misplacing it, charges will be levied for the new delegate card.
7. Any damage to hostel/campus property will be charged for accordingly.
8. Participants have to be bonafide students of a government recognized college or university.
9. The Teams/Individuals have to produce a consent letter from the director of their college or institution saying that the team members represent their college and have permission to participate in TECHTATVA-19.
10. In case a valid ID card is not produced during registration, the participant should produce a letter from the director of their institution stating that he/she is a student at their institution and is allowed to participate in TECHTATVA-19.

11. If a team is arriving after midnight, especially between 1am to 6am, they will have to make their own arrangements for food as no shops and canteens will be open. We will NOT be able to provide food from our side in any way possible.
12. Any valuable items like cameras, mobiles, laptops etc. are to be carried at your own risk.
13. Anyone not availing accommodation must not enter hostel premises at any times.
14. Boys are not allowed inside Girls hostel under any circumstances and vice-versa.
15. The decision of College authorities and Outstation Management Core Committee of TECHTATVA'19 shall be final & binding in any case of dispute.

FACILITIES AT MIT MANIPAL

- Hospital Facility-KMC hospital is located near the campus. In case of any emergency, contact the caretaker of your hostel or registration desk.
- ATM Facility-There are two Syndicate, two SBI and one ICICI ATMs inside the campus.
- Food Stalls- Food stalls are set up near the Innovation Centre (Academic Block 4) which will serve food till 11pm. The canteens inside the hostel blocks serve food till 12 am in the night.

FOOD AND CUISINE

<https://manipal.edu/mu/campus-life/around-campus/campus-facilities/food-and-cuisine.html>

SOCIAL MEDIA HANDLES



<https://www.facebook.com/pg/MITtechtatva/>



<https://www.instagram.com/mittechtatva/>



<https://www.youtube.com/user/TechTatva>



<https://twitter.com/mittechtatva>

HACKATHON SCHEDULE*

Day 1

0730 : Inauguration Ceremony

0830 - 0930 : Breakfast

0930 : Coding for Round 3 begins

1300 - 1400 : Lunch

2000 - 2130 : Dinner

Day 2

0730 - 0900 : Breakfast

1300 - 1400 : Lunch

1800 : Coding for Round 3 ends

1900 - 2030 : Valedictory Ceremony

2030 : Dinner

*subject to change

FAQ's

Q1) What if I'm reaching before 10th Oct/ staying after 13th morning?

A) Accommodation will be provided on the basis of availability, necessary charges need to be paid by the team. Please reach us on mail for such requests.

Q2) What if my mentor is accompanying my team?

A) Mentors have to pay necessary charges for the complete stay, in order to get accommodation by the college.

Q3) Will my traveling costs be reimbursed?

A) No, only your lodging and food is being taken care of for the course of the Manipal Hackathon.

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