

International Poplar Commission  
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Indian Acceptance

*for*

Hosting 24<sup>th</sup> Session of IPC

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(ICFRE), Dehradun, Uttarakhand

**INDIA**

# INDIA the 7th largest country in the world

Political Map of the World, April 2006

ALISTONIA  
Serruya  
3000 / AINAKS  
★  
N.A.S. 11-10-0000  
Address: P.O. Box 1000  
1000 Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Independent state  
Dependency or area of special sovereignty  
Island / island group  
Capital



# INDIA

## States and Union Territories

**DEHRADUN**



**DELHI**



# 24<sup>th</sup> Session of IPC in India- 2012

- **Place:** Dehradun on Himalayan Foothills
- **Altitude:** 2000 feet
- **Climate:** Moderate winters (no snowfall) and tolerable summers
- Connected with Delhi by road, train, air
- Distance from Delhi: 250 Km

# Dehradun Climate

- **Climate sub-tropical but cold in winters, mountainous areas up in Himalayas with temperate climate**
- **Average annual rainfall: 2000 mm spread from June to September**

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- Time: April 2012 or September/October 2012
- Host organization: Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education (ICFRE) under the auspices of Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India
- Conference facilities: auditoriums, meeting halls, office space, hostel and hotel accommodation, communication facilities

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- Session structure: 4 days for plenaries, paper presentations, meetings of Working Parties
- Followed by field visit of 2 days
  - Ramnagar-Rudrapur-Terai-Corbett National Park  
or Roorkee-Muzaffarnagar-Meerut-Taj

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- Finances: FAO
- Local support: ICFRE, Forest Research Institute, Indira Gandhi National Forest Academy, Uttarakhand Forest Department, Forest Survey of India



- Poplar agroforestry plantations at Ludhiana, Punjab
- Many similar sites in north India





Poplar-turmeric agroforestry model at  
Hara Farm, Yamunanagar, Haryana



Poplar-based  
industry

A view of  
highway at  
Yamunanagar,  
Haryana:





Traditional charcoal  
manufacture using  
roots of poplar:  
Saharanpur, Uttar  
Pradesh



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**Host Organization**



**Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education  
Dehradun, India**

# FORESTRY RESEARCH - MILESTONES

**1864 - Systematic Forest Management**

*Sir D. Brandis----- the first IGF*

**1878 - Forest School at Dehra Dun**

**1906 - Imperial FRI with Six Research Disciplines**

- Silviculture
- Forest Geology
- Economics
- Working Plans
- Forest Botany
- Chemistry

**1929 – Present FRI Building inaugurated**

**1988 – ICFRE as a Department under MoEF**

**1991 - ICFRE Autonomous Society**

# Institutes of ICFRE

## ● **Forest Research Institute, Dehradun**

- *Centre for Social Forestry & Eco-Rehabilitation, Allahabad*

## ● **Tropical Forest Research Institute, Jabalpur**

- *Centre for Forestry Research & Human Resource Development, Chhindwara*

## ● **Institute of Forest Genetics & Tree Breeding, Coimbatore**

## ● **Institute of Wood Science & Technology, Bangalore**

- *Forest Research Centre, Hyderabad*

## ● **Arid Forest Research Institute, Jodhpur**

## ● **Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla**

## ● **Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat**

- *Advanced Centre for Bamboo and Rattan, Aizwal*

## ● **Institute of Forest Productivity, Ranchi**

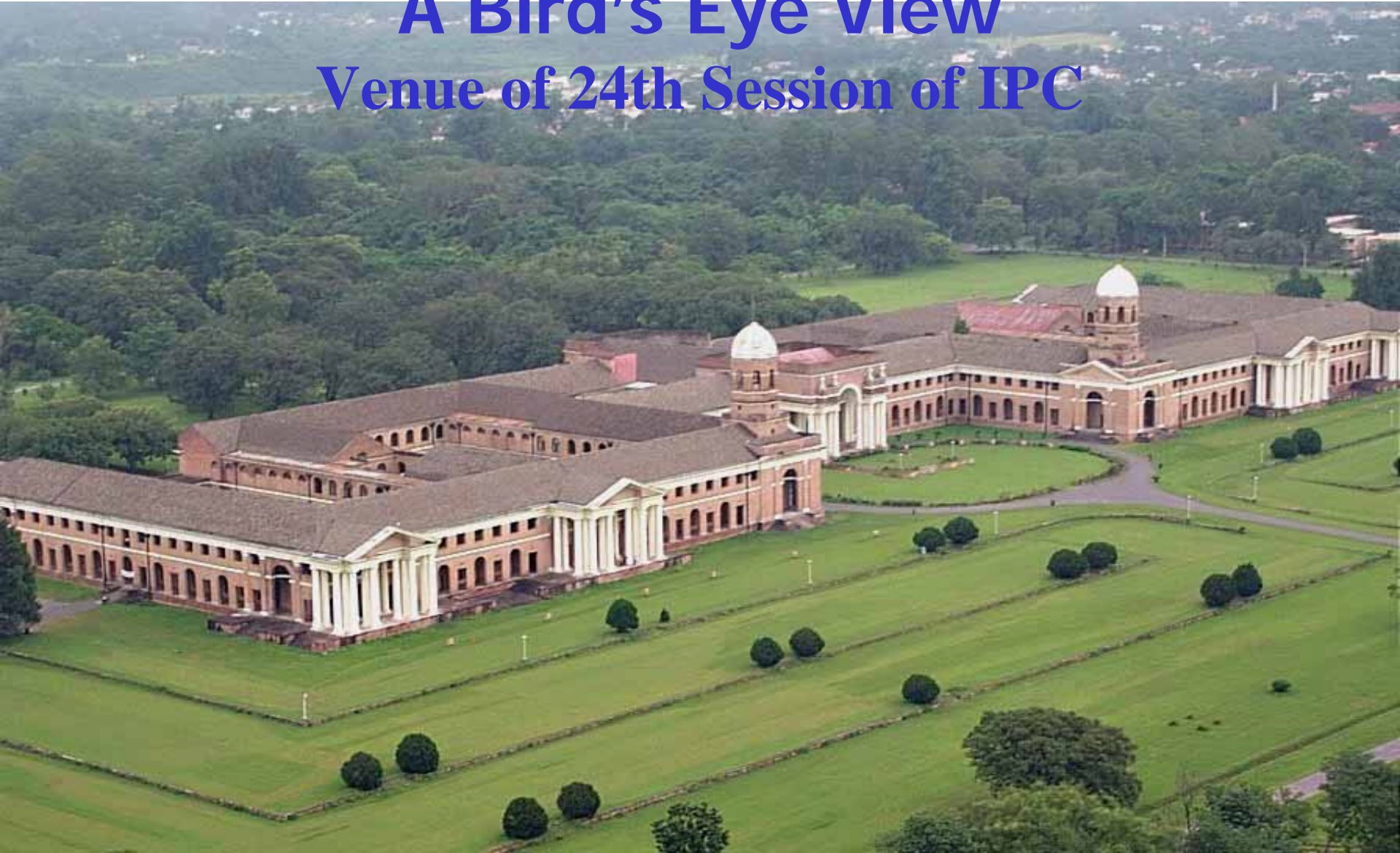
# Forest Research Institute (University) Dehradun



# Forest Research Institute

## A Bird's Eye View

Venue of 24th Session of IPC



# Facilities

- **Conferencing and Accommodation Facilities**
- **National Forest Library, Intranet & Internet Services**
- **Recreation facilities like walking treks, sports, gyms, indoor games**

# Supporting Institutions

- **Indira Gandhi National Forest Academy**
- **Directorate of Forest Education**
- **Forest Survey of India**



# Conferencing Facilities

- **FRI Convocation Hall**
- **FRI Board Room**
- **Scientist Hostel Conference Room**
- **FRI Lecture Hall**

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- **NFLIC Hall**
- **ICFRE Auditorium**
- **ICFRE Board Room**

# FRI Convocation Hall (Capacity 600)



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# ICFRE Auditorium (Capacity 300)



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# Auditorium of IGNFA



# Inside Auditorium of IGNFA



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# Conferencing Amenities of the Organization



**FRI Board Room**



**Lecture Hall**



**ICFRE Board Room**



**Conference Room**

# Accommodation at FRI

- **Officers Rest House – 24 Rooms**
- **Scientist Hostel – 32 Rooms**
- **Visiting Scientist Hostel – 13 Rooms**

# **IGNFA Accommodation**

- **Guest House – 4 Suites, 16 Single Rooms**
- **Old Hostel – 30 Single Rooms**
- **New Executive Hostel – 30 Rooms**
- **Gym and Sports**

# FSI Accommodation

- 7 Suites, 9 Rooms

## State Forest Service College Accommodation

- Hostel – 15 Suites, 15 Rooms

# FRI Rest House



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# A Room of FRI Rest House



# Scientist Hostel



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***Support from  
other Institutions  
of MoEF***

# A Room of IGNEA Guest House



# A Room of Executive Hostel of IGNEFA



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# **Sightseeing: Poplar Plantations and Poplar based Industry**

# Jim Corbett National Park



# Taj Mahal – Wonder of the World



# Taj Mahal



**The Beauty in Dazzling White !**

# Golden Temple, Amritsar



**2012: All of you are welcome to  
Dehradun, India**

*To attend*

**24<sup>th</sup> Session of IPC**

*And witness*

**Poplar Agroforestry, Himalayas,  
Tigers and the Taj Mahal**

Thank you!