

General Information

Reaching IIM Bangalore

The nearest airport is the Kempegowda International Airport, Bengaluru which is nearly 40kms away from the city center. Transfer from Kempegowda International Airport is available by bus as well as taxi. Bangalore Metropolitan Transport Corporation (BMTC) operates various buses from the new airport, including air conditioned buses. Post-paid as well as pre-paid taxi is available from new airport to the institute. Taxi charges are approximately Rupees 1,000/- from Airport.

Weather at Bangalore during the Conference

Bangalore being elevated just about 950Mtrs/3117Ft above Sea Level usually enjoys a moderate climate throughout the year. It is considered one of the best cities in India to live in due to its pleasant weather; sunny and with blue skies. Average temperature stays around 20* C to 28* C in the month of August.

Additional Information

Internet Access

The whole campus is Wi-fi enabled. As a part of the registration kit, you will be provided a detailed sheet of instructions explaining how to access the Wi-fi network. For any further assistance, there will be one team member from the IT Support team (Wearing a light blue shirt with HCL printed on the shirt in blue) who will be handling the internet related requests of the conference participants. Also, there is a 24- hour computer centre (all desktops) which you can access anytime by showing your conference tag.

Banking

The State Bank of Mysore (SBM) maintains one ATM on campus. It is on the pathway between the Central Pergola and MDC. For alternatives, there are couple of other bank ATMs just opposite to the campus, next to the entrance of The Apollo Hospital.

Medical support

In case of medical assistance anytime during the conference, Find below the point of contacts:

1. Dr. Ravikumar KR (resident medical officer)- +91-9620366641
(Consultation hours- 10 AM to 1 PM and 3 PM to 5 PM)
2. 24-Hour Nursing Assistance Helpline- +91-9916333996
3. IIMB Health Centre Number - +91-9880292652

The Medical centre is located on the left corridor as soon as you enter the Reception area (Shown as “1” in the IIMB Map). There is also a Pharmacy opposite to the Medical Centre. It is open from 8 am to 10 pm. Also, there are two multi-speciality hospitals just opposite the IIMB Campus – Fortis Hospital and Apollo Hospital.

Places to Visit in Bangalore

Lalbagh – One of the most famous gardens of the City of Gardens. Ten seater eco-friendly buggies (Rs100 per Head) can take you on a guided tour across the garden, telling you more about the centuries-old trees and collections of plants from around the world. A beautiful glasshouse, modeled on the original Crystal Palace in London, is the venue for flower shows.

Karnataka Chitrakala Parishath - A wide range of Indian and international contemporary art is on show at its exhibition galleries (open 10.30am to 7pm), while permanent displays showcase lavish gold-leaf works of Mysore-style paintings and folk and tribal art from across Asia. In addition, you will find a section that is devoted exclusively to the works of Russian master Nicholas Roerich.

Iskcon Temple – A shiny temple 8kms north east of the town center, with an architecture, that is a mix of traditional and contemporary styles.

Krishna Rajendra Market - A bustling wholesale fresh produce market with several mosques around, popularly known as K R Market.

Cubbon Park and Surrounding Areas – A 120 hectare Cubbon park is in the heart of Bangalore city. Inside the park and on its fringes, you’ll find the red-painted Gothic-style state central library, two municipal museums, an art gallery and a government aquarium.

Bull Temple – Bull Temple contains a huge granite monolith of Lord Shiva’s chariot Nandi and it is one of Bangalore’s most famous structures.

Tipu Sultan's Place – A monument worth visiting and there are other places of interest nearby like, Krishna Rajendra Market, Jama Masjid and Kote Venkateshwara Temple.

Local Travel

Cab/Taxi Services

Some of the Popular Taxi Services used in Bangalore:

Name of the Service Provider	Contact number
Taxi For Sure	080-60601010
Fast Track City Taxi	080-28889999
Ola Cabs	080-33553355
Easy Cabs (Specializes in airport transfer)	080-43434343
Meru Cabs (Specializes in airport transfer)	080-44224422

These Cabs use meters and they do provide a receipt if you request for it.

Autorickshaws

These are the three-wheeled Green-Yellow coloured 'boxes' you will find everywhere in Bangalore. While auto rickshaws rides are something to be savoured as a part of living in Bangalore, the haggling for fares can be avoided by insisting that they use the meters. At times they might ask for Rs 10 or Rs 20 extra which you can decide to pay or not. And it is a practice for them to charge 1.5X or 2X the metered amount for travel between 10 pm and 6 am. Receipts for travel are not provided by auto-rickshaw drivers.

City buses

Bannerghatta Road is well connected to some of the major bus hubs (Majestic, Shantinagar, Shivajinagar, and Jayanagar 4th block). We would recommend that if at all you desire to travel by a bus, you could use the Red coloured (sometimes White or Orange coloured) air-conditioned buses.

Some recommendations for nearby dine-in places

Barbeque Nation
67,3rd Floor,6th B Main, Phase III,
J P Nagar
<http://www.barbeque-nation.com>
Ph:080-40919191

Punjabi By Nature
6, Krishna Nagar,
Industrial & Residential Area,
Hosur Road, Near Forum Mall,
Koramangala
<http://www.punjabibynature.in>
Ph:080-49138800

Aroy
74, 15th Main,
JP Nagar Phase III, JP Nagar
<http://www.thearoyrestaurant.com>
Ph:080-40939311

MTR 1924
44, Kutchi Bhavan,
Opposite To Mini Forest,
1st Main, **JP Nagar** 3rd
Phase
<http://www.mavallitiffinrooms.com>
Ph:080-26586633

Deja Vu Resto Bar
Gopalan Mall
Bannerghatta Main Road,
Phase III JP Nagar
<http://www.gopalanmall.com>

The Village
Bangalore Central Mall (opposite
Big Bazaar)

Phase II JP Nagar
<http://www.soulspace.co.in>

Sahib Sindh Sultan
Forum Mall
No 21, Hosur Road, Koramangala
<http://www.theforumexperience.com>

Global Outlets Present (Fast Food)

KFC & McDonalds
Meenakshi Mall Bannerghatta
Main Road
<http://www.royalmeenakshimall.com>

TGIF
Meenakshi Mall Bannerghatta
Main Road
<http://www.royalmeenakshimall.com>

Taco Bell
Gopalan Mall
Bannerghatta Main Road,
Phase III JP Nagar
<http://www.gopalanmall.com>

McDonalds, SubWay
Bangalore Central Mall (opposite
Big Bazaar)
Phase II JP Nagar
<http://www.soulspace.co.in>

Pizza Hut, KFC, & SubWay

Forum Mall

No 21, Hosur Road, Koramangala

<http://www.theforumexperience.com>

Nearby Shopping Malls

Meenakshi Mall

Bannerghatta Main Road

<http://www.royalmeenakshimall.com>

Gopalan Mall

Bannerghatta Main Road,

Phase III JP Nagar

<http://www.gopalanmall.com>

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MAP – Location of Hotels, Restaurants and Shopping Malls near IIMB

