comes from its location at the sacred union (Sangam) of these three rivers. Sangam is the Sanskrit word for confluence, Triveni Sangam, in Allahabad is confluence of two physical rivers Ganga, Yamuna, and the invisible or mythical river Saraswati. The point of confluence is a sacred place for Hindus. A bath here is said to wash away all of one's sins and free one from the cycle of rebirth. Allahabad is supposed to be the second-oldest city in India and it finds its place in many holy hindu scriptures.

Weather: In the month of February, the city experiences cold days and nights (temperature variation 20-28°C). The delegates are requested to come along with light

Places to Visit

The 'Kumbh Nagari' Allahabad is major tourist attraction in India from all over the world. The conference secretariat may offer a tour package to visit the nearby places on request only. The major tourist attractions in the city are-

Allahabad Fort is situated on the bank of the Yamuna, near to Sangam. This magnificent fort was built by the great Moghul king Akbar in 1583; Ashoka Pillar stands tall inside the Allahabad Fort, built by Akbar, and is the polished sandstone Ashoka Pillar; Hanuman Mandir is located near the Allahabad Fort and famous for the image of the reclined position monkey-god Hanuman; Swaraj Bhawan and Anand Bhavan were the legacies of Motilal Nehru, a freedom fighter and father of Jawaharlal Nehru, and were dedicated to nation by them. These places have witnessed the era of independence and were the places where almost all the important and secret meetings used to be held; Allahabad Museum near Chandra Shekhar Azad Park, preserves the paintings of Nicholas Roerich, terracotta figurines, Rajasthani miniatures, coins and stone sculptures from the 2nd century BC till date.

In addition, other tourist attraction near Allahabad is Varanasi- an ancient. religious and culturally rich city on the banks of the Ganges, 120 km far from Allahabad.



How to reach Allahabad

The city of Allahabad is well connected with all parts of the country with trains, buses and flights. For more information please visit: www.biosangam.mnnit.ac.in

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