



**7TH ASIAFORGE
MEETING 2019**
(Concurrent with 2nd Forgetech India)
CHENNAI, INDIA

Date: 18 - 22 January, 2019

Venue: Four Points by Sheraton, Mahabalipuram Resort & Convention Centre



Welcome Message

Dear Friends,

It is with a sense of pride and achievement we are pleased to inform you that the Association of Indian Forging Industry (AIFI) was bestowed with the honour of hosting the 7th ASIAFORGE Meeting 2019 India. This decision was taken at the 6th ASIAFORGE Meeting 2016 held in Japan. After due consideration and study, AIFI has decided to organise the 7th ASIAFORGE Meeting 2019 India in Chennai from 18 January 2019 to 22 January 2019, inclusive of plant tours. As for the venue for the conference, the organisers have finalized Four Points by Sheraton, Mahabalipuram Resort & Convention Center (formerly Confluence Banquets & Resort), situated in a picturesque milieu, enthusing formal networking and knowledge-sharing with leisure.

In over 52 years, Association of Indian Forging Industry (AIFI) has had the opportunity to host International Forging Congress (IFC) 1990 at New Delhi, ASIAFORGE 2008 at New Delhi and IFC 2011 at Hyderabad. Over 550 delegates from the Asian forging community participated in the ASIAFORGE 2008 whereas in the IFC 2011 there were more than 1000 delegates from across the globe. As you are aware, AIFI successfully organized the first edition of Forgetech India 2016 at Gurgaon, which witnessed a footfall of 600 participants.

7th ASIAFORGE Meeting 2019 India would be held concurrently with the second edition of Forgetech India. In this event, we would have presentation of articles on forging related subjects as well as exhibition of companies displaying their products. It would, thus, provide an excellent opportunity for all visitors to interact with the doyens of the forging industry, to observe the exhibits and get richer with forging knowledge.

No event can be a success without your presence. Hence, we are keen to meet you at 7th ASIAFORGE Meeting 2019 India. We shall be very happy to welcome you there.



S. Muralishankar
President



Abhay Raj Kapoor
Convenor

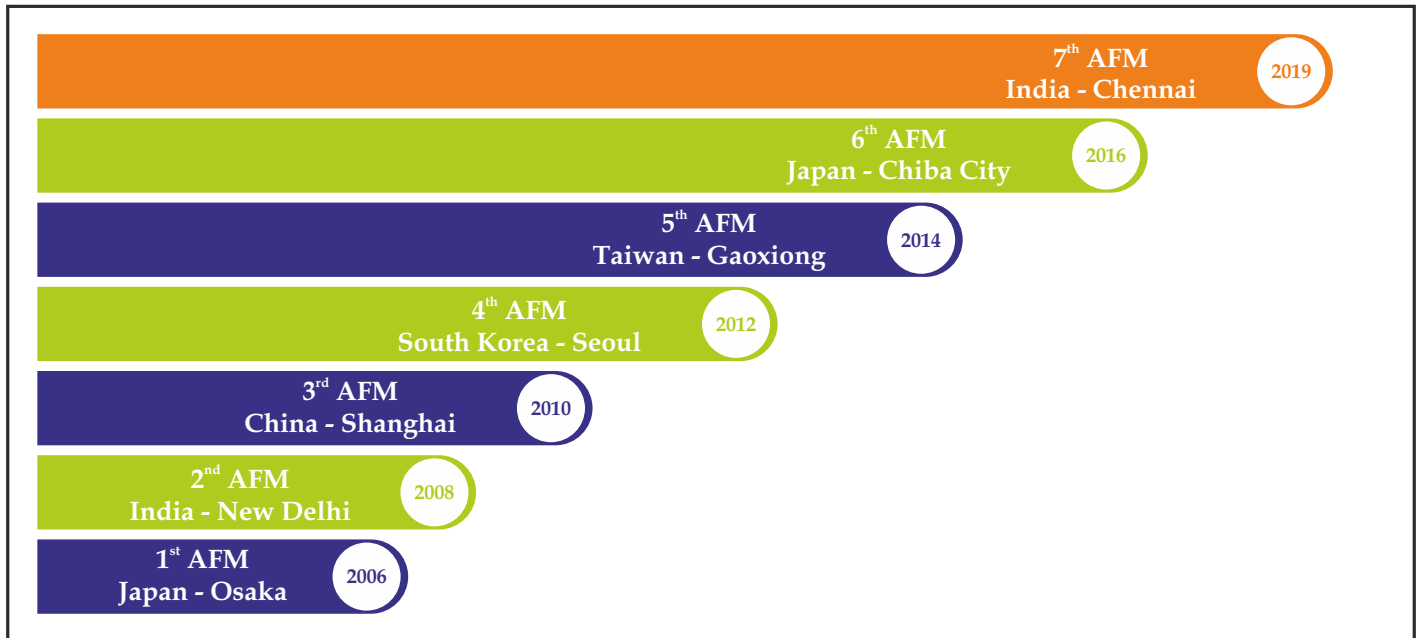


Vikas Bajaj
Co-Convenor

About AFM

ASIAFORGE is an organization established in April 2005 by Japan Forging Association, Confederation of Chinese Metalforming Industry, Taiwan Forging Association, Korea Forging Industry Cooperative and Association of Indian Forging Industry, to deepen their partnership in the forging industry throughout Asia which has become a very important strategic region. ASIAFORGE Meeting is the name of the international conference held in Asia by ASIAFORGE.

AFM Timeline



About AIFI

The Association of Indian Forging Industry, more commonly known as AIFI, is an association of industrial units engaged in manufacturing of forging components in India. It was incorporated on 1st October 1965 as 'Association of Indian Drop Forgings and Stamping Industries', which was later changed to 'Association of Indian Forging Industry' on 29 December 1995. AIFI is administered by the Secretariat which is based in Pune.

Over the years, AIFI has developed strong linkages with its counterpart forging industry associations in USA, Europe, Japan, China, and various other countries. These facilitates the members in establishing new business relationships. Earlier, AIFI has organized ASIAFORGE in the year 2008, International Forging Congress in 1990 and 2011.

To know more, kindly visit our website www.indianforging.org

About Venue

The Four Points by Sheraton Mahabalipuram Resort & Convention Center is conveniently located at the junction of East Coast Road (ECR) and Old Mahabalipuram Road (OMR). The Popular beaches of Bay of Bengal is closely situated from the resort. Chennai International Airport (MAA) and Chennai Central railway station are 58 kilometres north of the resort.

Also known as Mamallapuram, this historic town and seaport is one of South India's most-visited destinations. Dating back to the 7th and 8th centuries, the Group of Monuments at Mahabalipuram is a UNESCO World Heritage Site that exemplifies the region's rich culture. Krishna's Butterball and Shore Temple are also situated nearby.



Key Distances

- Chennai International Airport to Conference Venue: 56.4 kms (approx 1.5 hours)
- Chennai Central (Railway Station) to Conference Venue: 58.7 kms (approx 1.5 hours)
- Pondicherry Airport to Conference Venue: 93.2 kms (approx 2 hours)



Scan for Venue Map

Call for Technical Papers

Important Dates

Last date for submission of abstract: 30 June 2018

Acceptance of abstract: 1 August 2018

Last date for submission of final paper: 30 September 2018

Theme of Presentation: Shaping the future of the forging industry

Topic Suggestions:

- Disruptive technologies to the forging industries (E-mobility, Light-weight manufacturing, automation and so forth)
- Technological upgradations (emission technology, fuel efficiency, etc.)
- Forging and Environment (use of alternate energy, flashless forging technologies, etc.)

***Please note- The above topics are for suggestion purpose only. Papers on other topics would also be considered by the technical committee.)**

Guidelines for Abstracts & Presentation:

- Topic and Abstract: must not exceed 500 words
- Presentation Time: 20 minutes
- Question & Answer: 5 minutes

Guidelines for Final Paper:

- Registration of the presenting author of the selected paper would be complimentary;
- Title and summary should not exceed 300 words;
- The main text must be approximately 4000 words and must not be more than 9 pages;
- Font type: Times New Roman; Font size: 12; Alignment: Justified; Line spacing: 1.5;
- Please mention author's name and affiliation (company name, designation, address, contact number and email ID);
- The technical paper and presentation must be in the official language of the conference- English;

Programme Schedule (tentative)

DAY-1, 18 January 2019 (Friday)	
10:00AM - 05:00PM	Registration
10:00AM - 12:00PM	Sightseeing Tour for all Delegates and Sponsors
07:00PM - 08:30PM	ASIAFORGE Representatives' Meeting
08:30PM - 10:00PM	Welcome Dinner

DAY - 2, 19 January 2019 (Saturday)	
08:00AM - 10:00AM	Registration
09:00AM - 10:30AM	Inaugural Ceremony
11:00AM - 05:00PM	Technical Presentations
08:00PM - 10:00PM	Gala Dinner

DAY - 3, 20 January 2019 (Sunday)	
09:30AM - 04:00PM	Technical Presentations
04:00PM - 04:30PM	Closing Ceremony

DAY - 4 & 5, 21 - 22 January 2019 (Monday & Tuesday)	
Plant Tours	

Sponsorship Opportunities

7th ASIAFORGE Meeting 2019 India gives you an opportunity to be one of the sponsors. You could choose to be a Title, Diamond, Platinum, Gold or Silver Sponsor. For more details, write to us at secretariat@afm2019.com

Registration

Registration Fee Table (per person)

Category	Early Bird Registration (till 31 August 2018)	Registration (till 10 January 2019)	On-site Registration	Deliverables
AIFI Ordinary Member	INR 8000	INR 10000	INR 12000	Registration Fee for Delegates include access to exhibition & technical presentations, delegate kit, lunch (18 - 20 Jan 2019) and dinner (18 & 19 Jan 2019) and sightseeing tour (18 Jan 2019)
AIFI Associate Member	INR 10000	INR 12000	INR 18000	
Accompanying Person (Ordinary and Associate Member)	INR 4000	INR 6000	INR 8000	Registration Fee for Accompanying Persons include access to lunch (18 - 20 Jan 2019) and dinner (18 & 19 Jan 2019) and sightseeing tour (18 - 20 Jan 2019)
AIFI Non-Member	INR 12000	INR 14000	INR 18000	
Accompanying Person (Non-member)	INR 6000	INR 7000	INR 9000	Registration Fee for Students include access to exhibition & technical presentations, delegate kit, lunch (19 - 20 Jan 2019) and dinner (19 Jan 2019).
Foreign Delegate	USD 490	USD 590	USD 790	
Accompanying Person	USD 350	USD 450	USD 550	
Student	INR 2000		INR 4000	

*The rates mentioned above are inclusive of all taxes.

**Corporate Discount of 20% would be applicable for registration of 5 or more delegates per company/organization/institution.

Please Note:

- The registration fee does not include to & fro airfare from Chennai, hotel accommodation and airport transfers.
- Cancellation of registration received by 30 September 2018 for both delegate as well as accompanying persons will be entitled to 50% refund.
- 100% cancellation charges will apply cancellations made after 30 September 2018 and no refund will be made after that. No refund in case of 'No Show'.
- All cancellation should be made in writing and sent to 7th AFM 2019 India Secretariat via email at secretariat@afm2019.com

Plant Tour Details

Plant Tour 1 (Chennai-Puducherry)

Plant 1	Sundram Fasteners Ltd
Plant 2	M M Forgings Ltd
Plant 3	Super Auto Forge Pvt Ltd
Plant 4	Shardlow India Ltd

Plant Tour 2 (Bengaluru)

Plant 1	Bill Forge Pvt Ltd
Plant 2	Ace Designers
Plant 3	Sansera Engineering Pvt Ltd
Plant 4	Fitwel Tools and Forgings Pvt Ltd
Plant 5	Ace Manufacturing Systems

Plant Tour 3 (Pune)

Plant 1	Mahindra CIE Automotive Ltd
Plant 2	Bharat Forge Ltd
Plant 3	Kalyani Technoforge Ltd
Plant 4	Western India Forgings Pvt Ltd
Plant 5	Kalyani Carpenter Special Steels Pvt Ltd

Plant Tour 4 (Ahmedabad-Rajkot)

Plant 1	Inductotherm India Pvt Ltd
Plant 2	Echjay Industries Pvt Ltd
Plant 3	Bhawani Industries Pvt Ltd
Plant 4	Rolex Rings Pvt Ltd
Plant 5	Jyoti CNC Automation Ltd

Plant Tour 5 (National Capital Region)

Plant 1	Shivam Autotech Ltd
Plant 2	Sona BLW Precision Forgings Ltd
Plant 3	Sadhu Forgings Ltd
Plant 4	Microtek Forgings Ltd

Plant Tour 6 (Ludhiana-Mehtiana)

Plant 1	GNA Axles Ltd
Plant 2	Highway Cycle Industries Ltd
Plant 3	Happy Forgings Ltd
Plant 4	R N Gupta & Co. Ltd

*Please Note:

- All plant tours would be open for foreign delegates only.
- 7th AFM India 2019 Secretariat reserves the right to cancel any tour due to unforeseen circumstances.
- The final participation of delegates in a plant tour will be confirmed by the hosting companies.
- A foreign company can not depute any of their Indian representatives in a plant tour.

Conference Secretariat

AIFI

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