

First Circular

Platinum Jubilee Year Celebration 2024 – 2025



**National Conference on
Geology, Mining and Mineral Resources:
Advances, Challenges and Future Prospects
(GEOMIN – 2024)**

28th – 30th September 2024



Jointly Organized by:

**Society of Alumni Department of Geology Udaipur
and**

**Department of Geology, Faculty of Earth Sciences
Mohanlal Sukhadia University, Udaipur**

Invitation

The Society of Alumni Department of Geology Udaipur is pleased to invite you to participate in the scientific deliberations during the “**National Conference on Geology, Mining and Mineral Resources: Advances, Challenges and Future Prospects**” to be held during **September 28 – 30, 2024** at Udaipur. The Conference is being organized as a part of activity to celebrate Platinum Jubilee Year 2024 – 2025 of the Department of Geology, Udaipur.

The Conference aims to bring together the academic scientists, mining professionals, mineral entrepreneurs, government officials, researchers and research scholars to exchange and share their contributions and experiences on the exciting areas of Geology, Mining and Mineral Resources. It also provides a premier interdisciplinary platform to discuss the most recent advances, innovations, trends, and concerns as well as practical challenges encountered and solutions adopted in the fields of Geology, Mining and Mineral Sector.

Exhibition

During the Conference an Exhibition on **Geo – Resources** is also planned. The organizations and entrepreneurs will be invited to display and demonstrate their products and items for the participants and general public.

Venue

The Conference will be held at the beautiful and historic city of Udaipur (Rajasthan), in the premises of Department of Geology, Faculty of Earth Sciences, Mohanlal Sukhadia University, Udaipur.

Scientific Programs

The scientific programs of the Conference will be focused on following Technical Sessions:

- Mineralogy, Petrology and Geochemistry
- Stratigraphy and Palaeontology
- Structural Geology and Tectonics
- Metallic and Industrial Minerals
- Energy Minerals (Coal and Lignite, Petroleum and Natural Gas)
- Dimensional and Decorative Stones
- Mining and Mineral Exploration
- Mineral based Industries including Cement and Thermal Power Plants
- Environmental Issues related to Mining and Mineral based Industries
- Hydrogeology and Environmental Geology
- Remote Sensing, GIS and Computational Modelling
- Legislations related to Mining and Mineral Sector Activities

Publications

1. **Pre-Conference Volume** is planned to publish, having Extended Abstracts of Invited Speakers and Participants.
2. A **Souvenir (स्मारिका) Volume** comprising articles of general interests.
3. **Post-Conference Volume** (with ISBN number), having papers of Invited Speakers and Participants.

Presentation and Call for Papers

Oral and Poster presentation facilities will be provided to the participants. Display Boards and LCD Projectors will be available for the presentation.

The participants are requested to send their Paper (Extended Abstract) to the Organizing Secretary before **31st August 2024** so that the papers can be included in the Pre-Seminar Volume. The paper should be concise (not more than 4 – 6 typed pages on A4 size paper, including tables and diagrams) and neatly typed in double spaced in Times New Roman font.

Registration

Registration is mandatory for participation. Participants should confirm their registration on prescribed format. Registration Fee will be as under:

1. Members of Society of Alumni and Invited Speakers : **Nil**
2. Academician, Geoscientists, Mining Professionals etc. : **₹ 2,000/-**
3. Research Scholars and Students : **₹ 1,000/-**

Sponsorship

Institutions, Industries and Mining Sector Organizations are invited to have an active participation in the National Conference through supporting the event by sponsorship. **Names and Logo of the sponsoring institute/organization will be highlighted in every publication/banner/circulars of the Conference along with a Free Advertisement (Multi Colour inner pages) and Free Registration (up to 3 delegates).**

The categories of sponsorship are as under:

1. Platinum Sponsorship : **₹ 4.00 Lakh**
2. Diamond Sponsorship : **₹ 3.00 Lakh**
3. Gold Sponsorship : **₹ 2.00 Lakh**
4. Silver Sponsorship : **₹ 1.50 Lakh**

Advertisement

Institutions, Industries and Mining Sector Organizations are also requested to support the event through the advertisement of their organization / institution. The advertisement charges are as under:

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| 1. Back Outer Cover (Multi Colour) | ₹ 75,000/- |
| 2. Front and Back Inner Cover (Multi Colour) | ₹ 60,000/- |
| 3. Inside Volume Full Page (Multi Colour) | ₹ 40,000/- |
| 4. Inside Volume Full Page (Black & White) | ₹ 30,000/- |
| 5. Inside Volume Half Page (Black & White) | ₹ 20,000/- |

Exhibition Charges:

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| 1. 10 X 10 Ft space with 2 Free Registration | ₹ 20,000/- |
| 2. 20 X 10 Ft space with 2 Free Registration | ₹ 30,000/- |

Payment of Registration Fee/Sponsorship/Advertisement

The registration fee, sponsorship and advertisement amount should be paid either by Demand Draft of any nationalized bank Drawn in favour of "Society of Alumni Department of Geology Mohanlal Sukhadia University" payable at Udaipur or through Online Bank Transfer:

**SOCIETY OF ALUMNI GEOLOGY DEPARTMENT,
MOHANLAL SUKHADIA UNIVERSITY, UDAIPUR**
(State Bank of India) Account No. 40718310635
(IFSC Code: SBIN0031766)



Accommodation

A large number of Hotels and Resorts are available in Udaipur and also near the vicinity of venue to Conference. List of Hotels along with Tariff will be mentioned in the Second Circular so that the reservation can be made by the delegates as per their choice.

How to reach Udaipur

Udaipur is a popular tourist destination in the state of Rajasthan, offers glimpses of the golden Rajput era in India. The place is known for its culture and tradition, grand palaces and beautiful lakes. Those wishing to visit Udaipur will not have any trouble as this lovely city is well connected with several major Indian destinations via air, roads and rail. The Udaipur Airport, also popular as Maharana Pratap Airport and Dabok Airport, is just 20 km away from the city centre. The regular flights are available from major cities like Delhi, Mumbai, Bengluru, Hyderabad, Indore, Bhopal, Ahmedabad etc. The city is also well connected by rail and road routes.

Climate

September month is closing phase of monsoon as such, Udaipur experiences slightly hot and humid weather during September but with lots of greenery.

About the Department of Geology

The University Department of Geology was established in 1950 as the First Post Graduate Science Department in Rajasthan. Prof. K. P. Rode was the Founder of the Department. The Department was initially part of Rajasthan University and later on merged with Mohanlal Sukhadia University. Because of its contribution in Teaching and Research, the Department received the support of University Grants Commission through COSIST and SAP, Department of Science & Technology through FIST and MHRD through RUSA 2.0. In last seven decades the Department has completed several research projects funded by National and International Agencies. The Department is proud of its 20 Alumni who have received the very prestigious National Mineral Award (Now Geoscience Award). A large number of its Alumni have served/ are serving on very senior positions in GSI, ONGC, AMD, CGWB, DMG, RSMML etc.

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REGISTRATION FORM

Name:

Designation:

Organization:

Address:

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Mobile No: e-mail:
(WhatsApp)

Nature of Participation desired: Sponsor/Advertiser/Paper Presenter

Title of Paper:

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Details of Sponsorship/Advertisement

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Details of Payments

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Date :

Place:

Signature

Kindly send the Registration Form along with the amount and paper to the Convener/
Organizing Secretary at the given Corresponding Address.

Preparatory Committee:

- Chief Patron:** **Prof. Sunita Mishra**, Vice Chancellor, MLSU
- Patron:** **Dr. Ritesh Purohit**, Head Department of Geology
- Chairman:** **Sh. P.K. Verdia**, President Society of Alumni
(Retd. Director DMG)
- Co – Chairman:** **Dr. A.K. Vaish**, Vice President Society of Alumni
(Retd. Addl. Director DMG)
- Convenor:** **Dr. Vinod Agrawal**, Retd. Professor & Dean and
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MOEFCC
- Co – Convenor:** **Dr. S.K. Vashistha**, Secretary Society of Alumni
(Former GM, HZL Udaipur)
- Organizing Secretary:** **Dr. Maya Chaudhary**, Assistant Professor Geology
- Joint Organizing Secretary:** **Dr. Rajnikant Patidar**, Assistant Professor Geology
Dr. Subhash Janagal, Assistant Professor Geology
- Treasurer:** **Dr. M.L. Nagori**, Retd. Professor and Head Geology

Second Circular

Details about the final Conference Program, Sponsors, Number of Participants, Conference Committees, and Accommodation etc. will be incorporated in the Second Circular (July 2024).

Address for Correspondence

All correspondence with respect to Conference should be addressed to:

Convenor/ Organizing Secretary of GEOMIN - 2024
C/o Society of Alumni, Department of Geology

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