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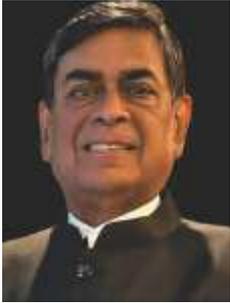
“Connected Yet Constrained: Transforming Trade Amidst Rising Barriers”



THE AIR CARGO AGENTS ASSOCIATION OF INDIA



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Dear Members, Friends, and Industry Partners,

It gives me immense pleasure to invite you all to the 49th Annual Convention of ACAAL, to be held from 6th to 9th November 2025 at the beautiful Renaissance Uluwatu Resort & Spa, Bali.

In these times of accelerated transformation across the logistics and freight forwarding landscape, our Convention returns as a vibrant platform for collective reflection, fresh thinking, and future planning. This year's edition promises to be more than just a gathering-it will be a convergence of ideas, innovations, and international insights.

Bali, with its timeless charm and serene surroundings, provides the perfect backdrop for this important dialogue. The Convention will feature impactful business sessions, engaging panel discussions, and invaluable networking opportunities with both Indian and global stakeholders. We will address key challenges in manpower, regulatory landscapes, digital integration, sustainability, and geopolitical shifts, while identifying new pathways for growth and collaboration.

As always, the ACAAL Convention is also a celebration of our unity and spirit. The thoughtfully curated social evenings and cultural experiences will offer us a chance to reconnect, rejuvenate, and reaffirm our shared commitment to the advancement of our industry.

I urge each one of you to participate wholeheartedly in this Convention. Let us come together once again to learn, lead, and lift the air cargo community to newer heights.

Looking forward to welcoming you and your families in Bali!

Warm regards,

Chandra Kant Govil

President, ACAAL

CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE



Dear Members,

Selamat Datang di Bali... Welcome to Bali...

In 2017, Bali was selected as the venue for our annual Convention; however, due to unforeseen volcanic activity, we were compelled to cancel the event. Despite this setback, the charm and promise of Bali remained in our hearts - and today, we are proud to announce that in **2025**, with renewed enthusiasm we are finally returning to this remarkable destination. It's a long - awaited opportunity to bring our community together in a place that blends natural beauty, cultural richness, and world-class hospitality - everything we had once hoped for and more.

It gives me great pleasure to personally invite you to the much awaited 49th annual Convention of ACAAI which will be held at **"Renaissance Bali Uluwatu Resort & Spa" Bali, Indonesia from 6th to 9th November 2025.**

ACAAI Convention 2025 promises to be more than just a business gathering - it's an unforgettable journey to an exotic destination rich in culture, beauty, and unique experiences. Don't miss this valuable opportunity to enhance your professional knowledge while also enjoying a memorable travel experience. I warmly urge all our members to register in large numbers and be a part of yet another remarkable ACAAI Convention 2025.

Warm regards,

Anil Vazirani

Chairman, Convention 2025

ABOUT INDONESIA

Indonesia, officially called as the “**Republic of Indonesia**”, is a country located in Southeast Asia and Oceania, between the Indian and Pacific oceans. The name Indonesia derives from the Greek words “Indos and Nesos” meaning “Indian islands”. It is the world’s largest archipelago nation, stretching over 5,000 kilometers from east to west and comprising over 17,000 islands, including major ones like Java, Sumatra, Kalimantan, Sulawesi, and Papua. With over 280 million people, Indonesia is the world's fourth-most-populous country. Java, the world's most populous island, is home to more than half of the country's population. The country features diverse topography, including towering mountains, vast lakes, and extensive river systems and is rich in natural resources like coal, palm oil, natural gas, and minerals. The country is part of the “Ring of Fire”, giving it rich volcanic soil but also frequent seismic activity. Its tropical climate supports incredible biodiversity, with rainforests, beaches, mountains, and coral reefs. Indonesia is also home to more than 300 ethnic groups and a wide variety of languages and traditions, making it one of the most culturally diverse nations in the world. Despite this diversity, national unity is symbolized by the motto "Bhinneka Tunggal Ika" - Unity in Diversity.

Indonesia plays an active role in regional and global affairs. It is a founding member of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN), and a strategic player in the Indo-Pacific region. The country emphasizes diplomacy, economic cooperation, and peacekeeping. Indonesia is famous for world-renowned destinations like Bali, Borobudur, Komodo Island, and Lake Toba. Tourists are drawn to its unique mix of nature, spirituality, history, and hospitality. Traditional music, dance, batik textiles, and regional cuisines contribute to its rich cultural heritage. The Borobudur Temple Complex in Java, the national parks in Sumatra, the rice terraces in Bali, the Toraja culture in Sulawesi, and Indonesia’s beautiful underwater world are some of the many highlights of the country.

ABOUT BALI

Bali, an Indonesian island situated at the westernmost end of the Lesser Sunda Islands, lies between Java to the west and Lombok to the east. Renowned for its diverse natural landscapes-including volcanic hillsides, lush mountains, rugged coastlines, and distinctive black sand beaches - Bali is often referred to as the "Island of the Gods." This tropical destination offers a harmonious blend of traditional



culture and modern amenities, featuring vibrant markets, upscale resorts, and a rich array of historical and spiritual heritage sites. The Balinese people take immense pride in preserving their distinctive Hindu culture, and remains a stronghold of Hindu traditions, with its rich cultural heritage reflected in its daily rituals, festivals, and community life. The island's architecture is equally significant, characterized by intricately designed structures and the presence of thousands of Hindu temples - most notably the iconic cliffside Uluwatu Temple - found throughout the region.

Bali is also celebrated for its vibrant arts scene, encompassing both traditional and contemporary forms of dance, sculpture, painting, metalwork, leather craft, and music. This artistic richness has roots

in early cultural exchanges with Indian, Chinese, and particularly Hindu influences dating back to the 1st century AD. Historically, Hinduism in Bali developed because of Hindu communities migrating from Java during the rise of Islam, preserving their religious and cultural identity on the island.

Geographically, Bali is encircled by coral reefs, and its beaches are noted for their distinct coloration - white sands along the southern coast and black sands in the northern and western regions, shaped by the island's volcanic landscape. While Bali lacks major rivers, the Ho River remains navigable by small sampan boats. Denpasar, located near the southern coastline, serves as the capital and largest city of Bali. Kuta, a vibrant beach resort area, has become nearly integrated into Denpasar's metropolitan sprawl. Ubud, situated to the north of Denpasar, is widely recognized as the cultural heart of the island. Other major tourist destinations include the resort areas of Seminyak, Sanur, and Nusa Dua, each known for luxury accommodations and refined amenities. Additionally, Bali is a popular destination for yoga and wellness retreats, attracting visitors seeking tranquility and spiritual rejuvenation.

Tourism development has significantly influenced the island's economy and lifestyle, contributing to rapid modernization. However, Bali has managed to maintain the essence of its traditional culture, which continues to evolve alongside globalization.

Bali is often regarded as one of the world's premier island destinations due to its striking natural beauty-ranging from lush highlands to picturesque coastlines-its diverse attractions, a wide selection of international and local cuisine, and the renowned hospitality of its people. In 2011, BBC Travel ranked Bali as the second-best island in the world, following Santorini, Greece, further solidifying its global appeal.



As one of Indonesia's most prominent tourist destinations, Bali continues to attract visitors from around the world with its scenic beauty, favorable climate, and tranquil ambiance.

FOOD & CULTURE

Bali's food and culture are deeply intertwined, reflecting the island's rich Hindu heritage and artistic traditions. Balinese cuisine is known for its vibrant flavors, featuring spices, herbs, and ingredients like lemongrass, turmeric, and coconut. Culturally, Bali is renowned for its traditional dance, music, and crafts, which are integral to daily life and religious ceremonies. Despite modern influences, the island maintains a strong sense of identity, where art, spirituality, and community remain at the heart of Balinese society.

CLIMATE

Bali has a tropical climate, characterized by warm temperatures and high humidity throughout the year. The island experiences two main seasons: the dry season from April to October, and the rainy season from November to March. Average temperatures range between 26°C and 31°C, making it a year-round destination. The dry season is especially popular with tourists, offering sunny days and ideal conditions for outdoor activities and beach visits.

SHOPPING

Shopping in Bali offers a vibrant mix of traditional markets, boutique stores, and modern shopping centers. Visitors can find a wide range of goods, from handcrafted souvenirs and locally made textiles to high-end fashion and home décor.

Popular shopping areas include:

- **Ubud Art Market (Pasar Seni Ubud)** - best for Handcrafted goods, textiles, wood carvings, paintings, and souvenirs
- **Seminyak Village & Seminyak Square** - best for Boutique fashion, designer clothing, home décor, and accessories.
- **Beachwalk Shopping Center, Kuta** - best for International brands, dining, and entertainment.



- **Sukawati Art Market** - best for Traditional Balinese art, crafts, and souvenirs at lower prices.
- **Krisna Oleh-Oleh Bali** - best for Affordable souvenirs, snacks, and Balinese products.
- **Bali Collection (Nusa Dua)** - Bali Collection is the largest shopping mall in Nusa Dua with complete lifestyle experiences.

Important Information on Bali

Capital	: Denpasar
Official language	: Balinese and Indonesian
Area	: 5,780 km ²
Population	: Approximately 4.22 million (as of recent estimates)
Currency	: 1 Indonesia Rupiah (IDR) = 0.0053 Indian Rupee (INR)
Time zone	: GMT + 8
Calling code	: Indonesia's country code is (+62)
Airport	: Denpasar Ngurah Rai International Airport

The international airport in Bali is: **Ngurah Rai International Airport (DPS)**

Also known as **Denpasar International Airport**, it is located in **Tuban**, near **Kuta**, about 13 kilometers south of **Denpasar**, the capital of Bali. The airport is modern, well-equipped, and among the busiest in Indonesia.

The distance from **Ngurah Rai International Airport (Denpasar, DPS)** to the ACAAI Convention Hotel - **Renaissance Bali Uluwatu Resort & Spa**, is approximately **15kms**, Travel time by road ranges from **45 minutes** during peak hours.



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REGISTRATION

The delegates may register for the Convention online on our website www.acaai.in **Registration begins from 1st Aug 2025.** Registration will be confirmed / accepted on receipt of full applicable fee either by Cheque / Draft / RTGS transfer in favour of "The Air Cargo Agents Association of India". For RTGS transfer the details are as follows:

Bank : HDFC BANK
Express Tower, Nariman Point, Mumbai - 400 021

Account Name: THE AIR CARGO AGENTS ASSOCIATION OF INDIA

Account Number: 50200009770775

IFSC code: HDFC0000291

ACAAI GST Number: 27AAACT1460A1ZX



Delegate Fee

Check-in : Thursday, 6th November 2025 and Check-out : Sunday, 9th November 2025

For Single Occupancy / Double Occupancy with Spouse :

Rs.65,000/- + GST @ 18% = **Rs.76,700/-** for 3 nights (on 6th, 7th & 8th Nov 2025)

For Twin Sharing :

Rs.40,000/- + GST @ 18% (**Each Delegate**) = **Rs.47,200/-** for 3 nights (on 6th, 7th & 8th November 2025)

The above package fees will include the following :

- 6th Nov - check-in, room, evening high-tea, entertainment, cocktails & dinner
- 7th Nov - room, breakfast, morning tea/coffee, lunch, evening tea/coffee, entertainment, cocktails and dinner

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- 8th Nov - room, breakfast, morning tea / coffee, lunch, evening tea / coffee, entertainment, cocktails and dinner

- 9th Nov - breakfast & check-out

- The package fees also includes attendance at all Business Sessions and hosted events / functions listed in the programme.

All other charges on account of early check-ins, late check-outs, Laundry, Mini Bar, Telephone, Room Service, etc. shall be settled by the delegate directly with the Hotel.

ACAAI has reserved 100 Rooms at the Convention Hotel exclusively for all registered Delegates.

The Registrations will close upon reaching 100 room bookings or by 15th September 2025, whichever is earlier.

Subject to availability of rooms, any registrations received after 15th September 2025, will attract an additional registration fee of 20%

Members are kindly requested to take a note of this and complete their registration on www.acaaai.in at the earliest to ensure accommodation availability.

Pre & Post Stay at the Convention Hotel

Delegates arriving prior to 6th November 2025 and staying on or after 9th November 2025 at the Convention Hotel will have to inform and mention during online registration, as rooms will have to be booked in advance. The special discounted rate is applicable for 3 nights pre Convention (i.e. on 3rd, 4th & 5th Nov) and 3 nights post-Convention (i.e. on 9th, 10th & 11th Nov 2025).

The room rate offered for ACAAI delegates for 3 nights pre- and post- Convention is:

Rs. 15,000/- + 18% (GST-2700) = **Rs. 17,700/- per room per night for SGL / DBL / Sharing, room with breakfast.**

Pre-Convention nights (3-5 Nov) and post-Convention nights (9-11 Nov) should be confirmed latest by 30th September 2025 to ACAAI HO.

Hotel Check-in time is 3 pm and Check-out time is 12 noon

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LOCAL DELEGATE FEE

The registration fee for delegates from Bali, not requiring hotel accommodation, shall be USD 500/- (US Dollar Five Hundred) from 6th to 8th November 2025.

CLOSING DATE OF REGISTRATION

Registration to the Convention will be accepted from 1st August 2025, and the closing date will be **15th September 2025**.

CANCELLATION

Cancellations done on or before 1st October 2025 shall be subject to a deduction of 25% of the delegate fee, and cancellations from 1st October to 15th October 2025 shall be subject to a deduction of 50% of the delegate fee. No refund on cancellation done after 15th October 2025. Cancellation of Hotel room booking is subject to heavy penalties on ACAAI.

TRANSFERS

Transfer from Airport to the Convention Hotel on 6th November 2025 and from the Convention hotel to airport during departures on 9th November 2025 will be provided only for convenient flights. No individual transfers will be arranged.

PARTICIPATION

Restricted to members of ACAAI and those invited by the Managing Committee of ACAAI (Speakers / Sponsors).

All Business Sessions and all other official functions including hosted events are for registered delegates and their spouses and for those invited by the ACAAI Managing Committee (Speakers / Sponsors).

ACAAI does not encourage participation of children below 18 years of age and they will not be allowed to attend any official function including lunches, cocktails, and dinners. Kindly note this to avoid any last-minute embarrassment.

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SPOUSES PROGRAMME (only for spouses of the registered delegates)

Spouses of the registered delegates staying at the Convention hotel shall register for spouse tour which will be on 7th November 2025. However, the registration for this spouse tour should be informed to the ACAAI HO well in advance to make the necessary arrangements.

VISA FOR BALI

“Visa for Bali can be taken on arrival. However, it is better to take an e-visa. Please consult your travel agents for the same. Applying online for an **e-visa** is strongly recommended - to save time and avoid airport queues.

Delegates are kindly requested to note that each individual travelling to Bali is required to complete the online **Customs Declaration Form**, accessible via the link provided below:

<https://ecd.beacukai.go.id/>

Upon completion, a QR code will be generated, which must be saved on your mobile device. This QR code will be scanned after immigration clearance and is essential for exiting the airport in Bali. Delegates are strongly encouraged to complete the form in advance before their departure to Bali.”



ABOUT THE CONVENTION HOTEL - RENAISSANCE BALI ULUWATU RESORT & SPA

Discover the unexpected at Renaissance Bali Uluwatu Resort & Spa, Marriott Bonvoy's premium lifestyle resort in Uluwatu, Bali. The resort is located in the Bukit area, a large stone peninsula of Uluwatu known for offering one of the best sunset experiences in Asia. Surrounded by nature and pristine beaches, the resort inspires relaxation with 207 hotel rooms and can take advantage of the sparkling outdoor infinity pools, a 24-hour gym, as well as restaurants and bars, including a lively pool bar. Explore nearby attractions in Ungasan, such as Garuda Wisnu Kencana Cultural Park, Uluwatu Temple, Uluwatu secret breaches, and hidden gems in the destination.

After a full day of exploration, balance your mind and body with massages, beauty treatments, and wellness therapies at the hotel's spa. Renaissance Bali Uluwatu Resort & Spa offers stunning views of miles of breathtaking coastline, providing an authentic Balinese experience.







*Last date of registration **15th September 2025**

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