

## Important Dates

Paper Submission & Participation Timeline  
**March 25, 2026**  
 (Wednesday)

Conference Dates  
**March 30-31, 2026**  
 (Monday - Tuesday)

## Registration Process

- ▶ **Online Registration:** Complete the registration form online at: <https://forms.gle/UkcJnVBgueuuYQnY6>
- ▶ **Registration Confirmation:** After submitting the online registration form and payment confirmation, a confirmation email will be sent to the delegate's registered email address.
- ▶ **Cancellation & Refund Policy:** Registration fee is non-refundable and non-transferable.

## Note

- ▶ Accommodation is available upon request & subject to availability, with additional charges.
- ▶ No TA/DA will be provided for attending the conference.
- ▶ Registration is mandatory for all participants.



S.No.	Type of Participation	Registration Fee (INR)
1	Faculty members, Administrators, Industry Professional (s) & Research Scholar (s)	5200/-
2	Student (s)	1000/-

## Note:

**Accepted research papers from the Conference will be published in a book with an ISBN.**

If you have any queries, feel free to contact on the coordinates as below:  
 Email ID: [specs.event@gmail.com](mailto:specs.event@gmail.com) | Mob.: 9411719465  
 Website: <https://specsindia.org>



## Dehradun - Where Nature Meets Serenity!

- ▶ Nestled in the foothills of the Himalayas, Dehradun, the capital of Uttarakhand, is a city known for its breathtaking natural beauty, lush greenery, and serene environment. Surrounded by the Shivalik range, it enjoys a pleasant climate throughout the year, making it a favorite destination for nature lovers and travellers.
- ▶ The city is home to scenic landscapes, rivers, and waterfalls. Popular attractions include Robber's Cave, a natural cave with a disappearing river, Sahastradhara, known for its sulphur water springs, and Malsi Deer Park, a heaven for wildlife enthusiasts. The Tons and the Song Rivers flow through the region, adding to its charm. Rajaji National Park, located on the outskirts, is a sanctuary for elephants, leopards, and rich biodiversity.
- ▶ Dehradun also serves as a gateway to adventure destinations like Mussoorie, Dhanaulti, and Chakrata, offering trekking, camping, and river rafting opportunities. Its misty mornings, mesmerizing sunsets, and serene landscapes make it an ideal retreat for those seeking peace and adventure alike. With a perfect mix of nature, adventure, and tranquility, Dehradun continues to captivate visitors, making it one of the most enchanting cities in northern India.

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The Society of Pollution and Environmental Conservation Scientists (SPECS),  
 in collaboration with  
 the Speakingcube and Avlokan, Dehradun

is organizing a

## National Conference

# Advancing Sustainable Innovation and Community Impact

(Hybrid Mode)

# 30<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup> March 2026

Organized by:

**Society of Pollution and Environmental Conservation Scientists**

Registered under societies registration act 1860,  
 dated 22 July 1994.  
 115 Krishan Nagar, Dehradun - 248001, Uttarakhand

Venue:

**The Pearl Grand Hotel**  
 Niranjanpur, Saharanpur Road, Dehradun  
 (Uttarakhand) 248001 - India

## About SPECS

**SPECS (Society of Pollution and Environmental Conservation Scientists)** is a non-profit, non-governmental organization that has been actively **working since 1994**. Dedicated to creating positive change, SPECS has made significant contributions across a range of fields, including science, communication, research and innovation, energy efficiency, environmental conservation, food quality, skill development, green business and climate change mitigation.

Over the years, SPECS has earned recognition for its impactful work. The organization has been **honoured with the "National Award" twice** for its exceptional efforts. It has also received **multiple prestigious accolades** from the **"Uttarakhand State Government**, such as the **\*\*Environment Conservation Award, \*\*Energy Conservation Award, \*\*Governor Innovation Award, \*\*Times Brand Icon Award** and the **\*\*Innovator of the Year Award\*\***.

The dedication of SPECS to sustainable development and innovation is being reflected in its track record of **\*21 credited innovations**. Moreover, the organization has empowered over **\*\*500 entrepreneurs**, fostering entrepreneurship and local economic growth. SPECS has also played a key role in making **\*\*over 340 villages in Uttarakhand 100% energy-efficient\***, supporting both **energy conservation and rural development**.

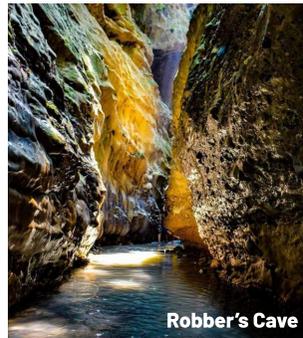
With its continued focus on addressing critical environmental and social challenges, **SPECS is committed to building a sustainable future, promoting green businesses and working toward a more energy-efficient world.**

## About Speakingcube

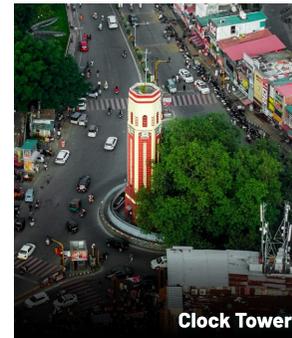
Speakingcube provides online solutions that promote societal well-being, sustainability, and innovation across diverse domains, including counselling, psychotherapy, career guidance, perinatal support, and behavioural training to foster mental well-being and personal development. Our services also include academic and research initiatives such as conferences, workshops, seminars, webinars, and internship opportunities to advance sustainability, mental health awareness and knowledge etc. The mission of Speakingcube is to provide educative, preventive and curative services to lay the foundation of a happy and peaceful world around us. **Speakingcube was founded by Dr. Deepika Chamoli Shahi, as LLP and transformed into a Section 8 company under the guidance of the advisors.** Speakingcube is a Mental Health NGO registered under the **Uttarakhand Government MSME and NITI Aayog**. We have a diverse team of psychologists, clinical hypnotherapists, life coaches, mindful and perinatal experts. Our advisors are Prof. Rita Kumar, Senior Professor, Psychology Department, Amity University - Noida & Dr. Col (Retd.) Chetan Shardha, Diabetologist, Yashoda Hospital, Ghaziabad.

## About Avlokan

Avlokan is a non-governmental organization (NGO) working for social welfare and community development. It focuses on issues such as education, health awareness, environmental protection, and support for underprivileged communities. In Dehradun, the organization promotes social responsibility by involving youth and volunteers in awareness campaigns, community outreach programs, and environmental activities. Through its initiatives, Avlokan aims to create positive social change and improve the quality of life in the community.



Robber's Cave



Clock Tower



Buddha Temple

## About National Conference on Advancing Sustainable Innovation and Community Impact

The conference aims to bring together academicians, researchers, policymakers, industry professionals, environmental scientists, and students to discuss the evolving role of universities in **fostering sustainable innovation, knowledge networks, and community engagement**. Universities today play a critical role in addressing environmental challenges, **promoting sustainability, and generating impactful solutions for society.**

## Objectives

- ◆ **Promote sustainable innovation and research collaboration in higher education institutions.**
- ◆ **Strengthen knowledge networks among universities, research organizations, and industry partners.**
- ◆ **Encourage community-driven research and environmental sustainability initiatives.**
- ◆ **Showcase innovative practices and policy frameworks that enhance the societal impact of universities.**
- ◆ **Facilitate interdisciplinary dialogue on environmental conservation and sustainable development.**

## Topics to be covered in the Conference (Not limited to)

- ◆ Sustainable innovation in higher education
- ◆ Environmental conservation and climate action
- ◆ Knowledge networks and collaborative research
- ◆ Community engagement and social impact of universities
- ◆ Green technologies and sustainable development practices
- ◆ University-industry partnerships for sustainability
- ◆ Policy frameworks for sustainable higher education
- ◆ SDGs and the role of universities in sustainable development

## Outcomes

- ◆ Strengthening Academic Knowledge Networks
- ◆ Policy and Institutional Insights
- ◆ Promotion of Sustainable Innovation
- ◆ Enhanced Community Engagement
- ◆ Capacity Building for Researchers and Faculty
- ◆ Dissemination of Research Outputs
- ◆ Contribution to Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)
- ◆ Long-Term Collaboration and Innovation Platforms

## Chief Guest

**Dr. V.K. Varshney**

Scientist G  
(FRI, Dehradun)

## Lead Lecture

**Dr. Anil Jaggi**

Global Fellow - Salzburg Global Seminar & Japan-India Transformative Technology Network  
CEO - Conscious Ventures  
Society for Inclusive Development (SFID)

## Organising Committee

**Dr. G.K. Dhingra**

Dean Research, Sri Dev Suman  
Uttarakhand University  
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Founder (SPECS)  
(Convener)

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Environmental Consultant  
(Organising Secretary)

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