

IRF WORLD ROAD MEETING 2017

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SAFE ROADS and SMART MOBILITY The Engines of Economic Growth



THE INTERNATIONAL ROAD FEDERATION

The International Road Federation (IRF] is a nongovernmental, not-for-profit organisation with the mission to promote the development and maintenance of better, safer and more sustainable roads and road networks. Working together with its members and partners, the IRF promotes social and economic benefits that flow from well-planned and environmentally sound road transport networks. It helps put in place technological solutions and management practices that provide maximum economic and social returns from national road investments.

The activities of IRF are focused around three pillars, namely:

Disseminating knowledge - The IRF organises courses, workshops and webinars, produces training materials and hosts online knowledge plaforms for building capacity and disseminating knowledge and best practices around the world.

Providing a networking platform - The IRF provides its members opportunities to meet with their peers and colleagues from around the world, exchange ideas and engage in discussions at the events organised throughout the world.

Influencing policy - The IRF contributes to policy by participating in working groups of, amongst others, the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe, United Nations and the European Commissaion. The IRF also regularly contributes to public consultations by submitting policy and position papers.

The IRF is also working to stimulate more active participation of young professionals and students in the professional community through the I RF Young Professionals Programme.

THE IRF WORLD ROAD MEETING

For the last 60 years, the IRF has been organising the prestigious **World Road Meeting (WRM)** once every four years in different cities across the world. The World Road Meeting includes a Conference and an Exhibition.

The Conference provides an outlet for sharing cuttingedge research, best practices and experiences from across the world and is intended to be a premier knowledge event for discussing important issues facing the road, transport and mobility sectors.

The Exhibition is intended to provide suppliers, manufacturers and service providers of the road construction and mobility sectors an outlet for displaying their latest products, technologies and services.

The 18th World Road Meeting will be held in Delhi, India, 14-17 November, 2017. The theme for this event is **Safe Roads and Smart Mobility: The Engines of Economic Growth.** Through the International Road Educational Foundation, the IRF awards grants to graduate engineers and other transportation professionals from around the world in support of full-time academic training. With this, the IRF actively supports the future generations who will build the road networks.

With a wide network across over ninety countries on six continents, the IRF believes that it can make a difference by providing best practices and expert advice to today's multi faceted world of transport.

IRF INDIA

In keeping with its objective of being close to its members, the IRF established IRF India in New Delhi in 2009 to further its aims and objectives in the country. IRF India has been particularly active in furthering the cause of road safety and has been instrumental in bringing about changes in rules, regulations and laws to promote road safety on Indian roads. Since 2005, IRF India has been participating in the Road Safety Week, organised by the nodal Ministry of Road Transport and Highways in early January every year. The Road Safety Week brings together representatives from industry, business, Central and State Governments, NGOs active in the area of road safety, universities and other research institutions.

IRF India works closely with the Government to address the serious concern of road safety in India.



Languages: The main language will be English. Simultaneous interpretation will be available in Arabic, Chinese, French and Spanish.

HIGHLIGHTS

The Conference will include:

- Daily Plenary Sessions
- 44 Parallel Technical Sessions
- Daily Poster Sessions
- Country Spotlight Sessions
- A Vendor Spotlight Sessions
- Innovation Cafe
- IRF Young Professionals Lab
- 🕂 Technical Tours
- Daily summary of proceedings

The Exhibition will include:

- Country Pavilions
- Thematic Pavilions categorised by products and services
- Over 5000 m2 of Exhibition space.
 - Meeting rooms and Hospitality Suites for B2B Meetings
- Awards in various categories for exhibitors, like "Most Innovative Product"
 - Daily Innovation Showcase
- Daily Product Demonstrations
- Daily Exhibitor Spotlight

In addition to the Conference and Exhibition, there will be the possibility for participants to:

- Take part in the 'Colors of India Night'
- / Book Post-Conference Tours around India
- / Participate in Post Conference Educational Programmes

THEMES



CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FEES

FOREIGN DELEGATES (in USD)				
	Early Bird (Before 31 May, 2017)		Full Rate	
	Full Registration	Daily Registration	Full Registration	Daily Registration
IRF Member	900	450	1120	560
Non-Member	1200	600	1500	750
Speaker	-	htt A	750	370
Student	450	220	560	280
Spouse	350		400	

INDIAN DELEGATES (in INR)

	Early Bird (Before 31 May, 2017)		Full	Full Rate	
	Full Registration	Daily Registration	Full Registration	Daily Registration	
IRF Member	45,000	22,500	56,000	28,000	
Non-Member	60,000	30,000	75,000	37,500	
Speaker			37,500	18,800	
Student	22,500	11,000	28,000	14,000	
Spouse	22,700	-	26,000		

* 5% discount on Group Registration of 10 or more delegates from one organisation.

- * Supporting organisations will be treated at par with IRF members
- * Students shall provide proof of student status

For more information visit www.wrm2017.org/registration-information.html

CALL FOR PAPERS

The Conference aims at identifying and discussing challenges that are faced in delivering safe, sustainable and smart road transport and mobility, affordable pricing, the legal, policy and regulatory issues, instruments that are available to policy and decision makers, new concepts and technologies for delivering transport and mobility and the possibilities offered by 'big data' and technology to reshape the road transport and mobility system to face future challenges.

The Conference will be of interest to professionals, academics, researchers, policy makers and practitioners involved with road transport and mobility. We invite authors to submit abstracts for presentation on one or more of the Conference themes and sub-themes on:

www.wrm2017.org/call-for-papers.html

SPONSORSHIPS

With an expected audience of over **4000** delegates and over **15000** visitors, the 18th World Road Meeting offers a unique opportunity for the industry to showcase themselves and their products.

The IRF has put together a wide range of sponsorship opportunities to fit any budget and the marketing objectives.

Sponsorship Packages:		(US\$)
/	Bespoke Platinum	400,000
/	Expressway Diamond	300,000
/	Highway Gold	200,000
/	Arterial Silver	100,000
/	Street Bronze	75,000
/	Promoters/Donor	50.000

For more information visit:

www.wrm2017.org/sponsorshippackage.html

EXHIBITION

The WRM 2017 will serve as a platform where exhibitors, public and private sector organisations, research institutes and think tanks will showcase the latest advancements and solutions to an international audience and exchange views and create business opportunities.

Key Features

- Over 5000 m2 of exhibition space
- / Over 15,000 visitors at the Exhibition
- / Meetings for match-making
- / Meeting rooms and hospitality suites on hire
- / Awards for exhibitors in various categories such as Innovative Products, Showcase Company, etc
- An Innovation Cafe for special announcements, product launches, hosted debates, discussions, etc.
 Catering and networking areas
- / Opportunity to invite guests to the Exhibition

FEE FOR FOREIGN EXHIBITORS n USD)

Early Bird (Before 31 May, 2017)		Standard
Shell Scheme (per m2)	490	560
Floor space (per m2)	370	440
Corner supplement	+10%	+10%

FEE FOR INDIAN EXHIBITORS (in INR)

Early Bird Standard (Before 31 May, 2017)		
Shell Scheme (per m2)	32,100	36,500
Floor space (per m2)	24,000	25,000
Corner supplement	+10%	+10%

Minimum booking will be provided for 9 m2space10% discount for IRF members

Booking Fees include:

- Tea and lunch during Conference days for 2 persons (14 -17 November 2017)
- / Welcome Cocktails on 14 November 2017
- / For Shell Scheme Fascia name, three chairs, one table, carpet, three spot lights, dustbin, and one 15 amp socket

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