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International Conference

on

*“Rock-cut Caves of Eastern India with Special Reference to the
Twin Hills of Khandagiri & Udayagiri”*

20th - 22nd December-2019 | Bhubaneswar, Odisha, India

Organised by

Khandagiri Anchalika Bikash Parishad (KABP)
Bhubaneswar



In association with



Indian Institute of Tourism and Travel Management, Bhubaneswar

(An Autonomous Body under Ministry of Tourism, Govt. of India)

Dumuduma Bhubaneswar Odisha



The organizers

Khandagiri Anchalika Bikash Parishad :

The KhandagiriAnchalikaBikashParishad (KABP), is a people welfare organization registered under society Registration Act, 1860 consisting of some culturally conscious and likeminded people, who live nearby. The integrated development of the Khandagiri area such as communication, safe drinking water, waste management, health, socio-economic, culture, aesthetics etc. is the objective of the Parishad. However, the principal thrust of the Parishad is on holistic development of the Khandagiri and Udayagiri Twin Hills, a unique heritage site.

It is generally felt that the Twin Hills have not got its due share of attention either from the Government Departments or from the stakeholders or even from the people in general. Hence, the khandagiriAnchalikaBikashParishad (KABP) has taken on to itself the onus of giving the monument its due to position in history, tourism, culture and economy.

The KABP has taken several steps for creating awareness for proper conservation, management and popularization of the monument. It targets to educate the local community and tries to impress upon them that the Twin Hills are their heritage and that they have inherited it from their forefathers for over two thousand years. They are stakeholders and custodians of this unique heritage site. The prosperity of the Twin Hills is linked to the prosperity of the local inhabitants.

Indian Institute of Tourism & Travel Management, Bhubaneswar:

Indian Institute of Tourism and Travel Management (IITTM), an autonomous organization of the Ministry of Tourism, Government of India, is one of the premier institutes in the country offering education, training, research and consultancy in sustainable management of tourism, travel and other allied sectors. It is devoted to the pursuit of higher knowledge in tourism and its dissemination to a diverse audience.

Over the years, the Institute has established a distinguished identity of its own and reached at a commanding position among sectoral B-Schools in the country. IITTM was established in 1983 and presently IITTM campuses are located at Gwalior, Bhubaneswar, Noida, Goa and Nellore. The management of the Institute is entrusted in the hands of the Board of Governors having the Union Minister for Tourism as its Chairperson.

The Conference:

Khandagiri Anchalika Bikash Parishad (KABP) in association with Indian Institute of Tourism and Travel Management (An Autonomous Body under Ministry of Tourism, Govt. of India), Bhubaneswar is organizing an International conference on "Rock-cut Caves of Eastern India with Special Reference to the Twin Hills of Khandagiri and Udayagiri" from 20th to 22nd December 2019 at IITTM, Bhubaneswar.

Scope and outline of the Conference:

Khandagiri Anchalika Bikash Parishad (KABP) in association with Indian Institute of Tourism and Travel Management (IITTM), Bhubaneswar organized a two-day National Seminar on the theme "The Heritage Site of Khandagiri and Udayagiri Twin Hills: History, Conservation and Development" on 21st and 22nd November 2014 at IITTM, Bhubaneswar. Experts from different parts of the country on History, Culture, Archaeology, Tourism and Environment attended the Seminar and deliberated for two days. The suggestions of the Seminar have been forwarded to concerned authorities of the Government of India

and the State Government for suitable action. As a matter of fact, some follow up action have been taken by all concerned. But it is still felt that the Twin Hills are yet to reach their desired attention and recognition. It is yet to carve out a niche for itself in the historical, cultural and tourism map of India.

The Conference therefore aims at examining different aspects of the Twin Hills by learned experts and scholars in carving out a space for itself in pan Indian context. In this process we also intend to take into consideration similar caves in other parts of the country in general and Eastern India in particular. The tourism potential of the place has to be developed along with its proper maintenance. In the process it is proposed here to consult a wider range of experts from different parts of the globe in respect of its state of preservation, conservation and tourism prospect and act upon that.

Sub-Themes:

- ✍ Origin and development of rock-cut caves in India
- ✍ Evolution of Rock Cut Cave architecture
- ✍ Art, Iconography and Decorative Motifs in Cave Art
- ✍ Importance of the Twin Hills of Udayagiri and Khandagiri in History, Culture and Epigraphy
- ✍ State of Preservation and Conservation of the caves
- ✍ Religion and Philosophy
- ✍ Management issues related with tourism development

Guidelines for Abstract:

The abstract should not exceed 300 words and should include Title, Background, Objectives, Methodology, and Findings/results. The contributor(s) should provide their name(s), affiliations, mailing address, telephone, fax and e-mail along with the abstract. The abstract and full papers should be sent to The Chairman, International Seminar Prof Amiya Kumar Pattanayak, Email:amiyakpatnaik@gmail.com or to Prof. Sarat Kumar Lenka, Director-IITTM & the Conference Director: Email:profsaratlenka@gmail.com

Review:

All research papers shall be subjected to critical review. The decisions/recommendations of the reviewers are final and binding in all respects. The contributor(s) will have to necessary steps to modify their article as per the recommendations of the reviewer and submit before the due date.

Formatting, publishing and presentation of final papers:

The accepted final papers may be published as part of the proceedings of the seminar and shall be circulated among all delegates in electronic format; in addition, the proceeding would be submitted with the appropriate authority / Agency for consideration.

Guidelines for Paper Presenters:

1. All submissions must be made in MS WORD format
2. The paper should not exceed 4500 words (excluding bibliography) in A4 Size, Double space, FontTahoma, Size-12.
3. The first page should contain the Title, abstract and name of the contributor(s)
4. The bibliography and reference should be in APA format.

Who can attended the conference

Local Academicians	Outstation Research Scholars
Local Research Scholar	Foreign Academicians / Researchers
Outstation Academicians	

Registration Fee:

Local Research Scholar : Rs. 200/-
 Outstation Academicians : Rs. 1000/-
 Outstation Research Scholars : Rs. 500/-
 Foreign Academicians / Researchers : Rs. 2000/- (\$25)
 (The organizers reserve the right to waive the Registration fee for those who submit full paper)

Registration form along with abstract should be sent to Prof Amiya Kumar Pattanayak, Chairman, International Seminar, Email: amiyakpatnaik@gmail.com or to Prof. Sarat Kumar Lenka, Director (i/c), IITTM and the Conference Director-Email: profsaratlenka@gmail.com

Brief Programme Details:

Date	Time	Activity
20 th Dec 2019	10.30 AM	Seminar Registration, Inauguration of Seminar , Lunch, Sight Seeing, Cultural Programme and Dinner
21 st Dec 2019	09.00 AM Onwards	Technical Sessions, Lunch, Panel Discussion, Cultural Programme and Dinner
22 nd Dec 2019	09.30 AM Onwards	Valedictory and Lunch

Organising Committee

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Important Dates:

- Deadline for submission of abstract - 19th October 2019
- Notification on accepted papers - 26th October 2019
- Deadline for submission of final Paper - 16th November 2019
- Intimation after review of the papers - 23rd November 2019
- Final submission of full paper as per the Recommendations of the reviewers - 10th December 2019



Registration Form



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