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- Original articles are invited for technical session.
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- Robotics & Automation in Commercial Kitchens
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- Cloud Kitchens & Food Delivery Platforms

Important Dates

Last Date of Registration	**November 25, 2026**
Abstract Submission	**December 05, 2026**
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The National Conference on Redefining Trends in Hospitality through Technology, Talent and Sustainability (HTTS- 2026-27) provides a common forum for deliberations, sharing of recent trends, advancements and research in the areas of hospitality technology, workforce and skill development, women in hospitality, sustainable and emerging forms of tourism, and hospitality entrepreneurship. This conference will be a great platform for academicians, researchers, industry practitioners, entrepreneurs and students to discuss and present recent advances and research outcomes in the field of hospitality and tourism.

Conference Objectives

- To provide a platform for interaction and sharing of innovative ideas in the fields of hospitality technology, talent and sustainability
- To discuss the current challenges in the hospitality and tourism industry, including skill gaps, women's participation and micro-enterprises
- To encourage research on sustainable practices and emerging forms of tourism in India

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