

ICAI to Host 21st World Congress of Accountants 2022 in Mumbai!



ICAI President Hands over WCOA Kit to IFAC President

ICAI has won the bid to host the next World Congress of Accountants scheduled to be held on November 18-21, 2022 at Jio World Centre, Mumbai, India.

World Congress of Accountants (WCOA), popularly known as the “Olympics of the Accountancy Profession” is one of the most prestigious global event of Professional accountants under the aegis of the International Federation of Accountants (IFAC), where a conglomeration of 6000 delegates from over 130 member countries of IFAC exchange views with other Accounting and Finance professionals from around the world and engage with visionaries and leaders to bring their own expertise to the fore on a world stage.

The Congress gives participants the opportunity to listen to world-class speakers and leaders of the finance and business community, to exchange views with other accounting and finance professionals from around the world, and to debate current issues and trends in the profession. Congress speakers

include international and national standards setters, accounting organizations, accounting firms, regulators, and commerce groups.

1st World Congress of Accountants was held in 1904 at St. Louis, USA. The past 20 Congress since 1904 has been mainly held in USA and Europe, and two times in Australia Oceania.

It is a proud moment not only for accounting fraternity in India but for the fraternity in South Asia and Middle East, as India is the first country among the South Asia & Middle East to host the World Congress. Hosting WCOA 2022 in India shall help in enhancing the brand value of India as well as ICAI and would signify the importance of developing countries like India who have the potential to shine as a friendly, welcoming world-class location that is open for business.

The Conference would provide an opportunity for professional enrichment in contemporary and emerging areas. The Conference would have an unsurpassed depth and breadth in technical content with a laser sharp focus on the most important topics concerning the profession globally. In November 2022, one would get a chance to get inspired and enlightened by more than 100 eminent luminaries from accounting and business fraternity and network with 6000 of the most motivated accounting and finance professionals globally.

