

VISION

To be the network of Hindu mandirs, temples, ashrams, gurudawras, derasars and organizations to preserve, protect and promote dharma. Help mandirs build effective and sustained leadership through generations by sharing best practices

PURPOSE

HMEC seeks to represent the American Hindu community rooted in its traditions for the benefit of the entire community

To collectively counter attacks on mandirs.

To share, learn and crystallize the vision of our sages for sustaining Sanatana Dharma with leaders like you

To address the needs and challenges of the future generation of Hindus and to guide our children, the future leaders of the American society

To capitalize on intense motivation, deep experience, and selfless service by you the natural leaders of Hindu society for the benefit of all Hindus.



HMEC is an initiative of World Hindu Council of America (VHPA ॥ धर्मो रक्षति रक्षितः Dharmo Rakshati Rakshitah II

Hindu Mandir Empowerment Council (HMEC)

HMEC is the largest annual conference for past and present executives, community leaders and scholars of Mandirs, Gurudwaras, Ashrams, Derasars and Hindu organizations in North America and the Caribbean. HMEC seeks to bring these institutions together for networking, collaboration and sharing of best practices.

SOME OF THE RECENT HMEC ACTIVITIES:

- · Publication of books on Hindu rituals and practices
- Alerts and webinars on temple safety and security
- · Educational webinars in partnership with the Hindu University of America Helping temples when faced with Hinduphobic attacks
- Building positive narratives on Hindu symbols like Swastika





17TH HINDU MANDIR EMPOWERMENT COUNCIL CONFERENCE & 11 TH. **HINDU MANDIR PRIESTS' CONFERENCE**

- 25+ Host/Co-Host Temples
- 175+ temples in attendance
- 250+ temple executives
- 80+ Speakers
- 45+ topics on temples and institutions, including:

• Temple as Hindu Community Center - Youth

- Temple as Hindu Community Center -Families
- Temples and Contemporary Issues
- Focus on Priests

YOU CAN PARTICIPATE IN HMEC AS:

- A speaker
- A Panelist
- Author of article for Mandir Vani
- A conference sponsor
- An organizer to help shape the
- conference

Conference Registration :-

https://hmec.info/hmec2024/

- https://hmec.info



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HMEC & HMPC 2024 SEPT 27TH TO 29TH 2024

Conference Registration

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION EXPIRES ON JULY 31ST 2024

Adult Registration: \$200.00

Student / Youth registration: \$100 (Age 22 and under)

Temple/Institution Sponsorship

Diamond: \$2501, 4 delegates + 1 youth + Special On-Stage Recognition, full page ad in HMEC souvenir

Platinum: \$2001, 3 delegates + 1 youth + Special On-Stage Recognition, full page ad in HMEC souvenir

Gold: \$1501, 2 delegates + 1 youth delegate; full page ad in HMEC souvenir

Silver: \$1001, 1 delegate + 1 youth delegate; 1/2 page ad in HMEC souvenir

MANDIR VANI - HMEC SOUVENIR ADVERTISEMENT

Back Cover - \$2,500 **Inside Front or Back Cover -**\$1,500 **Full Page - \$700** Half Page - \$500 Quater Page - \$250

Conference Grand Host & Venue: Hindu Society of North Carolina (HSNC) 309 Aviation Pkwy, Morrisville, NC 27560

Conference Hotels :

Quality Inn & Suites at RDU Airport, 1001 Aerial Center Pkway, Morrisville, NC 27560

Hotel Group Rate :

US \$75/plus tax per night for single or double occupancy.

Special Reg. Code: "HMEC"

Hotel Registration Link :

https://www.choicehotels.com/ reservations/groups/QZ75H8



For room reservation, see conference registration page.





HMEC & HMPC 2024 RALEIGH, NC

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