



PUDUCHERRY

WORLD HISTORY



CONGRESS (PWHC)



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Dear Members,

My Warm New Year greetings

Hope you are in receipt of First Circular from Dr. Sandeep K. Dasari, General Secretary Puducherry World History Congress intimating you that first session of PWHC is being held under auspices of Department of Tourism Studies, Pondicherry University, Puducherry on 9th and 10th of September 2023. It gives me immense pleasure in extending you this Cordial Invitation of behalf of the local organising committee and on my personal behalf to visit Puducherry for the First Session.

About Puducherry

There are evidences of the Pallava, Chola and the Vijayanagar empires around the city. What is interesting are the relics of Arekmedu, the famous archaeological city with a port through which major trade was conducted with the Roman Empire. It is through this port that India used to export silk, spices, lions, elephants, even birds to the Roman Empire in exchange for gold. In the 16th century, the Portuguese first arrived here in the 16th century and then in the following century the Danes made an appearance. In 1673, the French arrived. Till then, Pondicherry was a weaving and fishing village. This French colony became a part of the Indian Union in the early 1950's, with the French voluntarily relinquishing control. Today, the Union Territory of Puducherry includes the other three French enclaves of Karaikal (in Tamil Nadu), Mahe (in Kerala) and Yanam (in Andhra Pradesh).

About the Host Department

The beginning of the Department of Tourism studies (DTS), Pondicherry University may be traced back to 1991, when the seed financial support from the Ministry of Tourism and Civil Aviation, Govt. of India a Centre of Tourism Studies (CTS) was established in as a nodal centre for advanced Tourism Studies and Research. The CTS was subsequently elevated to the status of the Department during 2005 - 06. The Department is supported by the University Grand Commissions SAP. DTS offers MBA Tourism and Ph.D in Tourism Studies.

Reaching Puducherry and the venue

One can reach Puducherry by road or by train. It is 165 kms from Chennai by road. Plenty of buses are plying between the two every 15 minutes. It is connected by road with important destinations like Bangalore, Thirupathi, Hyderabad, Trivendrum, Cochin, Calicut, Kanyakumari, Madurai, Tanjore, Thiruchurapalli, Vellore, Coimbatore etc. Puducherry has its own railway station that connects it with major cities like Bhubaneswar, Kolkatta, New Delhi, Mumbai, Bangalore, Manglore, Kanyakumari etc. The other nearest railway stations other than other than Puducherry are Villupuram and Tindivanam on Chennai Egmore - Thiruchurapalli main line.

One can reach the Convention Centre, Pondicherry University, Kalapetthe venue by city bus alighting at Pondicherry Engineering College(PEC) Kalapet. If you are travelling by ECR road you can get down at

PECstopping. The delegates will be received from 4-00 pm of 03-03-2016 to 10-00 am of 04-03-2016 only. Those who reach Puducherry afterwards can reach the venue by city bus (Rs.10) or auto (Rs.200).

Research Papers

Papers in all five sessions Ancient World, Medieval World, Modern World, India and Abroad, Contemporary World, World Tourism and Maritime World will be presented simultaneously.

On Line Registration

Scholars are requested to send their papers soft copy (e-mail) & hard copy (100 words abstract along with full text) on or before 15th August 2023 to gensecpwhc2022@gmail.com

Papers received on or before the due date will get precedence for presentation. More than one paper by a member shall not be admitted for presentation. The paper should be neatly computed in about 8 pages double spaced with end notes and two copies of they should be sent. End notes should be numbered consecutively throughout the paper and placed at the end, Most important is that the paper presenters while presenting their papers in Time New Roman font 12 size at the different session should handover a soft copy to CD form to the concerned Sectional Presidents. Only those papers in English are considered for inclusion in the Proceedings Volume.

Membership and Subscription

As a national forum, the PWHC admits as members those who are interested in Historical Studies on India and World irrespective of any regional consideration. Members of the following categories are admitted Annual Member Rs.300/- as Annual Subscription, Life Members Rs.3000/- Institutional Membership Rs.10,000/- Patron Rs.10,000/- and Donar Rs.10,000/- or more. Year is reckoned with the calendar year i.e., January to December.

Membership Fee may be remitted by a Demand Draft favouring Pondicherry World History Congress Payable at SBI Puducherry or any other bank at Puducherry and may be sent to Dr.J.Chalpathi Rao, Assistant Professor, Dept. of History, Kasuthurba College for Women, Villianur, Puducherry. Mobile number: 094879 71691 E-mail: janjalichalapathirao@gmail.com

Membership Fee will also be collected at the time of the session at the Venue, Pondicherry Univeristy, Puducherry. You are also requested to invite your colleagues and Research Scholars to become members of the Puducherry World History Congress.

Please visit our website at www.worldhistroycongress.org/

<https://sites.google.com/view/puducherryworldhistorycongress/home>

With warm regards

Puducherry

Yours Sincerely



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