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20th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery (WCES 2024) of the
International Federation of Societies of Endoscopic Surgeons (IFSES)
22nd Annual Congress of the Indian Association of
Gastrointestinal Endo Surgeons (IAGES)

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Theme - Continuum of Surgery – Envision the Future

Minimal Access | Laparoscopic | Endoscopic | Robotic

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WELCOME MESSAGE

Dear Industry Partner,

Namaste!

It is a moment of great pride for the Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo Surgeons (IAGES) to be hosting the 20th World Congress of Endoscopic Surgery (WCES) at Kolkata, India. It gives us immense pleasure to welcome you all to this flagship congress of the International Federation of Societies of Endoscopic Surgeons (IFSES). The congress is designed to provide academic activity of the highest order, comprising lectures, symposia and interactive sessions on cutting edge technological skill and training by reputed international and national faculty. The Organizing Committee is working tirelessly to put together a world class educational and scientific program for what will be an academic extravaganza replete with tasteful cuisine to tantalize your taste buds and a complete cultural fest. Kolkata is known for its literary, artistic and revolutionary heritage. As the former capital of India, it is the birthplace of modern Indian literary and artistic thought. Kolkata is called the “City of Joy” as well as the “Cultural Capital of India”. We believe, at this august gathering, shall be ushered into another modern and exhilarating surgical paradigm. In this backdrop, the congress will allow all delegates to reflect upon and celebrate our past accomplishments, renew friendships, extend networks, and jointly explore current and future research directions. It will be both exciting and ground-breaking in its wide ranging and multidisciplinary content where we will reflect upon our visions, innovations and sustainable operating techniques for the future of surgery.

We wish to make WCES-IAGES 2024, Kolkata a truly unforgettable experience for all and we look forward to your active participation.

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(Let noble thoughts come to us from all directions.)



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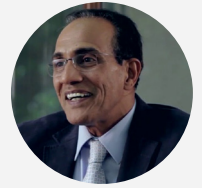
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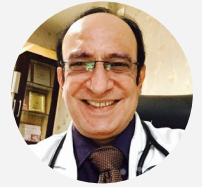
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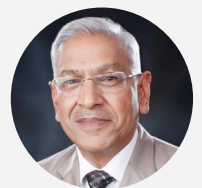
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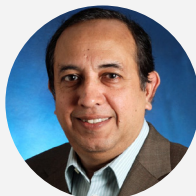
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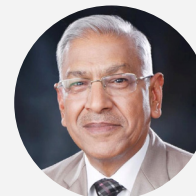
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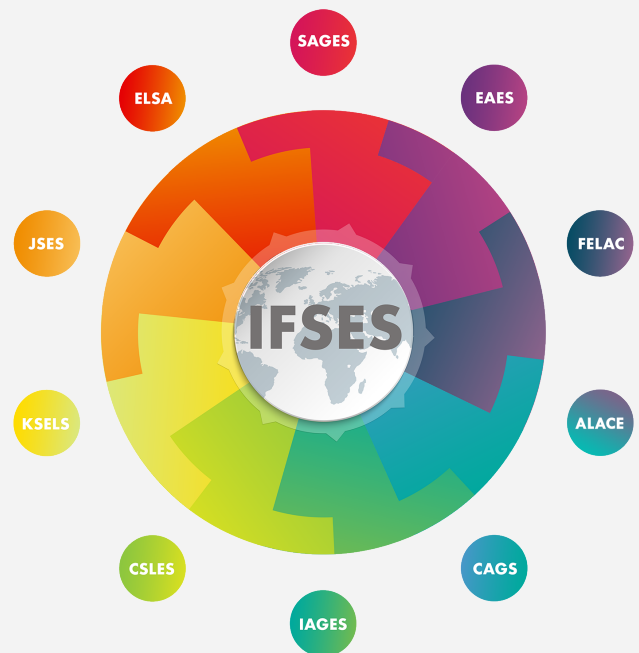
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ABOUT IFSES

International Federation of Societies of Endoscopic Surgeons (IFSES) was born in 1992 with the only mission - the growth, future progress and spread of Minimally Access Surgery, World-Wide. This is not a Federation of Surgeons but of Surgical Societies whose members are Laparoscopic surgeons from all over the world.

The purpose of this Federation is to enhance and promote Endoscopic Surgery and Minimal Access Techniques by: serving as an International forum for the dis-evaluation, and dissemination of information pertaining to Endoscopic Surgery access techniques, IFSES is rich in the quality, capability, activity and culture of each one of its Member Societies and the ethical and professional excellence of its Corporate Members.



ABOUT IAGES

The Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo-Surgeons (IAGES) is an organization of surgeons formed to promote and spread the advancement of Endoscopic Surgery throughout India and beyond. The advancement and improvements in technology has resulted in significant changes in the surgical treatment of patients.

IAGES is a vibrant and prestigious association of more than 10000 life members. IAGES has been a leader in bringing numerous structured training programs in various areas of Minimal Access Surgery. IAGES has conducted 20+ National Congress and every year IAGES holds several fellowship programs that includes FIAGES, EFIAGES, FALS and FAGIE JMAS is the journal of IAGES and is getting more popular every year with a healthy impact factor.



ABOUT HOST CITY

Where West Truly Encountered East!

Kolkata (Calcutta), beside the river Hugli grew into being the capital of India during the British Rule and the second capital city (after London) of the British Empire. Also, this city of palaces is known for its neoclassical mansions, as one gets to see an architectural mix of Palladian, Baroque, Rococo, Gothic, Hindu and Islamic. Kolkata's unique history and modern identity is reflected in its architecture, literature, cinema and music. Kolkata is home of extraordinary Indians such as Nobel Prize in literature - Rabindranath Tagore, Nobel Prize in Economic Science-Amartya Sen, Academy Awardee-Satyajit Ray.

Kolkata is the city of learning, The Visva Bharati (communion of the world with India) University was founded by Rabindranath Tagore in 1921, today is one of India's most renowned places of higher learning with a list of alumni that includes Nobel-winning economist Amartya Sen, globally renowned filmmaker Satyajit Ray and the country's leading art historian, R. Siva Kumar to name just a few.

Today Kolkata is the capital of the Indian state of West Bengal, it is also the modern India's cultural capital, city of artists, city of learning and books with the largest second hand book market in the world, largest book market in India and largest library in India, Second largest planetarium in the world, largest museum in India and largest botanical gardens (World's Largest Banyan tree in area covered which is 1250 years old) a Kolkata surely attracts the learned and historians.

Tourists get an experience of this multi cultured, multi religion, architectural retreat by joining the world famous heritage walks which covers through 8 cultures converging namely Armenian, Jewish, Chinese, Islamic, Jain, Buddhist coupled with the old influence of the Portuguese, the Scottish, the Greek and so on and are all found in a 2 km radius between Bow Barracks and Burra Bazaar area (CBD) of Kolkata. It is time for **west** to meet **east** in this world city.

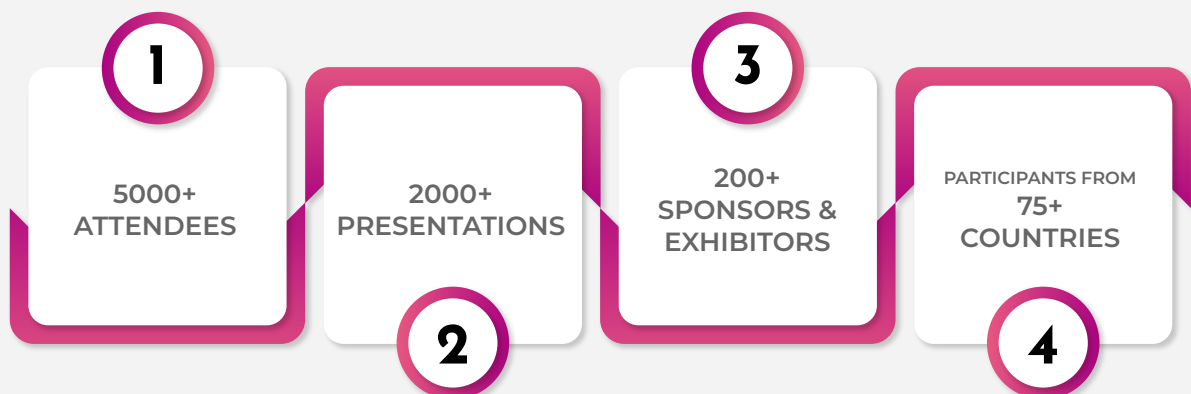
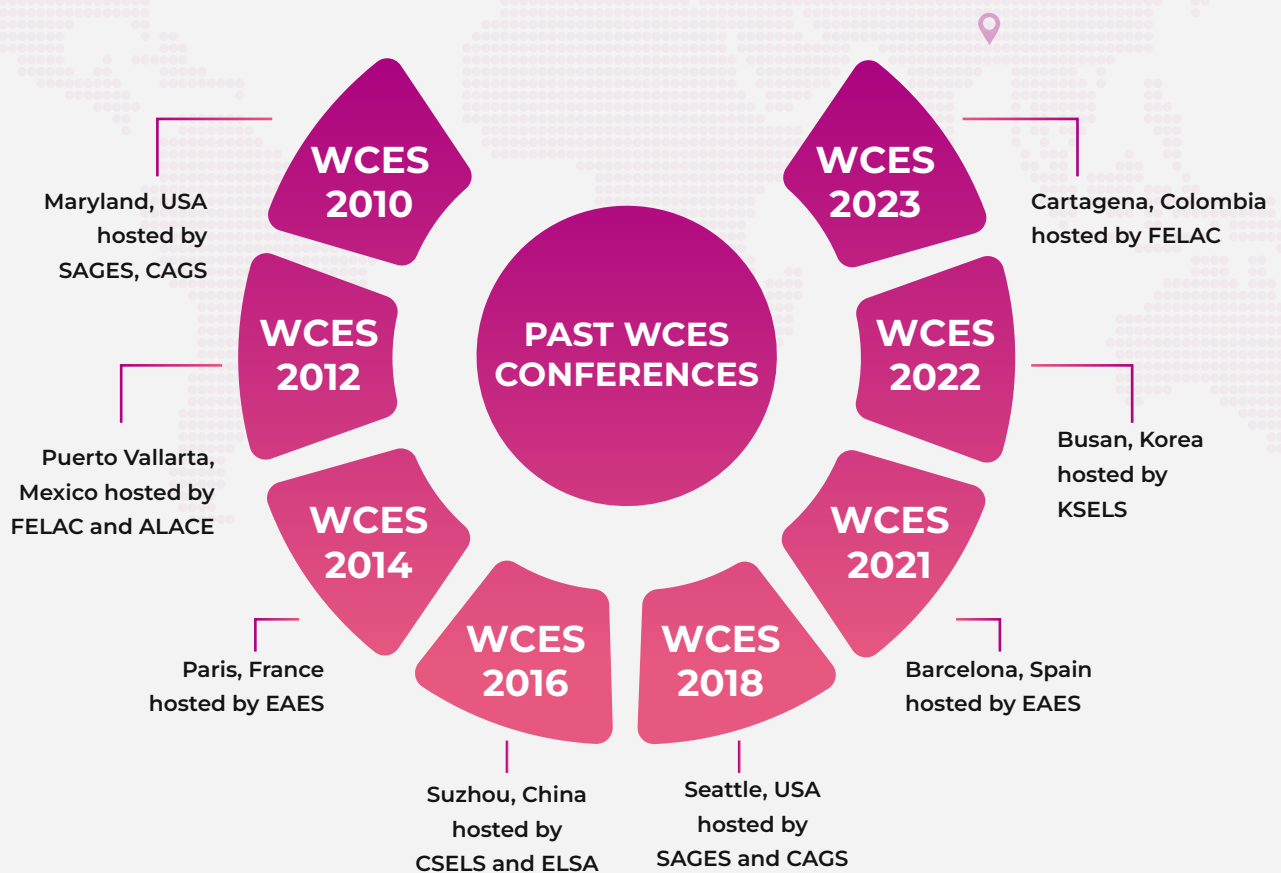
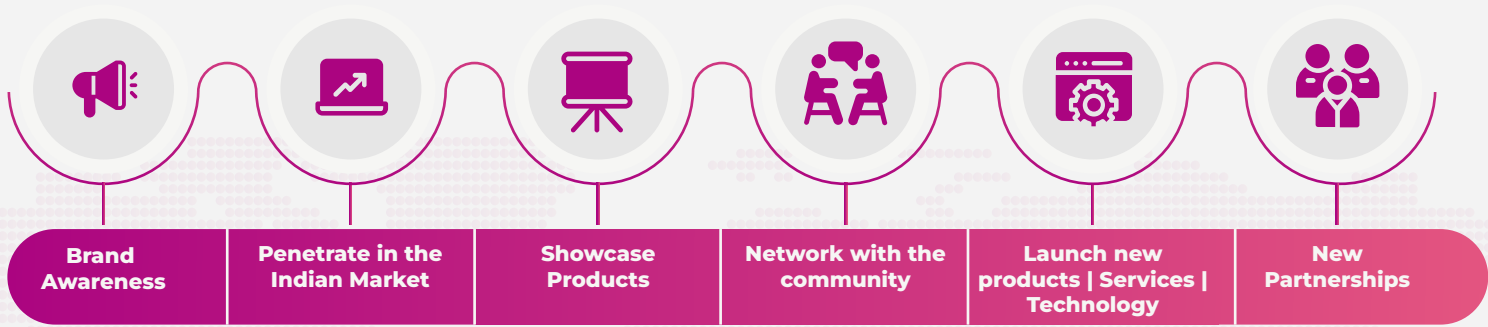


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Biswa bangala is one of the largest convention centre in south Asia, which is erected on a ten-storeyed building with a convention hall, two auditoriums and four banquet cum exhibition hall for more than 5000 seating capacity, 1000 parking spaces, executive lounges, gymnasiums etc. The convention centre is spread over a built up area of 56932 sq meters and the addition of this world class infrastructure has made Kolkata the most desirable and favourite destination for meetings, incentives, conferences and exhibitions (MICE).



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- Robotics Surgery
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- Image guided surgery
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- Instruments & Equipments
- Innovation
- Medical Device Management
- Medical Economics
- Navigation Surgery
- Needlescopic Surgery
- NOTES
- Nutrition
- Operation Room
- Precision Surgery
- Reduced Port Surgery, Single Port Surgery
- Revision Surgery
- Robotic Surgery
- Surgical Techniques
- Tips and Tricks
- Training & Teaching
- Ultrasound
- Virtual Reality, Augmented Reality, Mixed Reality
- 3D printing
- Miscellaneous

PROGRAM OUTLINE

09:00AM-12:00NOON
**PRECONGRESS
MASTER CLASSES & COURSES**

12:00NOON-6:00PM
LIVE SURGERIES

6:30PM - 8:00PM
E.C. MEETING - IAGES

8:00PM ONWARDS
FACULTY DINNER

08:00AM-11:30AM
6 PARALLEL SESSIONS

11:30AM - 01:30PM
ORATIONS

01:30PM-02:30PM
LUNCH

02:30PM-06:00PM
6 PARALLEL SESSIONS

06:00PM-07:30PM
GB MEETING - IAGES

07:30PM ONWARDS
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DAY
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08:00AM-11:30AM
6 PARALLEL SESSIONS

11:30AM - 01:30PM
ORATIONS

01:30PM-02:30PM
LUNCH

02:30PM-06:00PM
6 PARALLEL SESSIONS

06:00PM-07:30PM
INAUGURATION

08:00PM ONWARDS
CULTURAL EVENING / DINNER

08:00AM-01:30PM
6 PARALLEL SESSIONS

01:30PM-02:30PM
LUNCH

02:30PM-04:00PM
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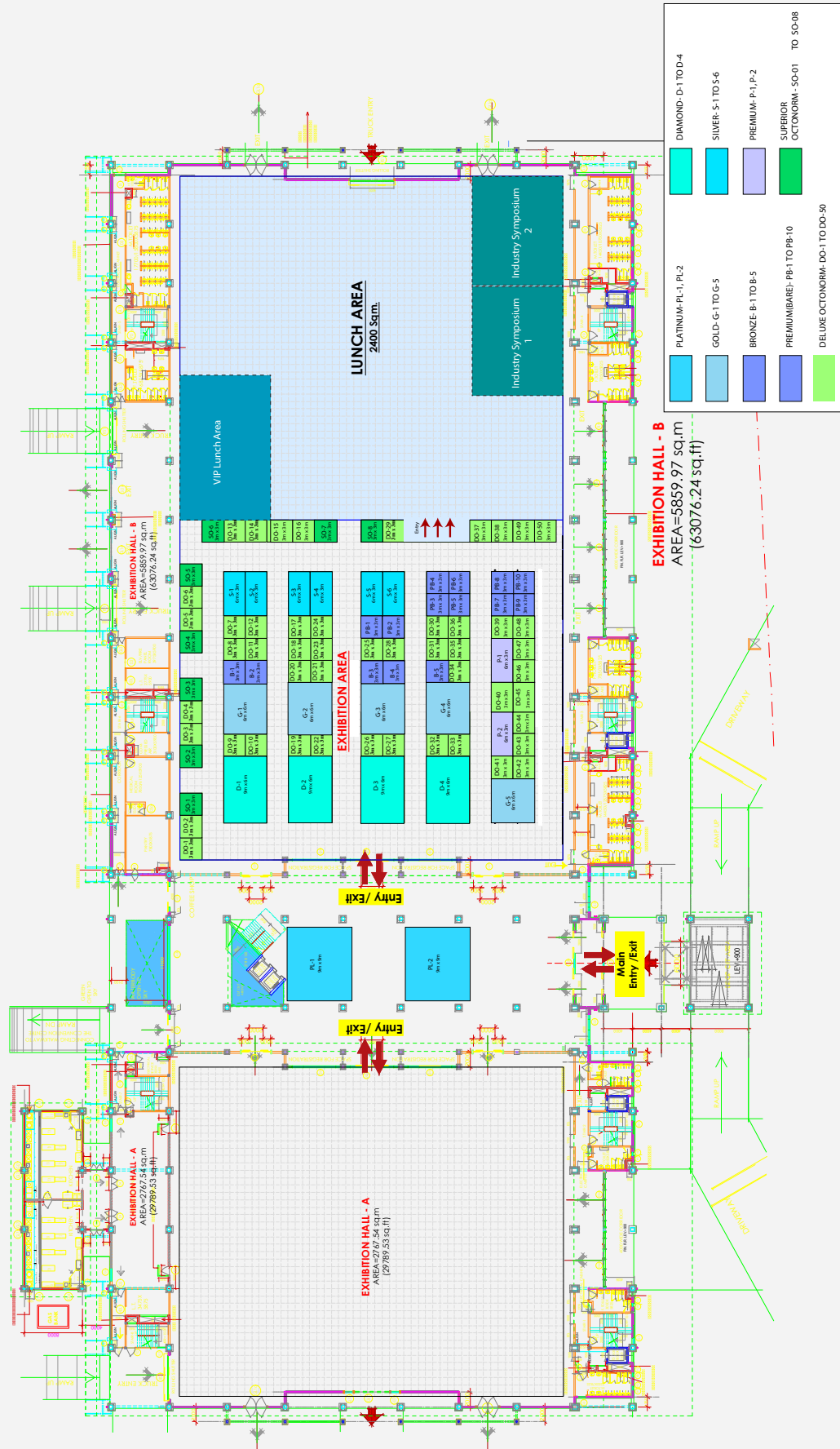
1. 1 Premium Exhibition space of 3 x 3 (9 sqmts).
2. Product branding opportunity at venue.
3. Branding opportunity
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 - b. Logo on Brochures and flyers
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 - d. Video in between sessions in one parallel hall
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Live Surgery Workshop – OT Sponsor (Each)	₹ 20,00,000	\$ 25,000
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Program Booklet	₹ 12,00,000	\$ 15,000
Mobile App	₹ 10,00,000	\$ 12,550
Lunch Symposium (200 Delegates)	₹ 10,00,000	\$ 12,550
Lanyard & Pouches	₹ 10,00,000	\$ 12,550
Delegate Lounge (4 Sponsor)	₹ 7,50,000	\$ 9,375
Breakfast Symposium (50 Delegates)	₹ 5,00,000	\$ 6,250
Conference T – Shirt (350 No)	₹ 5,00,000	\$ 6,250
Airport booth	₹ 5,00,000	\$ 6,250
Souvenir Front Flap Ad (Two Pages)	₹ 3,00,000	\$ 3,750
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Souvenir Last page Ad (Cover)	₹ 2,00,000	\$ 2,500
Website Ad (Logo)	₹ 2,00,000	\$ 2,500
8*12 Back drop and 10*12 Backdrop(15 No)	₹ 1,50,000	\$ 1,875
Technical Partner for Poster Sessions (Each)	₹ 1,00,000	\$ 1,250
2*2 Signage Standees and 6*3 Standees	₹ 1,00,000	\$ 1,250
Daily Conference Newsletter	₹ 1,00,000	\$ 1,250
Souvenir second Page Ad(Cover)	₹ 85,000	\$ 1,106.5
Souvenir Third Page Ad(Cover)	₹ 75,000	\$ 937.5
Souvenir full Page Ad	₹ 50,000	\$ 625
Souvenir Half Page Ad	₹ 30,000	\$ 375

EXHIBITION LAYOUT



*The final layout and allocation of stalls shall be at the discretion of the OC, and last-minute changes may occur as per the requirements of the organizers

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Category	Early 1 st Jan 2023 to 30 th Apr 2024	Regular (1 st May 2024 to 22 nd Oct 2024)	On-site
IAGES Member	₹ 20,000	₹ 25,000	₹ 30,000
IAGES Non Member	₹ 25,000	₹ 31,250	₹ 37,500
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Accompanying person (India)	₹ 7,000	₹ 8,750	₹ 10,500
Others (Technician/nurses)	₹ 6,000	₹ 7,500	₹ 9,000
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IFSES Non Member (International)	\$575	\$650	\$700
P G Student (International)	\$250	\$313	\$375
Accompanying Person (International)	\$150	\$188	\$225

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NEFT & RTGS details of WCES 2024 Kolkata

 Account Name: **WCES2024**

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