Pakistan Vacuum Society (PVS) <u>PVS BID</u>

IUVSTA Executive Council Meeting (ECM-120)

Bhurban-Pakistan

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Bhurban: It is located at the foothills of the magnificent Himalayas at an elevation of over 2000 m and at a distance of about 60 km from Islamabad, the capital city. It is one of the most picturesque places in the country; a tourist paradise with fauna, flora and a wide variety species of animals not found elsewhere in Pakistan.

Pearl Continental Hotel, Bhurban: It is a magnificent resort hotel of Pakistan which offers a unique experience of defining reunion with Nature. From the hotels balcony there is spectacular view of the paradise on earth, the Kashmir valley, and its snow capped mountains. It is beautifully nestled in the middle of a thick pine forest and other various varieties of flora. In addition, it has an intrinsic beauty, world class adventure sports and personalized luxury make it the most agreeable proposition.



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Pearl Continental Bhurban









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View of rooms at PC









View of meeting halls









View of surrounding areas









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Entry

• Air:

Bhurban is two hours drive from Islamabad international airport, which has all the leading airlines flying in and out of the city. Frequent flights are available for travel, within the country, connecting all the major cities.

• Train:

The nearest railway station in Rawalpindi has all the major trains connecting to other cities, like Karachi, Lahore, Multan, Peshawar and Quetta.

• Road:

Bhurban is reachable by a well-conditioned main road in a scenic journey of about two hours through densely wooded hills. Best deals and best buses can be found in Rawalpindi. Long distance buses leave from and arrive at the Pir Wadhai and Daewoo Bus station. Cars too can be rented with a nominal deposit.

Weather

- The average temperature during the month of March is around 15-20 °C
- Most of the people come to Bhurban to escape the scorching heat in summers (May to September)
- Other visit in the winters to enjoy a rare spectacle of snow (November to February) which is a treat to the people living on the plain.
- Dazzling twilight and cloud effects are daily features during the Febrary-March rains.

Tourist attractions

Bhurban offers a variety of breath-taking locations - lush green slopes, ridges, moors, streams, brooks and waterfalls. Just a short drive away, you find:

- Murree and its shopping mall at 6,800 feet.
- Patriata, at 9,000 feet with its chairlifts and cable cars.
- Ayubia, at 9,400 feet the tallest summit with lift chairs.
- Nathiagali at 9,500 feet with its natural splendor.
- Tattapani with hot sulphur springs.
- Kohala bridge.
- Muzaffarabad A gateway to Kashmir

Guided Tour

- Bhurban, Murree & its shopping mall
- Patriata, Ayubia & Nathiagali
- Taxila Museum
- Tattapani with hot sulphur springs.
- Lok Virsa Museum , Islamabad
- Pir Sohawa, Islamabad
- The Monuments, Islamabad
- Rawal lake, Islamabad
- Salt Mines, Khewra

Accommodation

The accommodation meets an exceedingly high standard and is the refined consequence of a design that fuses aesthetics with comfort. The room features a comfortable work place and a private terrace. Nestled among the lush green mountains, the rooms provide breathtaking view of the valley.

Accommodation

PC Bhurban has

- 59 luxuriously appointed Deluxe rooms
- 116 Superior rooms.
- 8 Royal suites
- 3 Presidential suites
- 2 Deluxe
- 6 Duplex
- 5 Executive Suites

Accommodation

Features

- Direct dial telephones
- Electronic safe
- Satellite and an in-house movie channel
- Cinema hall
- Mini bar
- Gym & indoor sports
- Swimming pool
- Internet access

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Accommodation

Other facilities

- Pool Side
- Garden cafe
- The basement
- The jungle huts
- The terrace cafe
- Nadia restaurant

Meeting rooms

- Pearl Continental Hotel, Bhurban fulfills requirements for international conference, investiture ceremonies, a board meeting by offering a wide variety of elegant and exclusive venues.
- The meeting rooms and halls are equipped with the latest audio-visual equipment, efficient communication services and are backed by excellent banquet facilities.
- Flexible meeting space and comfortable surroundings ensure that function will be a resounding success.

Facilities

- Motorized projection screens, projection and lighting bars for visual effects.
- Separate sound system for each section.
- Reception area with marble flooring and abundant natural daylight.
- Assistance in planning and managing events.
- Large conference tables and ergonomic chairs.
- Latest conference technology available from simultaneous translation to teleconferencing.
- Back up team of dedicated IT professionals.
- 24 hours business centre equipped with contemporary technology

Confidence - Services

- Shopping Arcade : local souvenirs, general utilities, traditional and contemporary Boutiques, jeweler shops, footwear shops
- Authorized Money Changers
- Airport Travel Desk
- Car Rental
- Concierge and Valet
- 24 Hour Room Service
- Laundry/Dry Cleaning
- Baby Sitting

PVS complimentary services

- Free pick / drop from airport to venue / hotel
- Website for information
- Online abstract submission and hotel reservation
- Internet facility at venue
- Money exchange counter
- Travel information counter
- Food Park
- Free medical services
- Free gym / sports
- Complimentary gifts / souvenirs to invited speakers
- Complimentary PVS dinners

Accommodation charges

Room Type	Rates in Pk Rs		Rates in €	
	Single Occupancy	Double Occupancy	Single Occupancy	Double Occupancy
Standard Room	24000	25000	300	317
Pearl Room	26000	27000	333	350
Executive Room	28000	29000	367	383
E-Room	30000	30000	400	400
Check-in Time: 1500 hrs		Check-out Time: 1200 hrs		

Credit Cards: All major cards are accepted: American Express, Bank Card, Diners Club, Master Card and Visa.

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Registration

- All participants are required to register. Please fill the form following the link <u>http://www.pvs.com.pk</u> and send it to <u>pvs@comsats.net.pk</u> before March 15th, 2015
- Registration form is available at <u>http://www.pvs.com.pk</u>
- The participants who will attend IUVSTA International Highlight Seminar will need to register separately.

Registration Fee

- The full registration fee is €600 and includes:
- Two night accommodation at hotel PC Bhurban (Friday and Saturday) on a "five-star" bed & breakfast basis.
- Lunch and refreshments (lunch on Saturday and Sunday).
- Coffee with snacks on Friday afternoon.
- Reception on Friday evening, and a city trip excursion with gala dinner on Saturday evening (invitation by Pakistan Vacuum Society).
- Excursion to Ayubia on Sunday afternoon.
- Return shuttle transfer from Bhurban to Islamabad airport.
- Accompanying person fee is €250.



 All the participants are required to pay the registration fee, either in cash on site during the meeting (preferred), or by bank transfer before 15th March 2015.

In cash

The registration fee can be paid in cash on site during the meeting. Only cash in Euros or US Dollars is accepted.

By bank transfer

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IUVSTA International Highlight Seminar

Bhurban - Pakistan March 18-19, 2015 (Before ECM-120)

Venue Pearl Continental Hotel Bhurban - Murree

Activity

- Plenary talks
- Invited talks
- Contributory talks
- An exhibition

Topics

- Nanometer Structures
- Electronic Materials and Processing
- Thin Film
- Bio Interfaces
- Surface Science and Engineering
- Vacuum Science and Technology
- Renewable Energy Technologies
- Plasma Science and Technique

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Registration Fee for IUVSTA High Light Seminar

Foreign:	€200
Local:	Pk Rs 5000
Student:	Pk Rs 2000

The registration fee includes:

- Seminar book, writing material, lunch and refreshments
- Pick & drop facility from selected locations.

Payment methods for IUVSTA High-Light Seminar

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