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The gorgeous Himalayan Monal (local name Danphe) is the National bird of Nepal, spotted during the Spring at an altitude of 3500-4500m.

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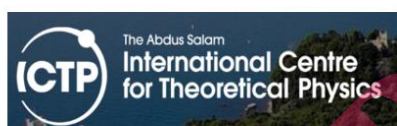
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Visa to Nepal: Please ensure that your passport expiry should NOT be less than SIX months while entering Nepal.

Most nationals require a visa to Nepal. Kindly check your requirement. Details are available on the Dept. of Immigration, Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of Nepal,

The Nepalese embassy in Vienna has provided the information on the Visa. There is no separate visa for attending the conference. All visits are covered under the tourist visa. You can obtain the Visa through the following.

- Online application; <http://online.nepalimmigration.gov.np/tourist-visa>
- Visit the Nepal embassy in your country.
- On arrival; <http://www.nepalimmigration.gov.np/page/visa-on-arrival>

Delegates entitled to Visa on arrival to Nepal could fill in the information and print the form with the barcode, which makes immigration easier.

<https://nepaliport.immigration.gov.np/>

Immigration Office at the Tribhuvan International Airport (TIA) is the only international airport under the Department of Immigration to provide an 'On Arrival Visas' to foreign nationals arriving in Nepal.

On arrival at the Tribhuvan International airport: Prepaid and regular taxis are available. There is a counter for prepaid taxis at the arrival hall of the Kathmandu airport, and you can pay and get the receipt to the required destination.

Pickup from Hotel Mystic Mountain: Pickup service is available from Hotel Mystic Mountain at \$35 per direction for a Car and 10-seaters Hiace for \$70. If required, please write to Ms. Amita with flight details. In addition, if needed, Prof. Khanal's students can guide you on the airport. Please write to Prof. Khanal with your flight details if necessary.

Conference venue: The conference venue will be in the hotel. The conference will be held on 13th and 14th March at the "Hotel Mystic Mountain" in Nagarkot, Kathmandu.

March 15 is a scientific visit to Tribhuvan University, Kathmandu.

On 16th and 17th March, the conference will be held in "Hotel Yak and Yeti" Kathmandu.

Hotel Accommodation: We have already circulated the respective hotel booking forms. Kindly take action as per the due date. From 12th to 14th March (3 nights), Hotel Mystic Mountain in Nagarkot is reserved and from 15th to 18th March (3 nights) at hotel Yak and Yeti in Kathmandu. Feel free to contact the hotel if you need extra nights, and rooms are available at the conference tariff.

Healthcare: Healthcare services in Nepal are provided by both the public and private sectors, but most are located in Kathmandu. Some private Western hospitals do offer good medical services. It is good to have health insurance while entering Nepal.

Personal medicine: Delegates are advised to bring their required special medicines.

Banking in Nepal: All major Credit cards like VISA, MasterCard, and American Express are accepted in Nepal for direct payment and cash withdrawal. Travellers-cheques are NOT easily cashable in Nepal. Kathmandu airport has bank counters where you can exchange currencies on arrival. Any hard currency can be easily converted to local currency through money exchanges as per daily exchange rates in hotels and cities. If necessary, remember to let your bank know about the dates when you will be abroad. At present, one Euro equals about 135 Nepalese Rupees.

Clothing: Please bring clothing to suit the climate. Kathmandu valley witnesses blooming Spring in March-April. Maximum daytime temperature is around ~27°C (81°F), while at night drops to around ~10°C (50°F).

The sky is generally clear, and the Himalayan view is spectacular. However, the weather remains dry until about April. A high U.V. level requires sun cream.

Further information on Nepal can be found on the website of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs; <https://mofa.gov.np/> and Nepal Tourism Board; <https://www.welcomenepal.com/>

Nepal Time zone: Nepal is 5 hrs and 45 minutes ahead of GMT/UTC.

Forthcoming important dates:

Scientific programme	February 15, 2023
Final announcement	March 01, 2023
Registration on desk	March 12, 2023, onwards

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