Proposal for venue to hold 802.16 Session #41 in New Delhi, India

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Purpose:

Proposed venue for Session #41 (New Delhi, India) for consideration by Working Group

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Welcome to India



Facts about India

Foundations of ancient India go back to at least 3000 BC

Modern India with nearly 1 billion citizens, India is the second most populous nation in the world

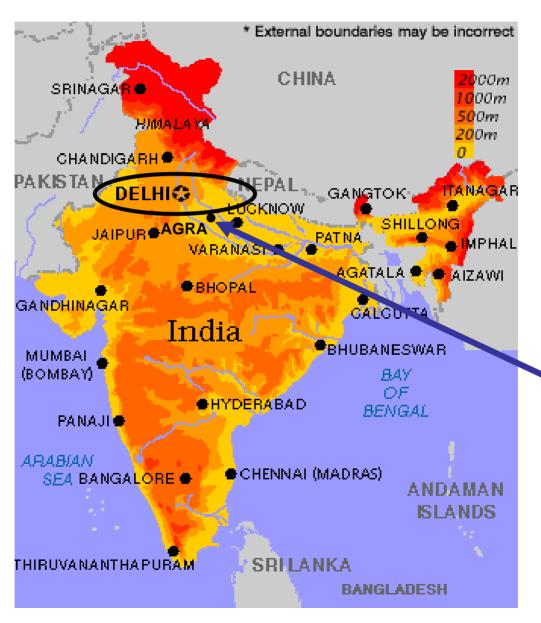
It is impossible to speak of any one Indian culture, although there are deep cultural continuities that tie its people together

English is the major language of trade and politics, but there are fourteen official languages in all

India has seven major religions and many minor ones, six main ethnic groups, and countless holidays



Proposed Location – New Delhi



General Info about Delhi

- India's Capital
- Easy Access, numerous flights by various airlines
- City is ~2500+ years old
- Day trip to Agra (Taj Mahal)
- 4 hours from Jaipur (city of colors in the state of Rajasthan)
- 4 hours from Himalayan foothills

Delhi Attractions

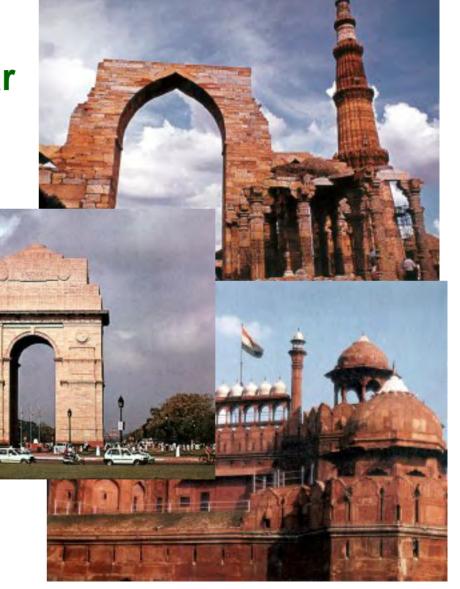
Qutab Minar (1000 year old tower)

Red Fort (600 year old

fort)

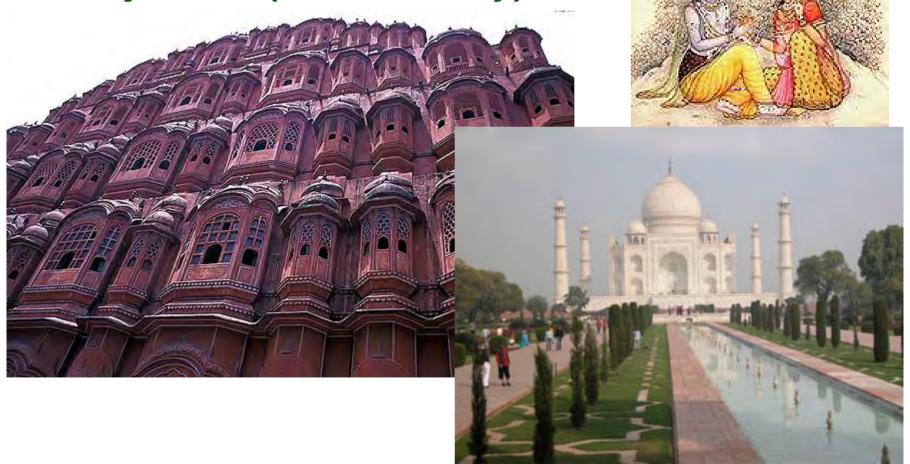
India Gate

Lotus Temple



Around Delhi

- Taj Mahal (Agra is a day trip)
- Rajasthan (4hr each way)



Weather

Nov-Feb is the best time to visit

 January usually has no rain, mild weather

| Month | Avg. High | Avg. Low | Avg. Prec ip. |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|---------------------|
| January | 69.8° F | 45.7° F | 0.80 in |
| February | 74.3° F | 50.2° F | 0.80 in |
| March | 84.6° F | 59.5° F | 0.60 in |
| April | 96.8° F | 70.9° F | 0.80 in |
| May | 102.6° F | 78.6° F | 1.00 in |
| June | 101.8° F | 82.0° F | 2.80 in |
| July | 94.5° F | 80.2° F | 9.30 in |
| August | 92.5° F | 79.3° F | 9.30 in |
| Septemb er | 93.6° F | 76.5° F | 4.50 in |
| October | 91.4° F | 67.3° F | 0.70 in |
| Novembe r | 82.9° F | 55.8° F | 0.40 in |
| Decembe r | 73.2° F | 47.3° F | 0.40 in |

Hotel Information

HOTEL INTERCONTINENTAL

- LOCATION: In city centre, 24 km from the airport
- ACCOMMODATION: 444 rooms + 53 suites
- High Speed Internet Access in rooms
- DINING: 7 restaurants
- 6 meeting rooms
- Largest Meeting room 120' x 100' (800 capacity for reception, classroom style capacity TBA)



Getting There

- Several non-stop International flights fly daily to New Delhi from several major cities in the world (e.g. Frankfurt, Singapore, Tokyo, Hong Kong, London, Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur)
- Rental cars are available, but recommended mode of transportation would be by taxi for airport to city and within the city
- HOTEL ADDRESS :BARAKHAMBA AVENUE, CONNAUGHT PLACE, NEW DELHI
- http://www.ichotelsgroup.com/h/d/6c/1/en/hd/ndehc

Costs

Room

- Room charge is about \$128 per night
- Plenty of Overflow hotels available within 5-10 minutes distance with similar as well as lower room charges

Break

Coffee, cookies, etc as usual

Lunch

 Still working on including lunch in registration fee, in any case hotel has 7 restaurants available

Social

Beceem as host will plan this ©

Registration

- \$200 (advance), \$250(on-site)

Other Details

- Proposed Dates: January 9-12
- Delhi has many restaurants of all kinds featuring cuisine from all over the world and all over India
- Voltage: 230V
- Currency: 1 USD ~= 45 Rupees, currency easily converted at the airport, into rupees and back into USD, Euro etc.
- Credit cards accepted in hotels, large restaurants, major shops etc.
- Cash is needed for taxi, smaller restaurants, smaller shops, tourist attractions
- English is widely spoken by taxi drivers, retail employees, hotel personnel and in by a large portion of the population you are likely to encounter.
- Phone and internet connectivity is widely available, most major hotels have WiFi available in lobby and internet access in guest rooms.

THANK YOU!

HOPE TO SEE YOU IN NEW DELHI