

Accommodation & Local Transport

There are several star and budget hotels located in the vicinity of conference venue. The rates may range from 2000 to 8000 INR per day. We have negotiated very attractive rates exclusively for MPT-2016 delegates for the following hotels (booking to be done through us only). Kindly write to us at contact@mpt2016.org or send us an online request through our website www.mpt2016.org for booking your accommodation in any of these hotels. Transport will be provided by the organizers from these hotels to the conference venue and back.

Name	Category	Website
Ginger Hotel - Wakad	Budget Hotel	www.gingerhotels.com
Hotel Ambience Executive	3 Star Budget	www.ambiencehotels.in
Orritel Hotel & Service Apartments	Budget Hotel	www.orritelhotel.com
Siesta Hinjewadi Lxia,	Budget Hotel	www.siestaindia.com
Fortune Inn Exotica	3 Star Delux	www.fortunehotels.in
Lemon Tree Hotel Hinjewadi	3 Star	www.lemontreehotels.com
Holiday Inn Pune Hinjewadi	4 Star	www.holidayinn.com/pune
Courtyard by Marriott, Pune Hinjewadi	4 Star	www.courtyardmarriottpune.com
Hyatt Place Pune	4 Star	www.pune.place.hyatt.com

In and around Pune

Pune, the second largest city of the progressive and industrial state of Maharashtra, is known to have existed since 847 AD. Pune was once the center of power of the Maratha Empire. It is not only known as the cultural capital of Maharashtra but is a hub of reputed educational institutes in Arts, Science, Engineering, IT and Medicine. The city is well connected to the rest of the world due to its proximity to the commercial capital Mumbai, and through the airport at Pune. The climate is pleasant during most of the year with moderate rains, tolerable summers and mild winters. For more information please visit <http://www.maharashtratourism.gov.in/>



Ajanta and Ellora Caves

The rock-cut caves are world famous beautifully carved sculptures and intricate paintings. They illustrate the degree of skill and artistry that Indian craftsmen had achieved several hundred years ago. Ajanta dates from 100 B.C. while Ellora is younger by some 600 years. It is a protected monument under the Archaeological Survey of India and has been listed in the World Heritage list of monuments.



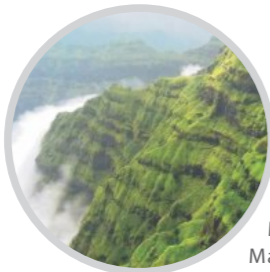
Shaniwar Wada

This stately mansion, originally built as the residence of the Peshwas in 1732 AD, stands as an important chapter in the history of the Maratha Empire. What was once a seven storied structure was gutted by the fire, and only the remains can be seen now like the fortification walls with five gateways and nine bastions. A light and sound show depicting its rich historical legacy is the main attraction.



Sinhadgad Fort

Located 4300 feet above sea level on the Sahyadri Hills, it is a strategic fort, carefully selected for its proximity to the settlement of Pune, allowing control over important trade routes and offering protection behind its safe walls in times of need. It is a popular trekking destination for residents of Pune.



Mahabaleshwar

Soaring peaks, breathtaking valleys. lush flora. cool, crisp mountain air is Mahabaleshwar, Maharashtra's most popular hill station, and once the summer capital of the Bombay Presidency during the British Raj. Located few hours drive away from Pune, it is known for its numerous sightseeing points, each providing a unique perspective of the majestic hill range.



Agha Khan Palace

Built in 1892 by Sultan Muhammed Shah Aga Khan III, it is one of the biggest landmarks in Indian history. It is closely linked to the Indian freedom movement as it served as a prison for Mahatma Gandhi, his wife Kasturba Gandhi, his secretary Mahadev Desai and Sarojini Naidu. It is also the place where Kasturba Gandhi and Mahadev Desai died.

For more information, please visit our website www.mpt2016.org or contact:

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TCS Sahyadri Park Campus,
Hinjewadi, Pune

Invitation, Call for Papers
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Invitation

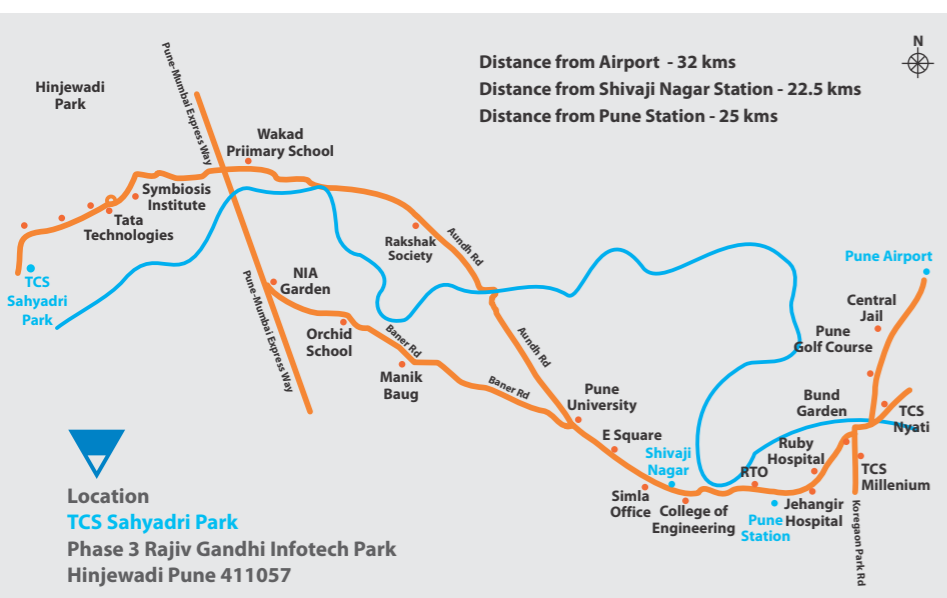
International Seminar on Mineral Processing Technology (MPT) is the annual technical meeting organized by The Indian Institute of Mineral Engineers (IIME), a premier professional body in India. IIME-MPT is a forum to facilitate interactions amongst various industries, leading academic institutions, R&D organizations, process engineers and technocrats of the world.

MPT-2016 is being organized by IIME Mumbai-Pune Chapter (IIME-MPC), Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) and Indian Institute of Technology Bombay (IITB) at Pune. We cordially invite you to join us in Pune in January 2016. Please do write to us and visit our website for more details. We look forward to meeting you in Pune.

G. N. Jadhav and Beena Rai

TCS Sahyadri Park Campus - The Conference Venue

MPT-2016 will be hosted at TCS Sahyadri Park, Pune. Spread over 48 acres of land at Pune, Sahyadri Park is one of the largest delivery facilities of TCS anywhere in the world. Surrounded by the rolling hills of the Sahyadri ranges on three sides, it provides a beautiful setting for hosting MPT-2016. The venue boasts of a 500-seat multi-purpose auditorium, state-of-the-art conference rooms, specially designed board rooms, large breakout areas, training rooms and provides the peripheral supporting infrastructure that MPT-2016 would need. It is located in Pune's IT hub Hinjewadi where several star and budget hotels, guest houses in close vicinity thereby providing comfortable stay options for the MPT-2016 delegates. SP is well connected with Mumbai and Pune Airport, Pune railway and bus station. Wings, Ola, Uber cab taxis are available round the clock in the area.



Abstract Submission

Authors are requested to submit abstracts by September 30, 2015. The abstract (not exceeding 500 words) should be prepared as per the template provided on our website www.mpt2016.org.

Important Dates

Abstract Submission: **Sep 30, 2015**

Abstract Acceptance: **Oct 15, 2015**

Submission of full manuscripts: **Nov 15, 2015**

Call for Papers

The theme of the conference is **“Innovations in Mineral Processing”** and will cover broadly the following areas in mineral processing:

Basic Scientific Developments

- Agglomeration & sintering
- Bauxite and Iron ore processing
- Base & precious metals
- Coal preparation
- Comminution
- Environmental control & waste utilization
- Hydrometallurgy & Bio-hydrometallurgy
- Industrial minerals
- Mineralogical characterization
- Modelling & simulation
- Physical separation

Technological Advancements related to Specific Industrial Segments

- Iron Ore, Manganese, Bauxite & Laterites
- Base metals (Copper/Lead /Zinc Ores)
- Gold
- Industrial Minerals (Phosphate, Chromite, Wollastonite, Clays)
- Beach Sands (Titanium & Rare Earths)
- Coal & Lignite
- Uranium Ores & Strategic Minerals
- Sand & Aggregates
- Tungsten Ores

Special Theme Symposia

- Role of information technology (IT) in mineral processing industry
- Science and technology of reagent design and development
- Advances in mineral characterization

Registration

Participants are requested to register well in advance through the link provided on our website or send us the completed registration form. The delegate fees for different categories are given in the enclosed table.

Payment Details

Please send the Demand Draft or Multi-city Cheque drawn in favor of MPT-2016 and Payable at PUNE or pay through Electronic Transfer. The details are provided below:

Name & Address of the Bank: Canara Bank, IIT Powai, Mumbai - 400076

IFSC Code: CNRB0002724

Name of the Beneficiary Account: “MPT-2016”

Ac. Number: 2724101110594

Sponsorship Opportunities

We solicit sponsorship from different industries, equipment manufacturers, consultancy agencies, other institutions for MPT-2016 as well as for various events planned during the conference. Please contact us for various sponsorship opportunities including the following:

Sponsorship	Cost (INR)	Benefits
Main	10,00,000	Display the corporate logo on all printed and electronic media of MPT-2016 Full page color advertisement on the back page of the conference souvenir Complimentary registration for 10 delegates One invited talk slot during the conference * Complimentary double exhibition booth, session sponsorship - 2
Platinum	5,00,000	Display the corporate logo on all printed and electronic media of MPT-2016 Full page color advertisement inside the conference souvenir Complimentary registration for 7 delegates * Complimentary exhibition booth, session sponsorship - 1
Diamond	4,00,000	Display the corporate logo on all printed and electronic media of MPT-2016 Full page color advertisement inside the conference souvenir Complimentary registration for 5 delegates * Complimentary exhibition booth
Gold	3,00,000	Display the corporate logo on all printed and electronic media of MPT-2016 Full page color advertisement inside the conference souvenir Complimentary registration for 4 delegates
Silver	2,00,000	Display the corporate logo on all printed and electronic media of MPT-2016 Full page color advertisement inside the conference souvenir Complimentary registration for 2 delegates
Dinner	5,00,000	Display the corporate logo on all printed and electronic media of MPT-2016 Full page color advertisement inside the conference souvenir Complimentary registration for 5 delegates * Complimentary exhibition booth Speaker slot during the dinner

* Sponsors are most welcome to opt for additional complimentary delegates and/or session sponsorships in lieu of complimentary booth in the exhibition.

Technical Exhibition

We invite industries, equipment suppliers, research institutions, consulting companies and other organizations both in India and abroad for showcasing their processes, products, instruments, equipment, expertise and achievements during MPT-2016. The contribution towards a standard 3x3 meter stall is **INR 60,000** which will include 2 complimentary delegates. Please contact us for additional information or visit our website www.mpt2016.org.

Souvenir

Souvenir will be released during the inaugural function of MPT-2016. Advertisements are solicited for inclusion in the souvenir. The cost of One Page colour advertisement is **INR 20,000** only.

Category	INR
Industry	7,500
IIME Member	6,000
Academic/ R&D Institutions	6,000
Student*	1,000
Accompanying Person	2,000
Foreign Delegate	USD 200

*We shall provide local hospitality (transport and accommodation) to all the student delegates.