



Khajuraho International Film Festival 2025

11th Edition | 16th–22nd December 2025 |
Khajuraho, Madhya Pradesh

"Celebrating Cinema, Culture & Heritage"

KIFF 2024 (LAST YEAR – 10TH EDITION)

KHAJURAHO INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

5th To 11th December



The Venue – Khajuraho International Film Festival 2025

Shilpgram, Khajuraho, Madhya Pradesh.



KIFF 2024 – INAUGURATION BY HON' GOVERNOR OF MP



Venue : Shilpgram, Khajuraho, Madhya Pradesh



CULTURAL SPACE AT KIFF @ 2024



ABOUT KIFF INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (KIFF)

Conceptualised in **2015**, jointly by the Government of Madhya Pradesh and Shri Raja Bundela, Chairman, Prayaas Productions Pvt Ltd, Mumbai for better coordination between State Government and Bollywood.

Khajuraho selected as Venue being an **UNESCO World Heritage Site**.

Tourists visiting Khajuraho from Europe **86% .**

Objective was set to promote “Film-Induced Tourism” for sustainable development of the region on social and economic front.



About Mr. Raja Bundela – Founder & Visionary of KIFF

Shri. Raja Bundela, renowned Indian actor, producer, politician, and civil activist, is the founding Chairperson and Festival Director of the Khajuraho International Film Festival (KIFF)

Recently nominated as the Chairman of the Jury,
Feature Films , Indian Panorama, for the 56th
International Film Festival of India (IFFI) Goa, 2025

Why This Matters for KIFF

Mr. Bundela's unique blend of **creative mastery, cultural advocacy, and regional vision** positions KIFF as not just a festival but a transformative movement—bridging **heritage, young talent, and world-class storytelling**.

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About KIFF



Shri. Raja Bundela
Founder & Chairperson



Mr. Jeffrey D. Brown
Patron



Mrs. Susmita Mukherjee
Co-Chairperson

Our journey is guided by the visionary patronage of Oscar Winner **Jeffry D. Brown** and the passionate leadership of promoters **Raja Bundela & Sushmita Mukherjee**.

Vision

“To position the Khajuraho International Film Festival as a global platform where heritage meets world cinema—celebrating creativity, fostering cultural exchange, and empowering new voices in film.”

Mission

“To unite cultures and communities through the power of cinema by showcasing diverse films, nurturing young talent, and promoting Khajuraho as a global hub of culture and storytelling.”

Padamshree Awardees in our Governing Council

Shri Ramesh Sippy – Padma Shri in 2013 for his contributions to Indian cinema.

Dr. Chandra Prakash Dwivedi – Padma Shri in 2022 for his work in Indian television and film.

Shri Govind Nihalani – Padma Shri in 2002 for his contributions to Indian cinema.

Shri Subhash Ghai – Padma Shri in 2019 for his contributions to the arts.

The Governing Council



Mr. Ramesh Sippy
Producer



Mr. Bonney Kapoor
Producer



Ms. Marianne Borgo
French Actress



Mr. Manmohan Shetty
CMD - AD LABS



Mr. Nitin Nanda
Lawyer - USA



Dr. Chandraprakash Dwivedi
Director



Mr. Govind Nihalani
Director - Writer



Mr. Lalit Khaitan
Industrialist



Mr. Prahlad Kakkar
Ad. Director



Mr. Sanjay Shrivastava
Lawyer - USA



Why Khajuraho?

UNESCO World Heritage Site

The magnificent Khajuraho temple complex dates back to 950–1050 AD, representing one of India's most significant architectural treasures and cultural landmarks.

Historic Precedent

KIFF has the distinction of being hosted at the oldest heritage site globally to welcome an international film festival, creating a truly unique cinematic experience.

Perfect Timing

December marks the peak foreign tourist presence, with over 80% of foreign arrivals visiting during this period, maximizing international exposure and participation.

Economic Impact

Film-induced tourism is rapidly transforming the local economy while elevating global recognition of this cultural treasure.

GROWTH TRAJECTORY:

Khajuraho International Film Festival : *Started in 2015, now an internationally recognized platform*

- **Key objectives:**

- **Promote cultural exchange**
- **Encourage regional cinema**
- **Boost tourism through art and film**
- **Provide opportunities for artisans and local entrepreneurs**

Key Highlights of Previous Edition : KIFF 2024

Number of films screened :170

Countries participated : 12

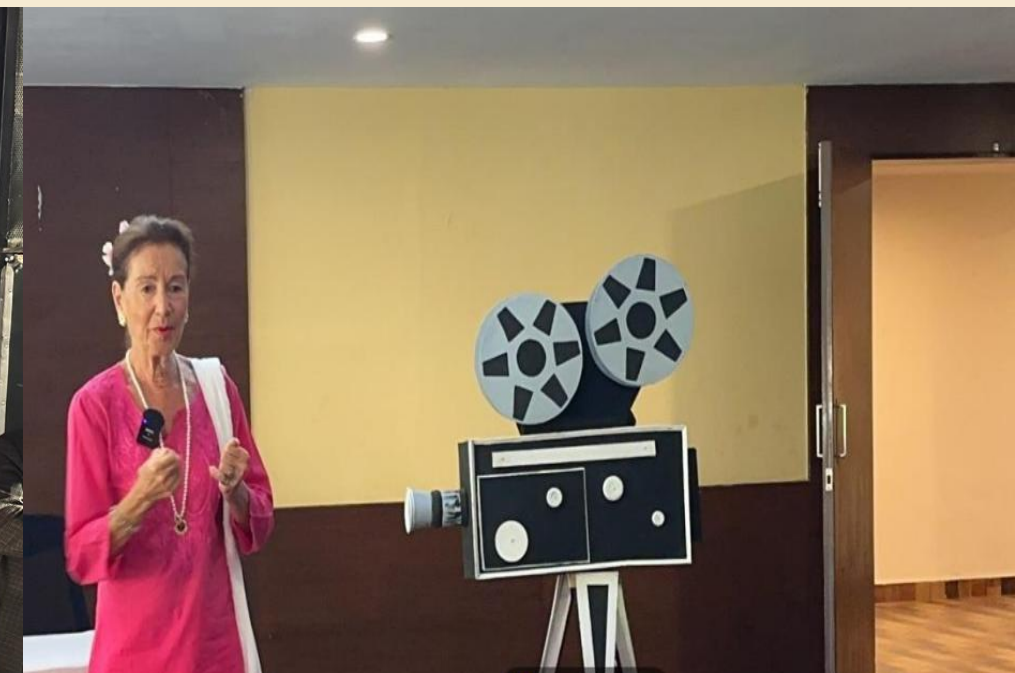
Talk Shows / Podcast : 10

Workshops: 06

Artisan Bazaar : 01

Food Court : 01

Photo Exhibition: 01



Vision & Mission

- **Thematic focus : *"Cinema and Sustainability"*,**
- ***"Global peace through Cultural exchange"***
- **Emphasis on Indian traditions, heritage, crafts, tourism, and youth engagement.**
- **Inviting the attention of International Film Producers for unexplored locations and to hire Indian talent in film production globally.**
- **To strengthen - Cultural diplomacy, domestic tourism, global outreach of Indian Art, Culture and Cinema**

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Art and cultural exchange for
world peace



KIFF 2025



Promoting Cultural Exchange Through Films



Global Dialogue

Facilitating meaningful conversations on pressing social, cultural, and global issues through the universal language of cinema.



Artistic Collaborations

Fostering cross-cultural creative partnerships that transcend borders and traditional boundaries.



Economic Opportunities

Creating pathways for international co-productions and substantial economic development through cultural exchange.



Cultural Diplomacy

Positioning cinema as a powerful tool for international understanding and cooperation.



The Magic of Khajuraho

Beyond the silver screen, KIFF offers sponsors and attendees an immersive experience in one of India's most spectacular cultural landscapes. The Khajuraho temple complex represents the pinnacle of medieval Indian architectural achievement.

These magnificent temples, adorned with intricate sculptures and carvings, create an atmosphere where art transcends time—making it the perfect backdrop for a celebration of contemporary cinema.

December in Khajuraho offers pleasant weather conditions ideal for outdoor screenings and events, with comfortable daytime temperatures and cool evenings perfect for al fresco gatherings.



"The setting of ancient temples illuminated under starry skies while contemporary films play creates a magical dialogue between past and present artistic expressions."

— International Film Critics Association



Film Tourism: The KIFF Effect



Film Festival

KIFF brings international attention to Khajuraho's cultural heritage through the universal language of cinema.



Location Spotlight

Filmmakers discover Khajuraho as a potential shooting location, featuring it in future productions.



Audience Discovery

Global audiences see Khajuraho on screen, sparking interest in visiting the destination firsthand.



Tourism Growth

Visitor numbers increase, creating economic opportunities and supporting cultural preservation.

This virtuous cycle demonstrates how cultural events like KIFF can drive sustainable tourism development while preserving heritage. Sponsors become integral to this positive transformation, associating their brands with both cultural celebration and economic development.





Empowering Youth – Students, Volunteers & Workshop Pods

Student Engagement

- Special access for film and media students from across India.
- Discounted delegate passes and student film screenings.
- Opportunity to network with global filmmakers and industry leaders.

Volunteers at KIFF

- 100+ young volunteers supporting logistics, guest relations, media, and programming.
- Training sessions in event management, cultural diplomacy, and hospitality.
- Certificates of participation endorsed by KIFF – valuable for resumes and careers.

Workshop Pods

- Hands-on sessions on **filmmaking, acting, scriptwriting, cinematography, editing, and OTT content creation.**
- Mentorship from Bollywood actors, directors, and international experts.
- Interactive pods for students to present their short films, ideas, and pitches.

✨ **Impact:** This initiative creates a **learning hub within KIFF**, nurturing the next generation of filmmakers while giving sponsors visibility among India's most dynamic youth audience.



Stakeholders & Partners

**Government partners: Ministry of Information and Broadcasting,
Ministry of Culture & Tourism, Government of India.**

**Ministry of Culture, Tourism, Urban Development- Government of
Madhya Pradesh.**

Institutional collaborators: National Film Development Corporation.



Distinguished Presence & Collaborators

The Khajuraho International Film Festival (KIFF) is honored to be supported and recognized by India's most respected institutions and dignitaries:



Opening Ceremony:

To be graced by the Honorable
Chief Minister of Madhya Pradesh,
Dr. Shri Mohan Yadav.

Closing Ceremony: Presided over by
the **Governor of the State in India.**



Ministry of Tourism & Culture –
Central Govt. of India, Strengthening KIFF's mission to blend heritage with contemporary cinema while showcasing India's rich cultural identity to the world."



National Film Development Corporation of India (NFDC) –
Championing the growth of Indian cinema and global collaborations.



Ministry of State Tourism & Culture - Madhya Pradesh Showcasing Khajuraho as a world-class destination where heritage meets creativity.



Ministry of Urban Development and Housing at the Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, enabling infrastructure, civic support, and the transformation of Khajuraho into a global cultural hub.

These distinguished associations and presences reinforce KIFF's stature as a prestigious platform for cinema, culture, and community on a global stage.



Global Participation – National & International Luminaries at KIFF 2025

Countries Participating:



United Kingdom



Australia



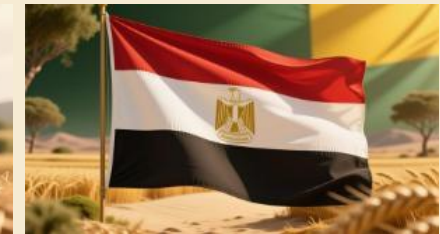
France



European Union



Portugal



Egypt



Sri Lanka



Fiji



Iran



Israel



Nepal



Indonesia



Vietnam



Slovakia






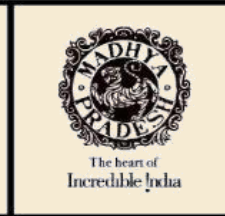



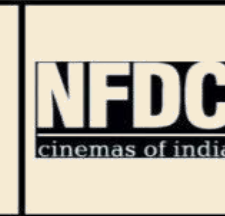




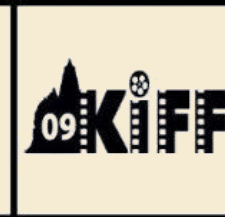








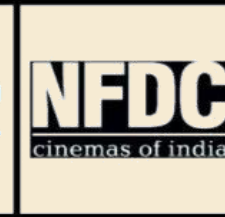








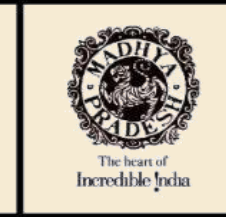













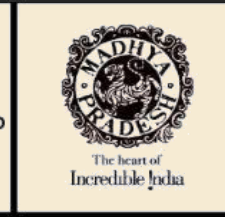






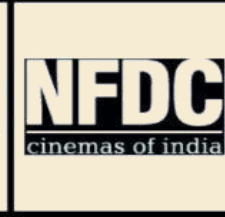












Ghana



Kyrgyzstan

And many more.....

Our Esteemed Collaborators

Impact Statistic (Previous Year 2024)

.Visitor statistics>

Domestic **8000 per day** & foreign tourists around **56 per day**.

Economic impact >

Local hotel occupancy Up by **28%**

Artisan sales : Up by **40%**

First time Seller of Artifacts : **35%**

Cultural impact:

Films promoted > **28**, Regional artists benefited > **22**

Media reach:

TV > News covered by all electronic media

Print Media Coverage > Danik Bhaskar, Jaagran, HT, Times of India

Digital impressions> More than **25,00,000**

Planned Activities for 2025 Edition

- Film screenings 300 Films ; 20 Countries
- Categories : Feature/Short Film/Documentary /Films by women/Students' Films
- Workshops / Masterclasses / Panel discussions with Film Industry's renowned actors/producer/Directors/Writers
- Cultural evenings will include panorama of folk dances, local and Bollywood performances and special guest performances
- Artisan stalls & craft exhibitions : 50 stalls and a Food Court
- Tourism promotion initiatives : Heritage Walk and creating awareness of requested Government policies and initiatives locally.

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Activities During Film Festival

Screening of Films
Bollywood Performances

Cultural Events

Theatre Workshops & Master Classes

Bharat Gaurav Sammaan (Award)

Film Awards

Fashion Show

Exhibition

Food Zone

Media Center

Entertainment Zone

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Global Participation

Participation:

300 + Films

20 + Countries

Indian (& Regional) and Foreign Films

Shilp Bazaar @ KIFF





What Makes KIFF Unique

KIFF stands apart through its extraordinary blend of world-class cinema against the backdrop of ancient architectural marvels. Each year, we showcase:

300+

Films Screened

Carefully curated selections representing diverse voices and perspectives from across the globe.

20+

Countries Represented


True international participation spanning continents and cultural traditions.

7

Days of Celebration

A week-long immersion in the world's most compelling cinema and cultural exchange.

Festival Activities

-  Bollywood Performances & Cultural Shows
-  Theatre Workshops & Masterclasses
-  Fashion Show & Exhibitions
-  Bharat Gaurav Sammaan Awards
-  Networking zones for artists, brands & investors





Expected Celebrities



Anupam Kher



Vidya Balan



Manushi Chhillar



Sunny Deol



Nana Patekar



Dr. Chandraparakash Dwivedi



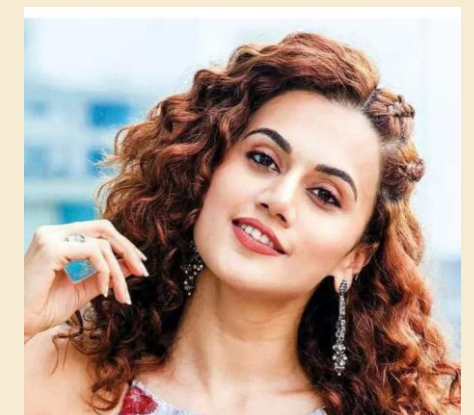
Anant Mahadevan



Nawazuddin Siddiqui



Ashutosh Gowariker



Taapsee Pannu

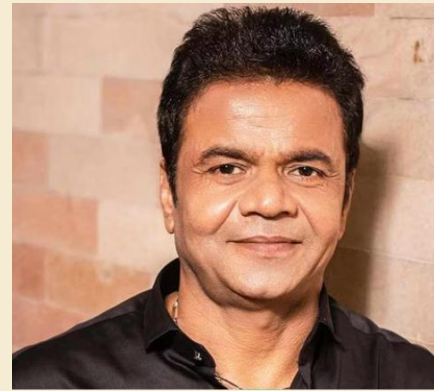
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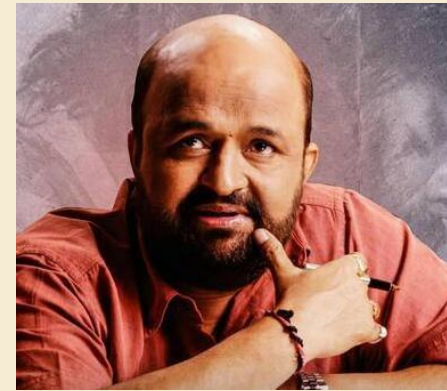
Vivek Agnihotri



Pallavi Joshi



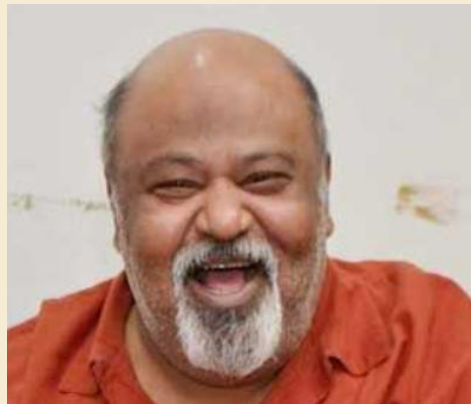
Rajpal Yadav



Sameer Anjaan



Ganesh Acharya



Saurabh Shukla



Raaj Shaandilyaa



Virendra Sehwal



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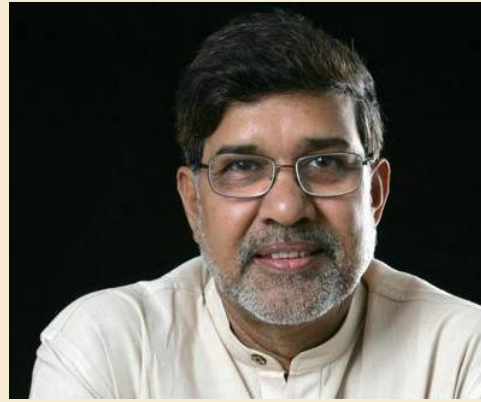
Virendra Saxena



Expected Celebrities



Pankaj Berry



Kailash Satyarthi
Nobel Prize Winner



Shubhangi Atre



Audience & Media Reach

Festival Attendance

70,000+

Total Visitors

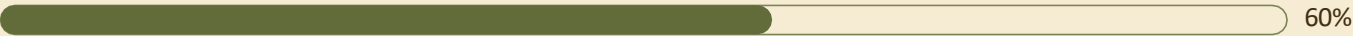
Across the festival's 7-day duration

10,000

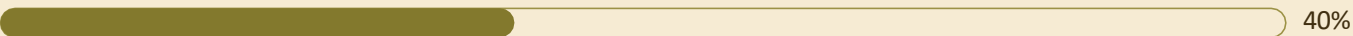
Daily Average

Consistent high attendance throughout

Demographics



Male Attendees

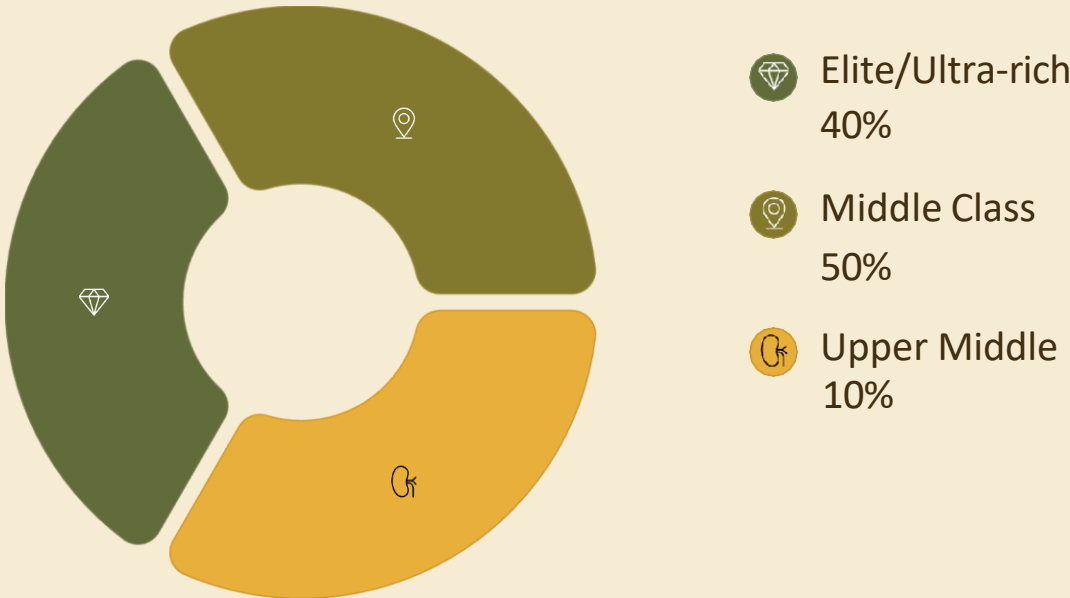


Female Attendees

Primary age range: 22–40 years

Attendee profile: Students, filmmakers, industry professionals, enthusiasts

Economic Segments



Media Strategy :

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- Real-time content and live streams
- Interactive contests and social media campaigns
- Trending hashtag momentum (#KIFF2025)

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Media Promotion Digital

1. Meta (Facebook & Instagram Ads)

Largest social media ad platform in India

Supports detailed audience targeting

Includes Facebook, Instagram, Messenger, and Audience Network

2. YouTube Ads (Google Ads Network)

Video-based advertising through Google Ads

Targeting based on interests, demographics, and behavior

Skippable, non-skippable, bumper ads, and in-stream ads

3. LinkedIn Ads

Ideal for B2B marketing

Includes Sponsored Content, Message Ads, Dynamic Ads, and Text Ads

4. Twitter Ads (X Ads)

Promoted tweets, accounts, and trends

Good for brand awareness and trending campaigns

5. Snapchat Ads

Popular among younger audiences

Story ads, collection ads, and AR lenses

Audience Demographics

- Detailed statistics on attendees: age, gender, interests, and previous attendance numbers.

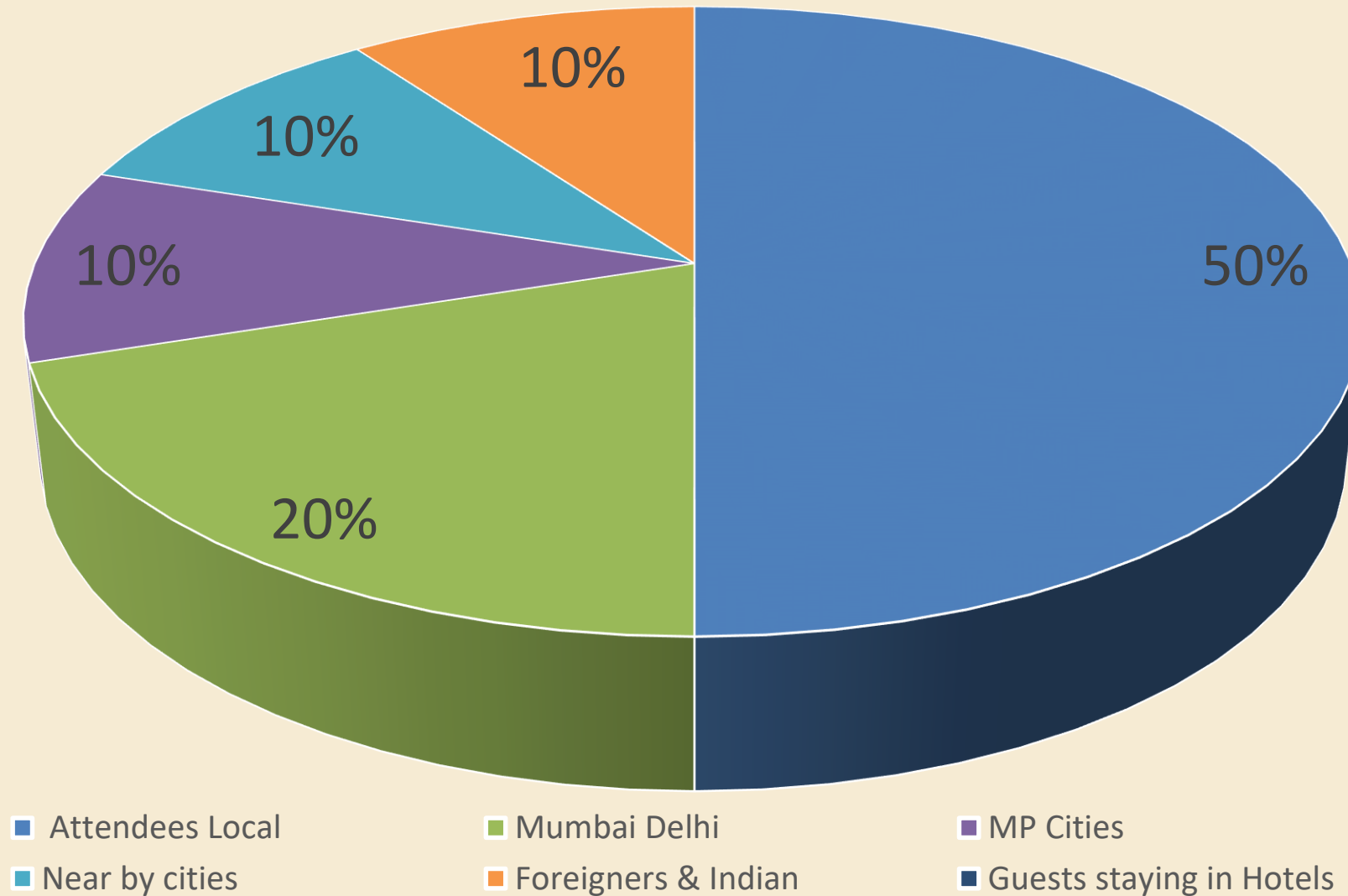
Attendees	Gender	Age Percentage	Indian/Foreigners
Film Enthusiasts, Films, Dance, Music Audience	Male	40 %	Indian
Film Enthusiasts, Films, Dance, Music Children Audience	Female Male and Female	40 % 20 %	Indian Indian

- Community and Industry Engagement
- Influencers > Of Travelogs and Cinema logs from Mumbai, Delhi and Indore.
- Media > Presence of all leading channels because of visit of Chief Minister and Dignitaries.

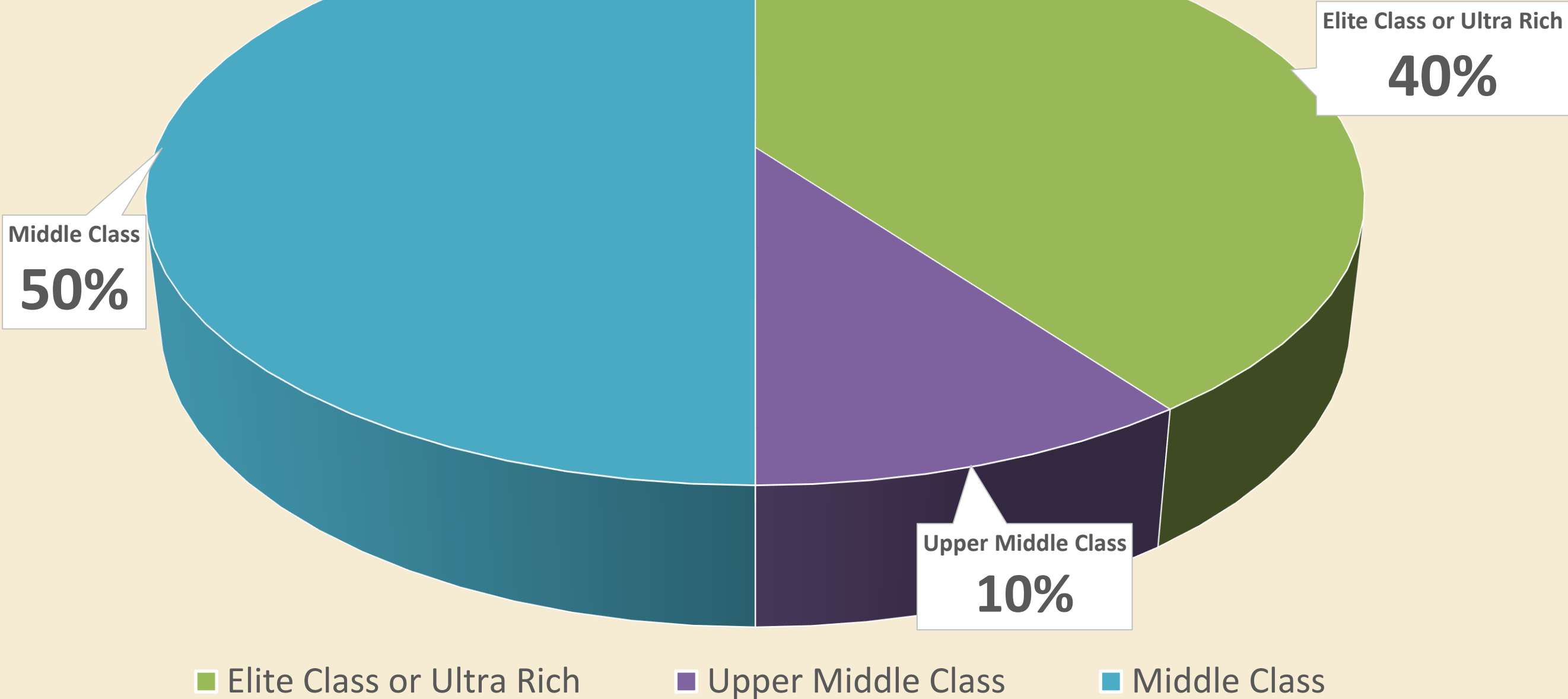
Audience Demographics

Attendees	Gender	Age	Indian/Foreigners
Film and Theatre Institutes Students	Male 60% Female 40%	25-35 years	Indians
Media and Journalism School Students	Male 60% Female 40%	22-26 years	Indians
Film Documentary Makers/ Producers	Male 100% Female 0%	25-55 years	Indian and Foreigners
Community workers	Male 40% Female 60%	25-55 years	Indians
Volunteers	Male 50% Female 50%	22-65 years	Indians

Breakup of Attendees



Economical Status of Attendees





Audience & Media Reach

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70,000+

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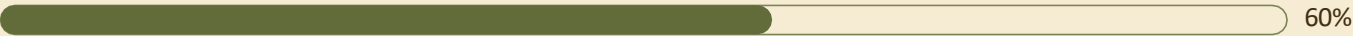
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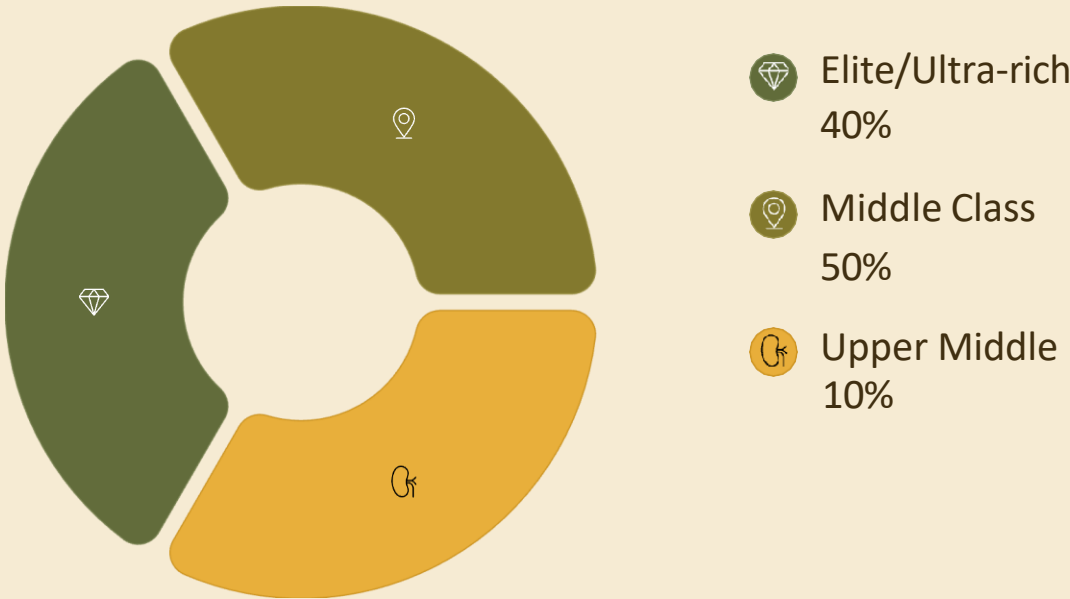


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Media & Publicity Plan

National & international outreach strategy

Digital campaigns, collaborations with influencers

Press coverage tie-ups

Film and cultural tourism and other films and documentaries

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Media Promotion

Cinema

Magazine

Influencer

Newspaper

Radio

Television

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Media Plan Brief

- Multi-channel promotion:
Digital + Traditional media for maximum reach.
- Strong social media presence:
Consistent updates, influencer partnerships.
- High engagement with press & filmmakers:
- Pre and post-event buzz.
- Real-time content & audience interaction:
Livestreams, hashtags, contests.



Global Media Coverage

Sponsors receive prominent placement in all media activities, maximizing exposure across diverse platforms and audiences.

Previous KIFF Editions Featured In:

Cinema Partners

India Today
Elle
Vogue
Femina
Cosmopolitan
Travel + Leisure

Radio Partners

Red FM 93.5
Radio Mirchi
Big FM 93.7
Radio City 91.1 FM
94.3 My FM

Television Partners

Aajtak
Starplus
Colors
Sony Max

Digital Promotions

Facebook
Instagram
Snapchat
Youtube
Twitter
Linkedin

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*Media Promotion
Cinema*



Jazz screens

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Media Promotion

Magazines

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Influencers



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News Papers*



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Radio*



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Television*





Testimonials & Past Highlights



"The Khajuraho International Film Festival represents a perfect marriage of India's cultural heritage and contemporary artistic expression. It's unlike any festival experience in the world."

— **Anupam Kher**, Celebrated Actor & Former FTII Chairman



"KIFF creates magical moments where ancient art forms meet modern storytelling. The temples provide an atmosphere that transforms how we experience cinema."

— **Jackie Shroff**, Veteran Bollywood Actor



"Khajuraho International Film Festival is not just about cinema—it is about bringing people, stories, and culture together. I feel proud to see how this festival has grown into a true celebration of Indian creativity on a global stage."

— **Govinda**, Celebrated Actor



"Khajuraho is a land of stories carved in stone, and KIFF brings those stories alive through cinema. That's why I called it '*Tiger, Temples, and Tapra Talkies*'—because it truly captures the raw energy, heritage, and inclusivity of India. This festival is more than an event; it's a movement of art and culture."

— **Shekhar Kapoor**, Director



Testimonials & Past Highlights



"Cinema is a reflection of our society, and festivals like KIFF ensure that both mainstream and meaningful stories get the platform they deserve. Khajuraho is a perfect backdrop for this creative exchange."

— **Asha Parekh**, Celebrated Actress



"Khajuraho International Film Festival beautifully showcases the spirit of India—our stories, our talent, and our culture. Being part of this journey feels like nurturing the next generation of cinema and artists."

— **Jaya Prada** Veteran Bollywood Actress



"For me, cinema has always been about emotion and connection. KIFF creates that magical bridge between heritage and storytelling, making Khajuraho a place where history and art meet the future of films."

— **Tanuja**, Celebrated Actress

Media Impact

Previous editions have generated extensive positive coverage across leading media platforms, establishing KIFF as a cultural phenomenon worthy of global attention.

Tapra Talkies: Cinema for All



One of KIFF's most celebrated initiatives is Tapra Talkies—a traveling cinema that brings the magic of film to the doorsteps of rural communities throughout Bundelkhand.

For the 2025 edition, we're expanding this program with:

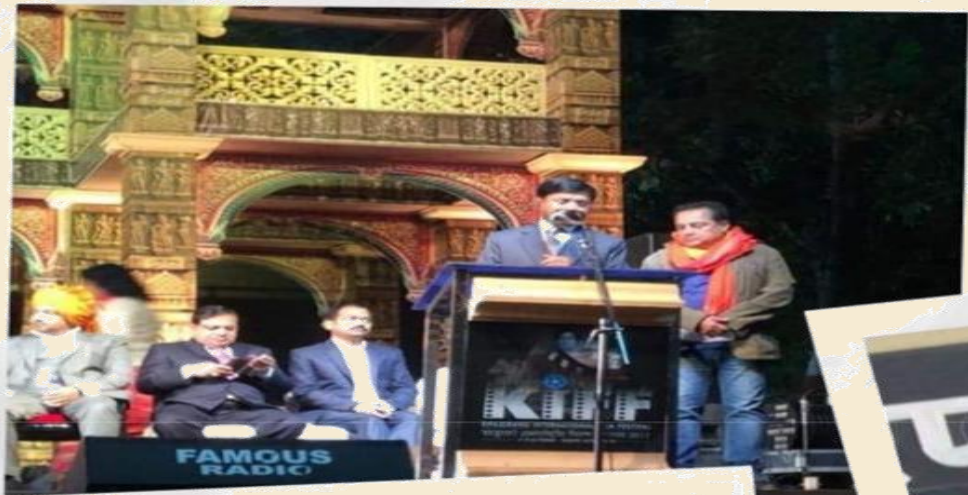
Dedicated educational screenings for children

Local storytelling workshops

Mobile filmmaking classes using smartphone technology

Village-produced short films screening at the main festival

This initiative offers sponsors a unique opportunity to connect with rural audiences while supporting meaningful social impact—truly cinema that changes lives.



***International Level Hotel Infrastructure ready to welcome
Domestic and International Tourists during the Festival at
Khajuraho, Madhya Pradesh***

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The Lalit Temple View Khaju



10th Khajuraho International Film Festival

Hotel Chandela, Khajuraho



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*Radisson Jass Hotel,
Khajuraho.*



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Ramada Khajuraho



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Clarks Khajuraho



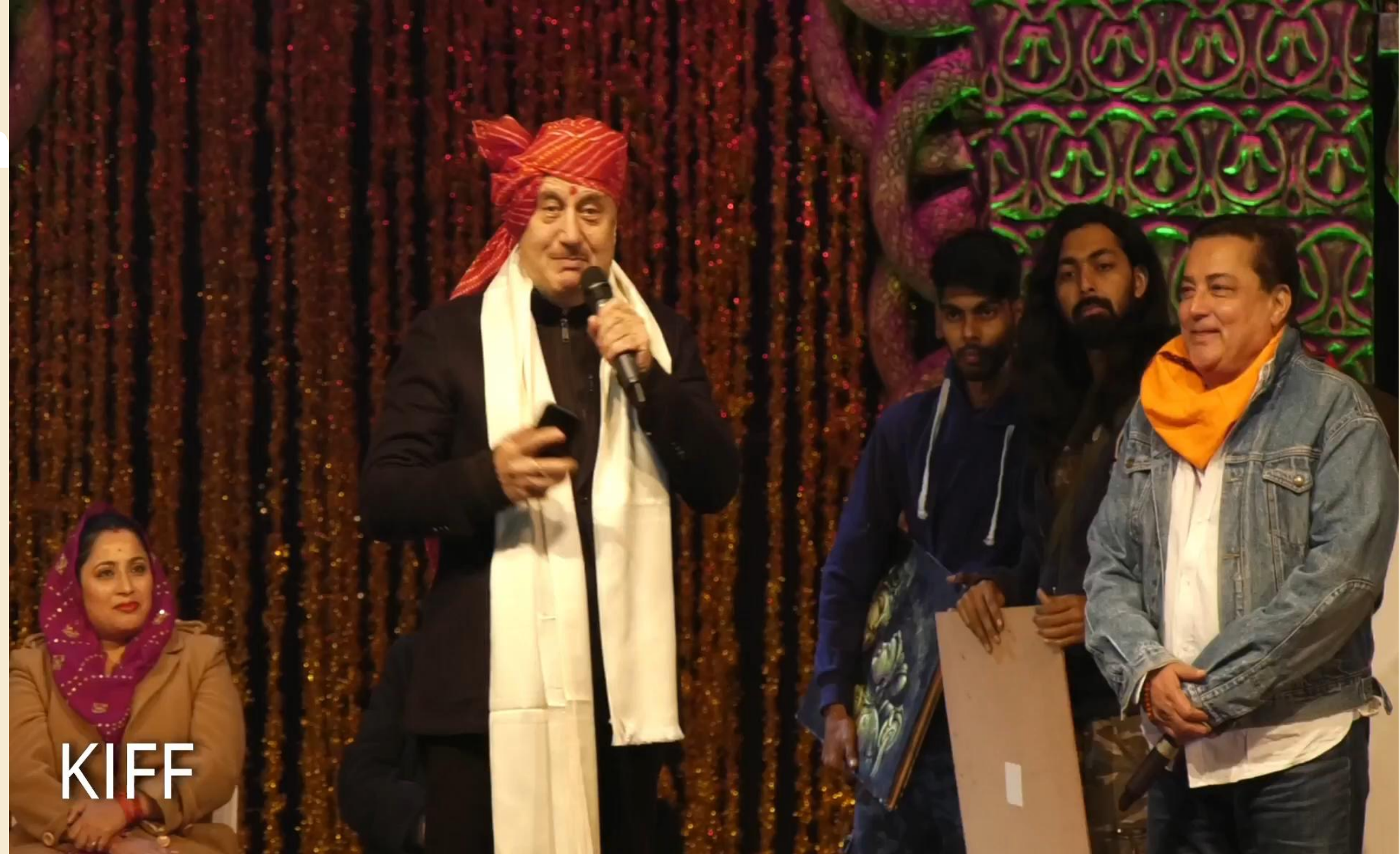
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*Syna Heritage Hotel,
Khajuraho*



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*Anupam Khar and
Jackie Shroff @ KIFF*



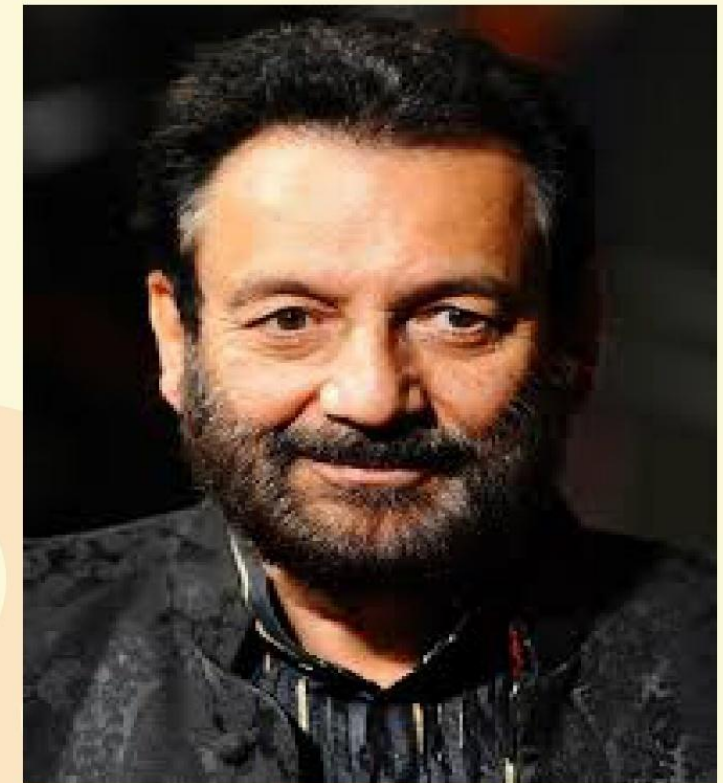


Thank you...



“Of Tigers, Temples and Tapra Talkies”

Padmashri Shekhar Kapur 's expression on his
experience at Khajuraho International Film Festival (KIFF)





भास्कर ख्वास • 10वें अंतरराष्ट्रीय फिल्म महोत्सव का आयोजन खजुराहो में 5 दिसंबर से 11 दिसंबर तक खजुराहो फिल्म महोत्सव में फ्रांसीसी अभिनेत्री लॉरा वीसबेकर और तुर्की के अंतरराष्ट्रीय फिल्म मेकर मुस्तफा ओजगुन भी भाग लेंगे

भास्कर संवाददाता | खजुराहो

इस बार का 10वां अंतरराष्ट्रीय फिल्म महोत्सव खजुराहो मध्य भारत का पहला फिल्म महोत्सव होगा जहां एक ही मंच पर बॉलीवुड और हॉलीवुड फिल्मी हस्तियां जिनमें हीरो हीरोइन प्रोड्यूसर डायरेक्टर अपनी फिल्मों का प्रदर्शन करेंगे। दर्शकों को भटकना न पड़े इसलिए टपरा टॉकीज भी एक ही जगह बनाई जा रही हैं।

दसवें फिल्म महोत्सव की बात यह होगी कि इस बार कलाकार भी भागीदार लॉरा वीसबेकर शामिल होंगे।



अभिनेत्री लॉरा वीसबेकर।

अंतरराष्ट्रीय बहुभाषी फ्रांसीसी अभिनेत्री हैं। वे हस्य कलाकार, चैन, सेड्रिक क्लैपिश, एली चौराक्वी, मार्क रोमनेक और टोनी मार्शल जैसे निर्देशकों के साथ फ्रांस, जर्मनी, अमेरिका और चीन में काम किया है। जैकी चैन द्वारा अभिनीत और निर्देशित फिल्म चइनीज रशि चक्र 12 में प्रमुख भूमिकाओं में से एक के लिए जैकी चैन द्वारा वीसबेकर को चुना गया था। यह फिल्म एशिया में एक बड़ी व्यावसायिक सफल शामिल हुई थी।

महोत्सव में अपना उल्लेखनीय योगदान दे रहे, एस्टोनिया में रह रहे नितिन नंदा उपरोक्त हॉलीवुड कलाकारों के अलावा अन्य कलाकारों को भी विदेशों से लेकर आ रहे हैं।

फिल्मों की शूटिंग की उम्मीद: 5 दिसंबर से 11 दिसंबर तक चलने वाला यह महोत्सव खजुराहो पर्यटन एवं फिल्म टूरिज्म के विकास के लिए हर साल सहायक होता है। इस

राजेश खन्ना को श्रद्धांजलि अर्पित की जाएगी। दसवां फिल्म महोत्सव विख्यात हीरो राजेश खन्ना जिन्हें लोग बाबू मोशाय के नाम से भी जाना जाता है। राजेश खन्ना की फिल्म के गीतकार, अभिनेता अभिनेत्रियां भी राजेश खन्ना को श्रद्धांजलि पेश करेंगे। कबीर बेदी भी महोत्सव का आकर्षण होंगे। प्रयास प्रोडक्शन और



राज्यपाल ने किया खजुराहो अंतर्राष्ट्रीय फिल्मोत्सव का शुभारम्भ

झाँसी, 06 दिसम्बर (तरुणमित्र)। बुंदेलखंड की बॉलीवुड में पहचान बन चुके 10वें अंतर्राष्ट्रीय खजुराहो फिल्मोत्सव का मप्र के राज्यपाल डॉ मंगूभाई पटेल ने दीप जलाकर शुभारम्भ किया। इस अवसर पर कार्यक्रम अध्यक्ष के रूप में मप्र भाजपा अध्यक्ष व खजुराहो सांसद बी डी शर्मा भी मौजूद रहे। चंदेलों की सांस्कृतिक राजधानी विश्व प्रसिद्ध पर्यटन स्थल खजुराहो में प्रयास प्रोडक्शन एवं फिल्म अभिनेता राजा बुंदेला के प्रयासों से



मकेश खन्ना दीपक पाराशर संजीवनी भिलदे एवं कछ अन्या

अंतर्राष्ट्रीय फिल्म महोत्सव

सुपरस्टार राजेश खन्ना की फिल्म के प्रदर्शन से शुरू हुआ कार्यक्रम

पुरानी फिल्मों, लोकनृत्य देख देर रात तक झूमते रहे दर्शक

कार्यालय संवाददाता, धिक्कूट

अमृत विचार। खजुराहो अंतर्राष्ट्रीय फिल्म महोत्सव के दूसरे दिन की शुरुआत सुपरस्टार राजेश खन्ना की फिल्म के प्रदर्शन से शुरू हुआ। इस मौके पर भगवान मत्तेश्वर पर बने वृत्तचित्र को खूब सराहा गया। ब्रज का मयूर नृत्य, बुंदेलखंड का बधाई और छत्तीसगढ़ का पंथी लोकनृत्य देखकर दर्शक झूम उठे।

साथ ही वाइस ऑफ किशोर के रूप में चर्चित अनिल नूपुर ने अपनी गायकी से बहुत मनोरंजन किया। कार्यक्रम में भाभी जी घर पर है सीरियल फेम रोहतास गौड़ के साथ सुमिता मुखर्जी, अशोक राजपूत,



मंघ पर बैठे कलाकार।

अमृत विचार



खजुराहो फिल्म फेस्टिवल में की गई मयूर नृत्य की प्रस्तुति।

अमृत विचार

की फिल्म पुनः प्रारंभ के साथ फिल्म टाकीज राजेश खन्ना की फिल्मों के पर आधारित फिल्मों का प्रदर्शन नए फिल्मकारों का किया उत्साहवर्धन



अमर उजाला



खजुराहो महोत्सव में दिवारी नृत्य करते कलाकार। स्रोत : आयोजक

बुंदेलखंड के बधाई गीत ने मचाई धूम

संवाद न्यूज एजेंसी

चित्रकूट। दसवें खजुराहो अंतर राष्ट्रीय फिल्म महोत्सव के तीसरे दिन बुंदेलखंड अंचल के बधाई व नृत्य की प्रस्तुति हुई। गर्विता जैन उज्जैन, अभिलाष पटेल और ग्रुप ने नृत्य किया। श्याम ने जादू के करतब दिखाए। बप्पी लहरी गुरुकुल संगीत महाविद्यालय ने भी शानदार प्रस्तुतियां दीं

महोत्सव में टीवी सीरियल एवं फिल्म कलाकार अनंग देसाई व चित्रा देसाई ने प्रशिक्षण दिया। अभिनेता राकेश साहू मौजूद रहे। कार्यक्रम संस्थापक अभिनेता राजा बुंदेला की तारीफ करते हुए कहा कि

बुंदेलखंड का दिवारी नृत्य किया गया प्रस्तुत

निश्चित रूप से वह लगातार प्रयासरत हैं कि खजुराहो अंतरराष्ट्रीय फिल्म महोत्सव नए मुकाम पर पहुंचे। इससे क्षेत्रीय भाषा बुंदेली फिल्मों का भी काफी विकास और विस्तार होगा।

मंच के माध्यम से अभिनेता अनंग देसाई, लेखिका चित्रा देसाई, विजय बहादुर सिंह, अभिनेत्री सुष्मिता मुखर्जी, बरनाली राय शुक्ला को सम्मानित किया। कार्यक्रम का संचालन रंजीत राय ने किया।



**FESTIVAL SCHEDULE AND FILMS
THAT WILL BE SCREENED**

11th Khajuraho International Film Festival
Tentative Schedule
1st Day – 16th December 2025 Tuesday

10:00 AM – Tapra Talkies Inauguration

Grand opening by esteemed Ambassadors (**Kyrgyzstan, Slovakia, France, Israel**) alongside their feature films

Venue: Tapra Talkies, near Bundela Resort

11:30 AM – Press Conference

Interaction with celebrated regional and national journalists following the inauguration

12:30 PM – Documentary Filmmaking Workshop

Distinguished Ambassadors/ Country representatives to participate (**Kyrgyzstan, Slovakia**)

Venue: Seminar Hall, Bundela Resort

1:30 PM – Lunch

A curated lunch for all honored guests

2:30 PM – Afternoon Podcast

A special conversation with Ms. Sushmita Mukherjee, offering insights on international affairs and the evolution of film culture with **Kyrgyzstan, Slovakia**

4:00 PM – Tea Break

(Refreshing interval for guests and participants)

Evening – Grand Opening Ceremony

6.00 PM - Guests escorted in vintage cars or traditional bullock carts to Shilp Gram

Opening address and felicitation by Hon'ble Chief Minister

Gala dinner accompanied by a spectacular film screening (**Slovakia**)

11th Khajuraho International Film Festival

Tentative Schedule

2nd Day 17th December 2025, Wednesday

Morning – Guided Temple Visit

Explore Khajuraho's UNESCO World Heritage temples and discover their timeless grandeur

12:30 PM – Documentary Filmmaking Workshop

Distinguished Ambassadors/ Country representatives to participate (**France, Israel**)

Venue: Seminar Hall, Bundela Resort

1:30 PM – Lunch

A curated lunch for all honored guests

2:30 PM – Afternoon Podcast

A special conversation with Ms. Sushmita Mukherjee, offering insights on international affairs and the evolution of film culture with **France, Israel**

4:00 PM – Tea Break

(Refreshing interval for guests and participants)

Evening – Grand Ceremony

6.00 PM - Guests escorted in vintage cars or traditional bullock carts to Shilp Gram

Opening address and felicitation by Hon'ble Ministers

Gala dinner accompanied by a spectacular film screening (**France & Israel**)

11th Khajuraho International Film Festival

Tentative Schedule

3rd Day 18th December 2025, Thursday

Morning – Guided Temple Visit

Explore Khajuraho's UNESCO World Heritage temples and discover their timeless grandeur

12:30 PM – Documentary Filmmaking Workshop

Distinguished Ambassadors/ Country representatives to participate
(Egypt, Ghana or African)

Venue: Seminar Hall, Bundela Resort

1:30 PM – Lunch

A curated lunch for all honored guests

2:30 PM – Afternoon Podcast

A special conversation with Ms. Sushmita Mukherjee, offering insights on international affairs and the evolution of film culture along with **Egypt, Ghana or African.**

4:00 PM – Tea Break

(Refreshing interval for guests and participants)

Evening – Grand Ceremony

6.00 PM - Guests escorted in vintage cars or traditional bullock carts to Shilp Gram

Opening address and felicitation by Hon'ble Ministers

Gala dinner accompanied by a spectacular film screening **(African Movie)**

11th Khajuraho International Film Festival

Tentative Schedule

4th Day 19th December 2025, Friday

Morning – Guided Temple Visit

Explore Khajuraho's UNESCO World Heritage temples and discover their timeless grandeur

12:30 PM – Documentary Filmmaking Workshop

Distinguished Ambassadors/ Country representatives to participate (**Nepal, Sri Lanka**)

Venue: Seminar Hall, Bundela Resort

1:30 PM – Lunch

A curated lunch for all honored guests

2:30 PM – Afternoon Podcast

A special conversation with Ms. Sushmita Mukherjee, offering insights on international affairs and the evolution of film culture with **Nepal & Sri Lanka** Diplomats

4:00 PM – Tea Break

(Refreshing interval for guests and participants)

Evening – Grand Ceremony

6.00 PM - Guests escorted in vintage cars or traditional bullock carts to Shilp Gram

Opening address and felicitation by Hon'ble Minister

Gala dinner accompanied by a spectacular film screening (**Sri Lanka, Vietnam**)

11th Khajuraho International Film Festival

Tentative Schedule

5th Day 20th December 2025, Saturday

Morning – Guided Temple Visit

Explore Khajuraho's UNESCO World Heritage temples and discover their timeless grandeur

12:30 PM – Documentary Filmmaking Workshop

Distinguished Ambassadors/ Country representatives to participate

**(European Union,
Mongolia, Fiji, Suriname)**

Venue: Seminar Hall, Bundela Resort

1:30 PM – Lunch

A curated lunch for all honored guests

2:30 PM – Afternoon Podcast

A special conversation with Ms. Sushmita Mukherjee, offering insights on international affairs and the evolution of film culture with **European Union, Mongolia, Fiji, Suriname**

4:00 PM – Tea Break

(Refreshing interval for guests and participants)

Evening – Grand Ceremony

6.00 PM - Guests escorted in vintage cars or traditional bullock carts to Shilp Gram

Opening address and felicitation by Hon'ble Minister

Gala dinner accompanied by a spectacular film screening **European Union**

11th Khajuraho International Film Festival

Tentative Schedule

6th Day 21st December 2025, Sunday

Morning – Guided Temple Visit

Explore Khajuraho's UNESCO World Heritage temples and discover their timeless grandeur

12:30 PM – Documentary Filmmaking Workshop

Distinguished Ambassadors/ Country representatives to participate:
(Iran, Indonesia)

Venue: Seminar Hall, Bundela Resort

1:30 PM – Lunch

A curated lunch for all honored guests

2:30 PM – Afternoon Podcast

A special conversation with Ms. Sushmita Mukherjee, offering insights on international affairs and the evolution of film culture with **Iran, Indonesia**

4:00 PM – Tea Break

(Refreshing interval for guests and participants)

Evening – Grand Ceremony

6.00 PM - Guests escorted in vintage cars or traditional bullock carts to Shilp Gram

Opening address and felicitation by Hon'ble Minister

Gala dinner accompanied by a spectacular film screening **Iran, Indonesia**

11th Khajuraho International Film Festival

Tentative Schedule

7th Day 22nd December 2025, Monday

Morning – Guided Temple Visit

Explore Khajuraho's UNESCO World Heritage temples and discover their timeless grandeur

12:30 PM – Documentary Filmmaking Workshop

Distinguished Ambassadors/ Country representatives to participate **(OTHERS)**

Venue: Seminar Hall, Bundela Resort

1:30 PM – Lunch

A curated lunch for all honored guests

2:30 PM – Afternoon Podcast

A special conversation with Ms. Sushmita Mukherjee, offering insights on international affairs and the evolution of film culture with **Others**

4:00 PM – Tea Break

(Refreshing interval for guests and participants)

Evening – Grand Closing Ceremony

6.00 PM - Guests escorted in vintage cars or traditional bullock carts to Shilp Gram

Opening address and felicitation by H.H. Governor of Madhya Pradesh

Note:- (Other means: Diplomats from more countries like Asian or Latin American)



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