# National Conference on Communications 28<sup>th</sup> February to 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2014

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**INFORMATION FOR THE 20<sup>TH</sup> NCC TO BE HELD AT IIT KANPUR** 

Note: Campus maps of IITK are given at the end of the document. You can also view them at the following url:

http://web.iitk.ac.in/dord/IITK\_Guide\_Map\_Frontt.pdf http://www.iitk.ac.in/dord/IITK\_New\_Map\_V4.pdf

## **Contact Info**

#### **Student Volunteers:**

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#### How to reach IIT Kanpur

Kanpur is connected by rail and road with the major cities in India. IIT Kanpur is located at a distance of about 16 kilometers from the Kanpur Central Railway Station, in the vicinity of Kalyanpur, Kanpur. Taxis are available from the Cantt side of the Kanpur Central Railway Station (from Platform number 1 side). The city taxis may be old-fashioned. There is a pre-paid auto and taxi booth. The rates are about Rs. 300/- to 400/- for a taxi, and Rs. 150-200/- for an auto-rickshaw. Sometimes you may be able to negotiate a few rupees less with the driver, if

you don't go to the pre-paid booth. For taxi services you can also call the following taxi agencies located at IIT Kanpur.

Surendra Yadav Taxi Services	0512-2595094
Rajpal Yadav Tours and Travels	0512-2595095
Amit Travels	0512-2595096

Please use http://radiotaxikanpur.com/ for online booking of taxis. Radio cab numbers for booking via telephone/mobile are as follows:

09838204035 08052411111 05122622222 07897662244

Please make sure that you get down only at your destination and not at the IIT gate. In case of difficulty in reaching VH one may call on phone numbers of Visitors' Hostel: 0512-2597209 and 0512-2597202. If you are staying in Student Hostel, you can call Mr. Kalpant Pathak.

### Air connectivity

Visitors coming over to Kanpur have to get down at Lucknow Airport, Lucknow, the capital city of the state of Uttar Pradesh, India. One can avail the taxis at the airport taxi-stand, but they can ask for any arbitrary amount. You can use the taxi service numbers listed above to book a taxi in advance. Depending on the type of vehicle, these taxis will charge between Rs 1400/- and Rs. 2000/-. (Charge for Air-conditioned taxi is only Rs. 100/- to 200/- extra.)

## Accommodation

Accommodation for the participants is provided in the Visitor's Hostel, Hall 8, Hall 10, Hall 11, GH 2, and GH Tower. Please see the following link for details: <u>http://www.iitk.ac.in/ncc2014/documents/accommodation\_list\_ncc\_2014.pdf</u>.

VH reception is open 24 hours. The website for Visitor's Hostel is <a href="http://www.iitk.ac.in/vh/">http://www.iitk.ac.in/vh/</a>.

For participants staying in Halls, the keys are available with the Hall office during office hours, or with the security guards. In case of queries, please contact the respective student volunteers:

#### GH-2:

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# Food

Registration for the conference covers the following.

*Lunch:* on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> March, and on 28<sup>th</sup> Feb for participants registered for both tutorials

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Dinner: on 28<sup>th</sup> February and 1<sup>st</sup> March
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Breakfast: 1<sup>st</sup> March and 2<sup>nd</sup> March in respective hostels

Other items such as juices, snacks and bottles of water etc. are also available in the VH for which you have to pay separately.

If you are coming on 27<sup>th</sup> February evening, you can book your dinner in the VH. Additionally you can use

- Student Hall messes where meals are available
- The campus restaurant (Internal Phone number 6509) in the campus shopping center close to the visitors hostel.
- Canteen facilities which are located in each student Hall. The closest hall to the VH is Hall 4 for male and GH-1/GH-2 for female attendees.
- Fast food joints at the IIT Campus Gate. One of them is Malgudi Days (Ph: 08400463586)
- Dominos Pizza delivery (0512 2557008-11/ 2540952)

## Venue

The venue for the technical sessions, plenary talks, and tutorials is the Lecture Hall Complex (LHC) at IIT Kanpur. The following table summarizes the venue information

Event	Date/Time	Venue
Breakfast	7:30am	Respective Hostels

Registration	8:30-9:30am, 28 <sup>th</sup> Feb	LHC
Tutorial Sessions	28 <sup>th</sup> Feb, 9:30-12:45, 13:45-	LHC
	17:00	
Lunch	28 <sup>th</sup> Feb – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mar	Outreach Grounds
Inauguration Ceremony	28 <sup>th</sup> Feb, 17:30-18:30	Outreach Auditorium
Plenary Talk		
Inaugural Dinner	28 <sup>th</sup> Feb, 19:30	Outreach Grounds
JTG Meeting	28 <sup>th</sup> Feb, 21:00	PBCEC Hall, Visitors Hostel
Technical Sessions, Plenary	1 <sup>st</sup> -2 <sup>nd</sup> Mar	LHC
Talks, Panel Discussion, Poster		
Session		
Cultural Program	1 <sup>st</sup> Mar, 19:00-20:30	Main Auditorium
Conference Dinner	1 <sup>st</sup> Mar, 20:30pm	Outreach Grounds

## **Android APP**

The android app for the Twentieth National Conference is available for download from Google Play.

## **Internet Access**

- 1. In the VH, all the guest rooms have DHCP (Dynamic Host Control Protocol) for direct Internet connection, i.e. no IP address, User ID or password is required for accessing the Wi-Fi enabled internet services through their laptop.
- 2. All other areas have DHCP, but you need to configure your computer to use a proxy server with the supplied username/password. In order to configure DHCP, follow the steps below:
  - a. Go to Start >> Settings >> Control Panel >> Network Connections >> Local area Connection >> Properties
  - b. Select Internet Protocol (TCP/IP)
  - c. Click Properties, select Obtain IP address automatically and Obtain DNS address automatically
- Next, you need to configure your browser to use one of the following proxy servers: vsnlproxy.iitk.ac.in OR bsnlproxy.iitk.ac.in OR nknproxy.iitk.ac.in OR ironport1.iitk.ac.in OR ironport2.iitk.ac.in

Set the port number : 3128

- 4. Proxy settings are configured as follows:
  - a. INTERNET EXPLORER
    - i. Got o Tools>>Internet Option>>Connections>>LAN Settings
    - Check <Use a proxy server for your LAN> and <Bypass proxy server for local addresses>
    - iii. Set the desired proxy server (see pt. 2)
    - iv. Click on Advanced Settings
    - v. In Exceptions, add \*.iitk.ac.in;172.\*;localhost;127.0.0.1
  - b. MOZILLA FIREFOX
    - i. Go to Tools >> Options >> Network >> Settings
    - ii. Select manual Proxy Configuration and set the desired proxy server (see pt. 2)
    - iii. In "No Proxy for", add .iitk.ac.in, 172.16.0.0/12, localhost, 127.0.0.1
  - c. GOOGLE CHROME
    - Go to Wrench >> Options >> Under the Hood >> Change Proxy settings >> LAN Settings
    - ii. Check <Use a proxy server for your LAN> and <Bypass proxy server for local addresses>
    - iii. Set the desired proxy server (see FAQ 13)
    - iv. Click on Advanced Settings
    - v. In Exceptions, add \*.iitk.ac.in;172.\*;localhost;127.0.0.1
- 5. In the academic area, you can also uncheck "Proxy Sever" configuration, and attempt to access internet with any browser. You will get an authentication window. Upon authenticating with the supplied username password, you will get a page saying: "The browser window is used to keep your authentication session active..." You may then open a new window or new tab to access the internet.
- 6. To use any other application such as mail IMAP/POP, SSH, FTP, Skype, Google Talk etc., you must first authenticate yourself by accessing the Internet through the browser and keep the authentication window minimized while you are accessing the application.



