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#### Theme of the conference :

We are inviting for full paper article submission related to but not limited to the topics listed below. The paper will go through a rigorous review process by the submission committee and the authors will be notified.

- Sustainability & Recycling
- Instrumentation and Control
- Kinetics and Catalysis
- Industry 4.0
- Thermochemistry
- Engineering Mathematics
- Environmental Sciences and Education

#### Thermal and Fluid Sciences:

- Green Manufacturing
- Aerodynamics
- Renewable energy
- Energy & Thermofluids
- Fluid Dynamics
- Fuels & Combustion
- Heat and Mass Transfer
- Building Energy Efficiency
- Internal Combustion Engines
- Computational Fluid Dynamics
- Refrigeration and air-conditioning
- Carbon-dioxide Capture and Sequestration

#### Manufacturing and Material Infrastructure:

- Green Manufacturing
- Manufacturing Techniques
- Rapid Prototyping
- Polymers and composites
- Material processing and characterization

#### Infrastructure Planning and Design:

- Applied Mechanics
- Bio-mechanics
- Finite element analysis
- Industrial Tribology
- Machine Design
- Fracture Mechanics
- Dynamics and Vibration
- Computeraided engineering design
- Industrial Engineering and optimization

#### Important Dates:

- **Full Paper Submission Deadline** : 30/10/2024
- **Notification of Acceptance** : 30/11/2024
- **Registration Opens** : 30/11/2024
- **Registration Deadline** : 15/12/2024
- **Conference Dates** : 10/01/2025 to 12/01/2025

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#### Publication:

- Papers presented at this conference are to be published as a proceedings book volume in Springer (SCOPUS).
- Authors of selected papers from ICRAM 2025 will be invited to submit an extended and improved version to the special/regular issues of SCI journals.
- Heat Transfer Engineering, Taylor & Francis (SCIE IF:1.9)
- International Journal on Interactive Design and Manufacturing (IJDeM) (SCIE IF: 2.1) (SCIE IF:1.6)
- Journal of Mechanical Science and Technology (SCIE IF:1.6) (Processing charges applicable)

**"Publishers will conduct quality checks on the accepted papers and only papers that pass these checks will be published".**

#### Attractions:

- Special session on Advance Defense Technology
- Sightseeing (To be confirmed): International Kite Festival 2025: Since 1989, the city of Ahmedabad has hosted the International Kite Festival as part of the official celebration of Uttarayan, bringing master kite makers and flyers from all over the world to demonstrate their unique creations. **For more details** :<http://ikf.gujarattourism.com/about.html>

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Institute of Infrastructure Technology Research and Management (IITRAM) is an autonomous state university located in Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India. Established in 2013, IITRAM aims to provide high-quality education and research in the field of infrastructure engineering and management. IITRAM offers undergraduate, postgraduate, and doctoral programs in various disciplines of engineering, such as civil, mechanical, electrical, and computer science. IITRAM also collaborates with industry and academia to foster innovation and skill development in the infrastructure sector. IITRAM has established five Centers of Excellence (CoEs) funded by the Government of Gujarat, namely: Siemens CoE, Advanced Defense Technologies CoE, Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning CoE, Drone Technology CoE, and Aerospace and Defense CoE. These CoEs provide state-of-the-art facilities and training in various domains of engineering, such as product lifecycle management, automation, mechatronics, additive manufacturing, radar systems, missile technology, UAVs, computer vision, natural language processing, data analytics, aerodynamics, propulsion, structures, materials, etc. IITRAM is ranked at #201 in India and #2 in Ahmedabad for B. Tech by NIRF ranking 2020.

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About Conference:

ICRAM-2025 is the 5th International Conference on Recent Advances in Mechanical Infrastructure, which will be held in Ahmedabad, India one of the fastest-growing and most dynamic cities in India. The conference provides a forum for discussion on issues, concepts, skill development and innovations in the mechanical infrastructure sector, which is vital for the sustainable and inclusive growth of the country. The conference aims at

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