

#### **TOURISM IN NEPAL- FEW FACTS**





#### **NEPAL**

2020 ANNUAL RESEARCH: KEY HIGHLIGHTS<sup>1</sup>

#### **NEPAL 2019 KEY DATA**



CONTRIBUTION OF TRAVEL & TOURISM TO GDP 6.7% of total economy

Total T&T GDP = NPR231.0BN (USD2,051.4MN)

+7.5%

2019 Travel & Tourism GDP growth vs +9.1% real economy GDP growth



CONTRIBUTION OF TRAVEL & TOURISM TO EMPLOYMENT **1,034.0** JOBS (000's) (6.9% of total employment)



NPR 93.98N

in visitor spend (30.8% of total exports) (USD833.8MN)

#### **INBOUND ARRIVALS**

#### **OUTBOUND DEPARTURES**





Note: Data are average shares over the 2016-2018 period Source: Oxford Economics, national sources and UNWTO





#### **SOME FACTS AND FIGURES**

Purpose of Visit	2018	2019
Holiday/Pleasure	703,843	778,173
Pilgrimage	187,692	197,786
Trekking & Mountaineering	169,180	171937
Others	112,357	49,301

#### **Major Tourism Activities**

Mountain Climbing, Trekking, Bird Watching, Mountain Flight, Rock Climbing, Rafting/Kayaking/Canyoning/Hot air ballooning, Bungy Jumping, Paragliding, Ultra Light Aircraft, Mountain Biking, Jungle Safari

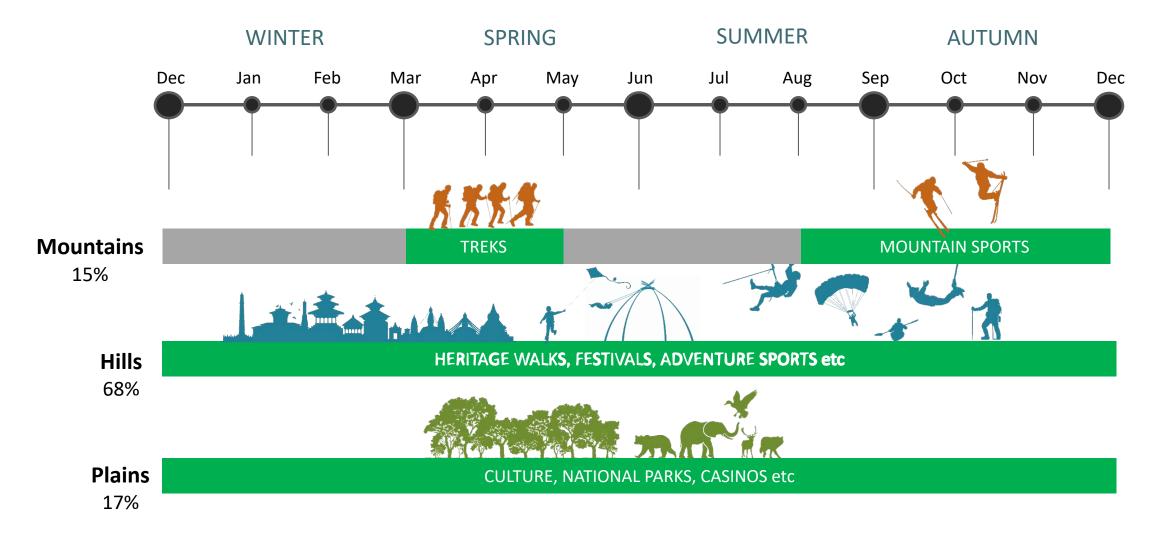
Source: Government of Nepal Ministry of Culture, Tourism and Civil Aviation

Places Visited	2018	2019
National Parks & Wildlife Reserve	395,791	429,764
Pashupati Area(excluding Indian)	163,311	171,937
Lumbini(excluding Indian Tourists	169,180	173,083
Manaslu Trekking	7371	6070
Mustang Trekking	4,116	3,739
Humla Trekking	10,814	8,670
Lower Dolpa Trekking	1,222	1,360
Kanchanjunga Trekking	970	911
Upper Dolpa Trekking	525	530



- 1. INTRODUCTION
- 2. NEPAL YOU KNOW
- 3. UNEXPLORED NEPAL







Living Cultural Museum



Elevation 60m to 8848.86m The Highest point on the Earth, Mt. Everest



Inhabited by 125 ethnic communities
Speaking 123 different languages/dialects



Destination of Nature, Culture and Adventure activities



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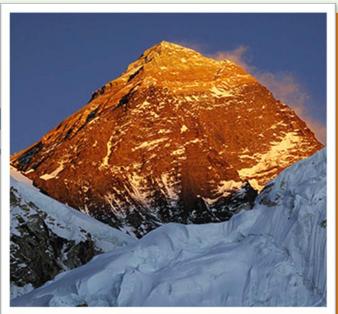
# Mt. Evere

and 8 other 8,000+ meter tall peaks

(Deepest Gorge Kaligandaki)

# Tilicho

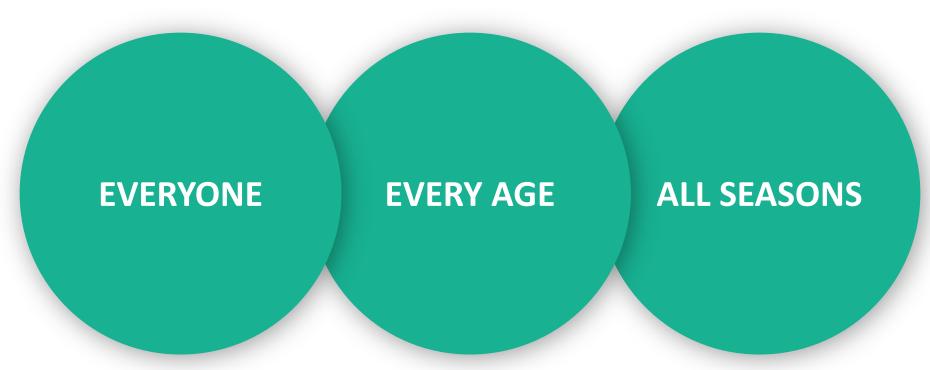
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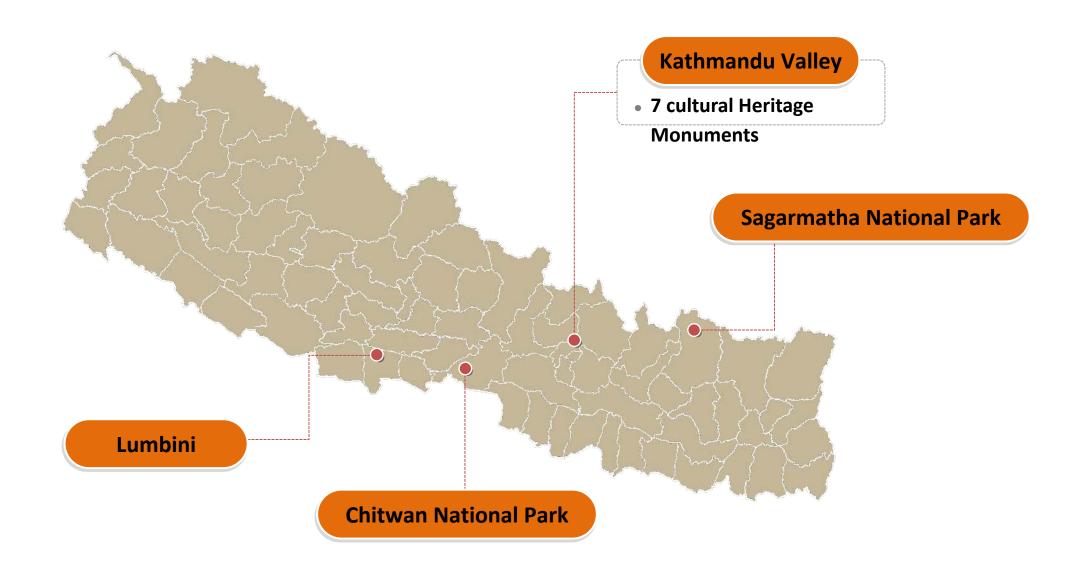


### You won't miss SUN, SAND AND SEA





### UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE SITES



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Kathmandu Durbar Square **Patan**Durbar Square

**Bhaktapur** Durbar Square

Pashupatinath Temple



**Boudhanath** Stupa



# Cultural Heritage Monuments In the KATHMANDU VALLEY

**Changunarayan** Temple















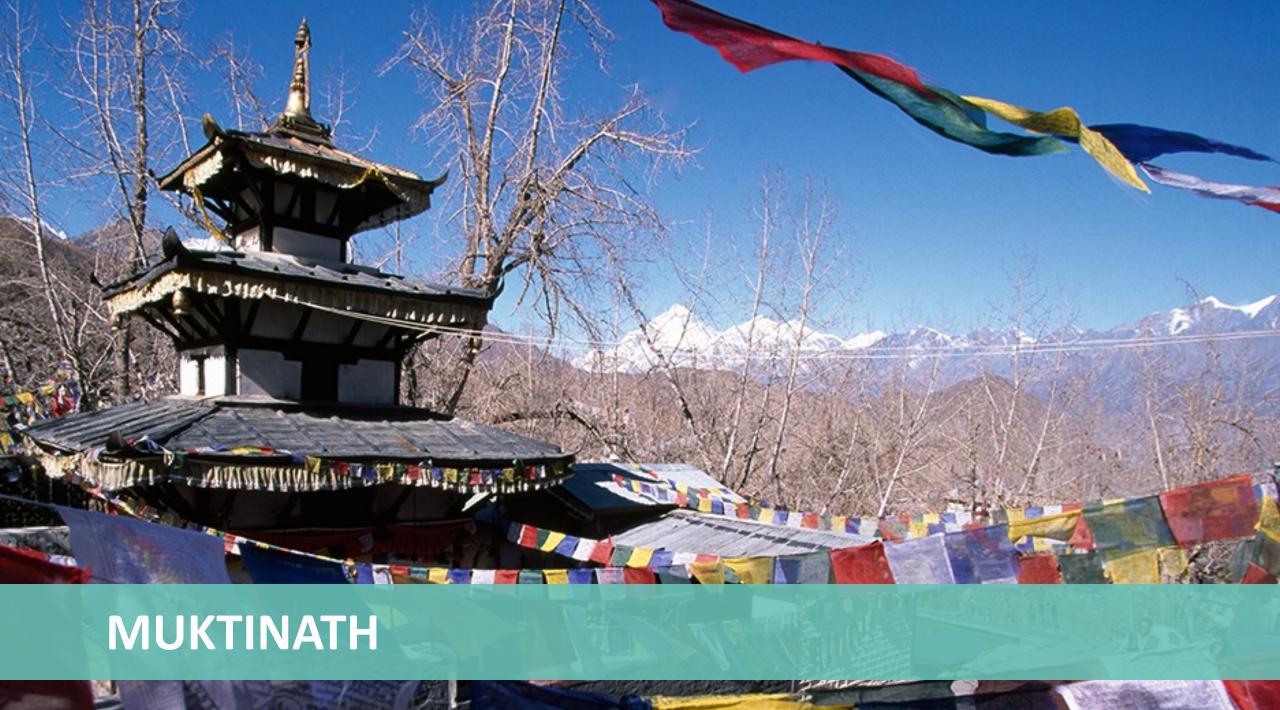
### **JANAKPUR**



LUMBINI – Mayadevi Temple



**PASHUPATINATH** – A holy shrine of Hindus





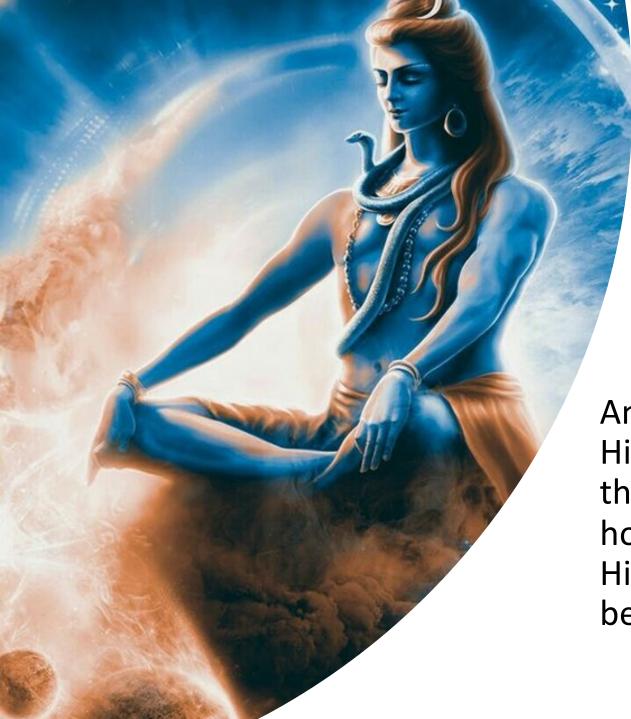
### **PATHIVARA**



SWARGADWARI: Gateway to Heaven



MANAKAMANA: Wish-Fulfilling Goddess



## Shiva Shakti Parikrama

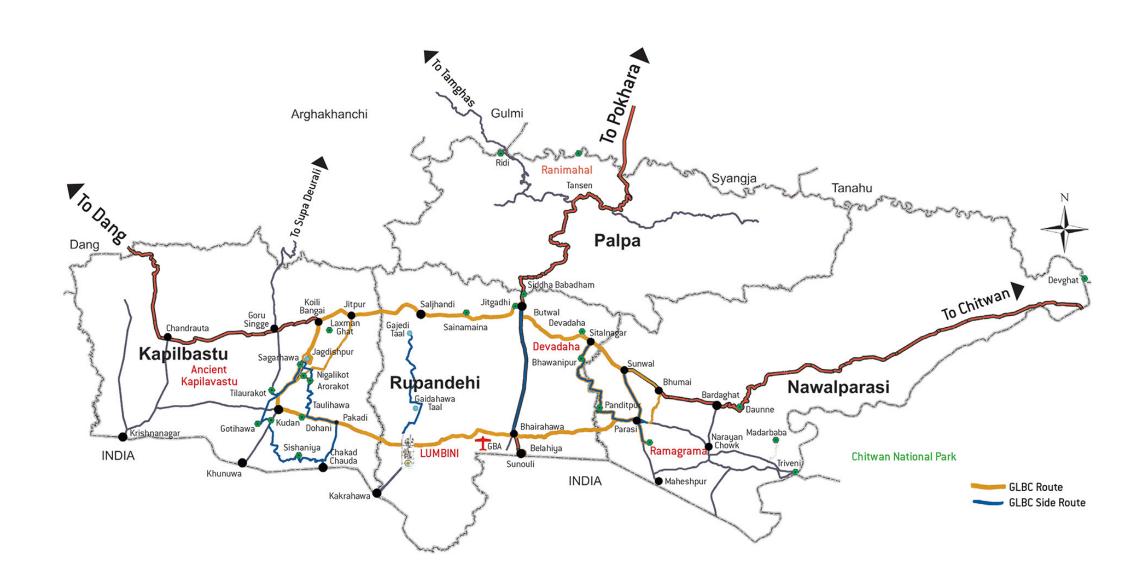
An auspicious site for the Hindus, *Devghat*, *Kali Gandaki* coming through *Muktinath* (also known as the holy abode of Lord *Vishnu*) in the western Himalayas of Nepal and *Trishuli* (known to be driven by Lord *Shiva's Trishul*).





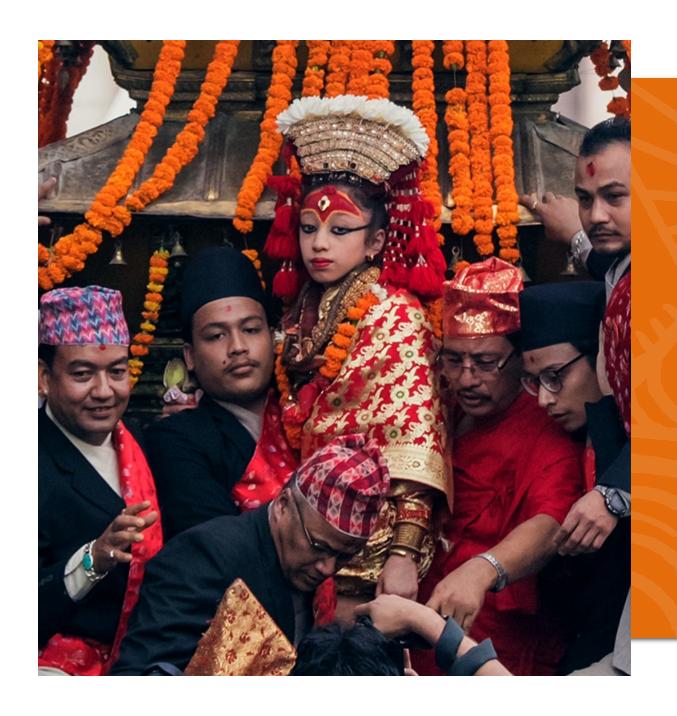
## Ramayana Circuit

### GREATER LUMBINI BUDDHIST CIRCUIT









Receive the blessing of KUMARI,

World's
Only Living Goddess

Lifetime Experiences!

### TRADITIONAL CUISINES







12 national parks



12 national parks 6 CONSERVATION AREAS



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23.39% of the Country's Total Land



## WILDLIFE



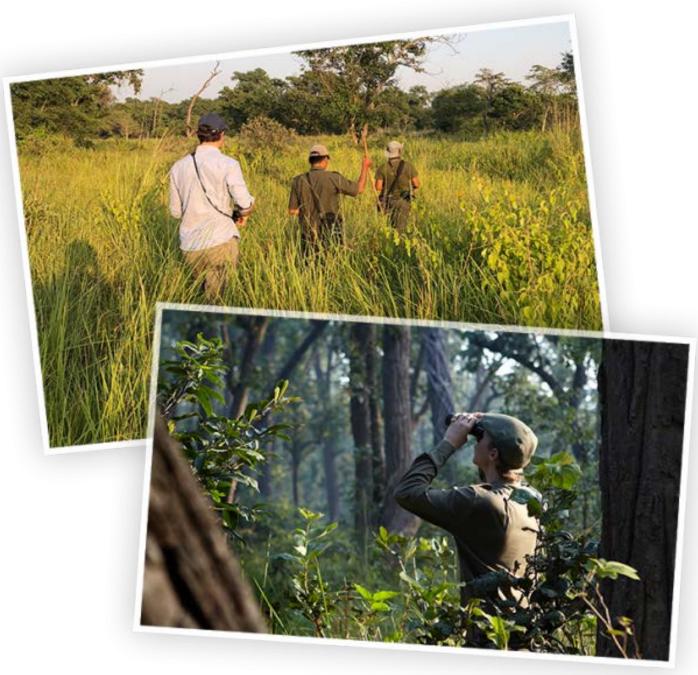


## One Horned Rhino

An Endangered Species

#### JUNGLE SAFARI









### **Major Activities**



#### Activities (Adventure to Leisure)

Land: Mountaineering, Trekking, Mountain Biking, Mountain Marathon, Rock climbing, Jungle walk, Jungle safari, Cultural treks, Rural treks, Ecotreks, Heritage walk, Heritage cycling

Water: Rafting, Kayaking, Canyoning and Abseiling, Boating, Canoeing, Fishing, Wild swimming

Air : Bunjee Jumping, Ultra light aircraft,
Paragliding, Mountain Flight, Heli
trek, Sky diving, Zip flyer, Cable cars

#### Cultural and Religious Activities

- City Tours / Village walks
- Heritage Sites, Museums and Monasteries
- Buddhist and Hindu sites
- Festival and Events
- People with different customs, costumes and ways of living
- Cuisines: vary from culture to culture and climate to climate



# Adventurer's PARADISE





## BUNGEE JUMP

FEEL THE **GRAVITY** 











## Some of the WORLD RENOWNED TREKS

Great Himalayan Trail (150 days)

Annapurna Circuit (15-20 days)

Everest Base Camp (11-14 days)

Langtang Valley Trek (8-12 days)

Gosaikunda Trek (5-7days)



## INCLUSIVE TOURISM

TRAILBLAZER IN ACCESSIBLE TREKKING









BEYOND MARKETS TO NICHE SEGMENTS

**MICE** 

**HONEYMOONERS** 

**GOLF** 

**FAMILIES** 

**CULTURE LOVERS** 

**SOFT ADVENTURE** 

**SPORTS** 

**SPA & WELLNESS HOLIDAYS** 

**MEDITATION, LIFESTYLE** 

FLIM CREWS/ FILMS LOCATIONS

**WEDDINGS** 







## IN THE WOODS

- 6,755 yard par 72 course
- The only bent grass greens on an 18 hole course in South and South East Asia.
- Play in the company of shy spotted deer, barking deer, and exuberant monkeys



### Nepal: A Film Destination



One of the naturally pristine and exotic film destinations



Hollywood, Bollywood, Tollywood, Chinese, Bangladeshi and other regional movies shot here



Nepal Regarded the sixth best film destination







## **Shopping Nepali Handicrafts**













### **DESTINATION WEDDINGS**



### WORLD CLASS ACCOMMODATION













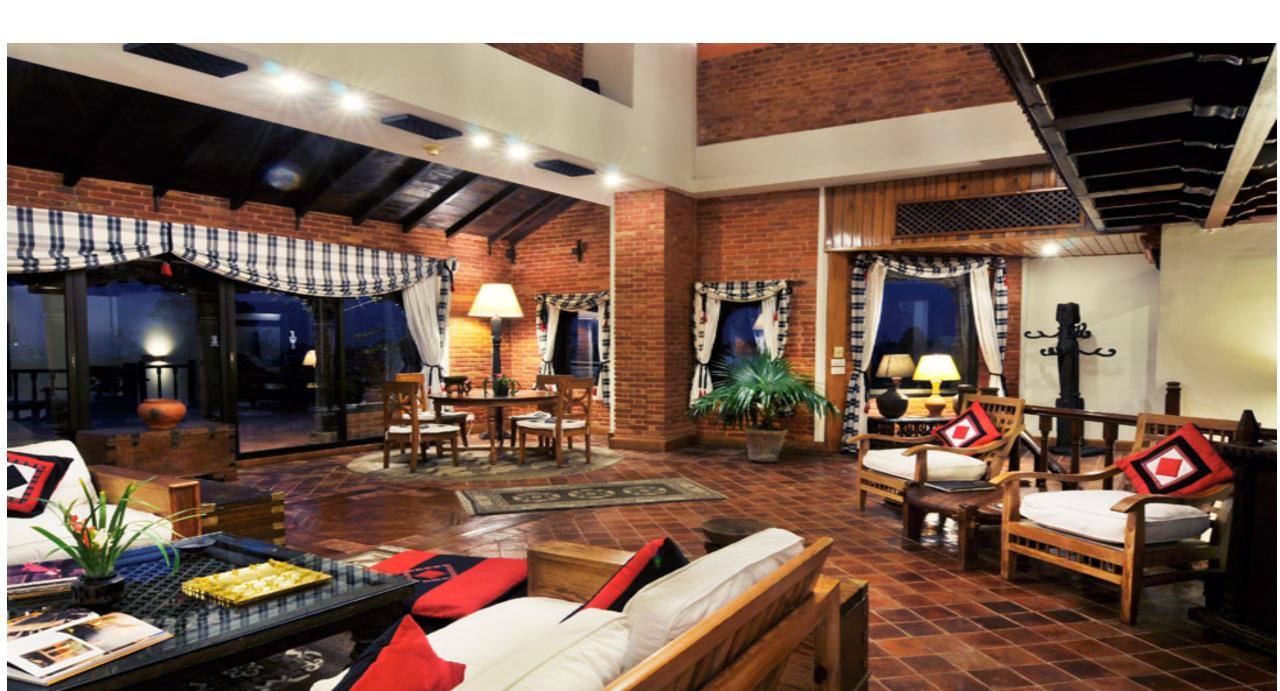
### International Chain Hotels In Nepal

- Crown Plaza
- Hyatt
- Radisson
- Marriott
- Marriott Fairfield
- Sheraton
- Hilton
- Aloft
- Dusit Thani

- Shangri-La
- Heritage Hotels
- Luxury Resorts
- Domestic Luxury Chains
- Exotic Resorts

Boutique hotels

Pavillans



















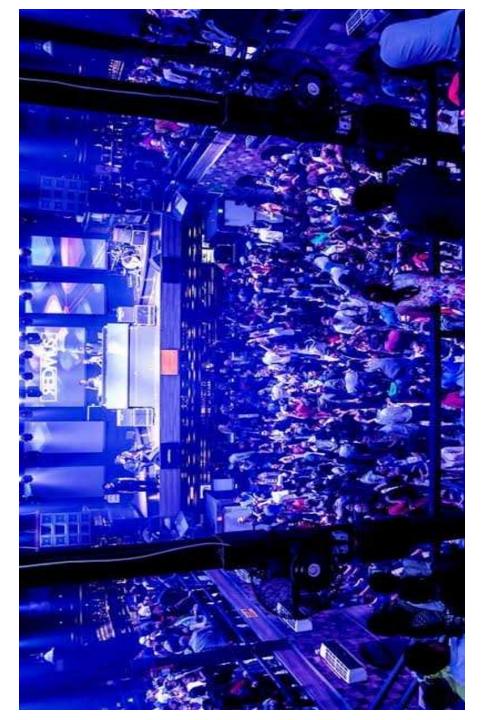




















14 Casinos9 Mini Casinos









# **HEALTH CARE FOR TOURISTS**







International Quality
Medical Facilities

Well equipped
Health Care Units and
Emergency Rescue Posts
at major trekking and
mountaineering sites

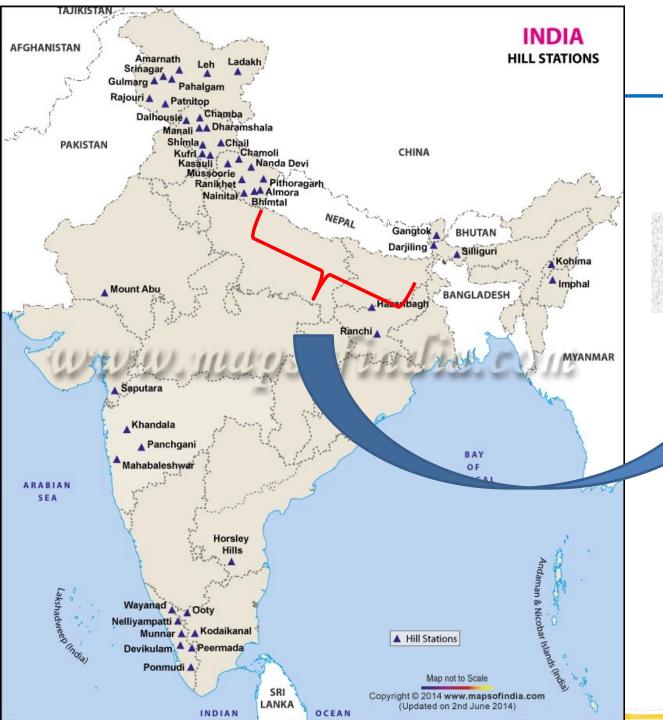
Traditional

Ayurvedic Hospitals and

Healing centers







## **Hill Stations**

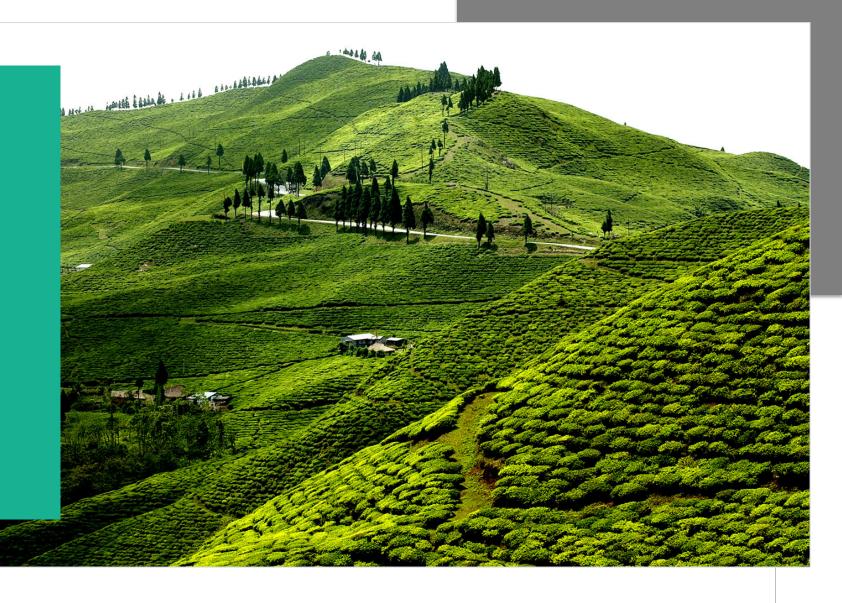


# Nepalese Hill Stations could be a major destination

TARGET:
DIFFERENT PRODUCT FOR ALL
SEASON
PRODUCT FOR ALL AGE GROUP

# ILAM

Vantage Point for Sunrise and Lush Tea Gardens



## **Tinjure Milke Jaljale**

Famous for Rhododendron Blossoms



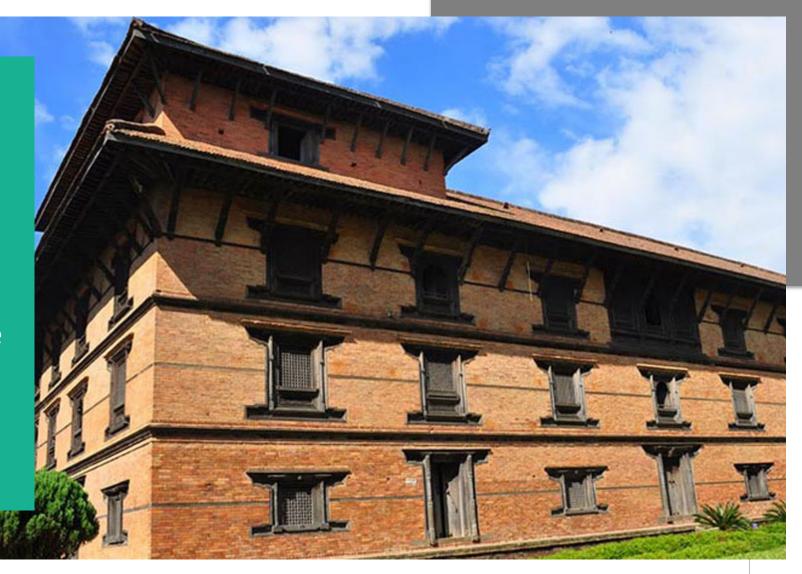
# NUWAKOT

A Historic Town





Modern History Begins here



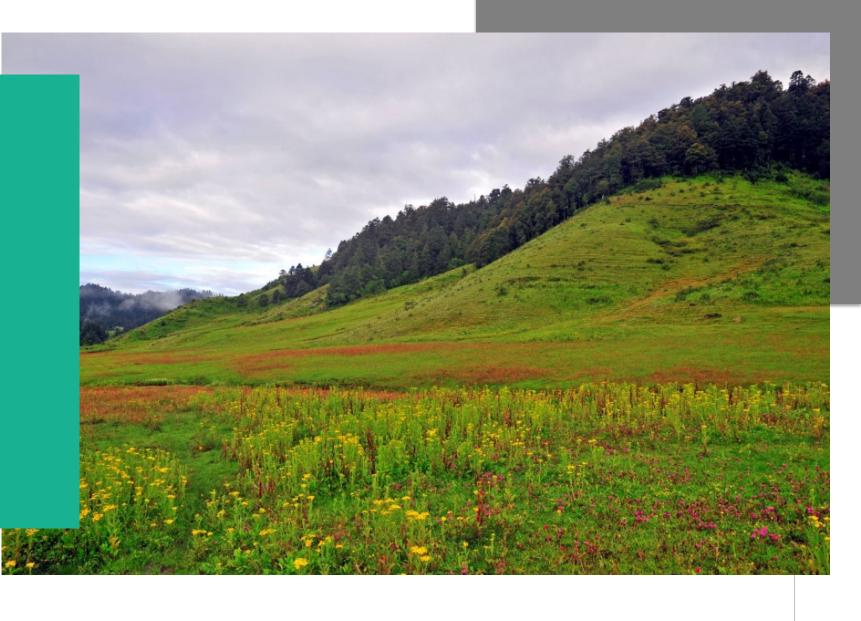
# RANI MAHAL

(Queen's Palace)
Symbol of love



# **KHAPTAD**

Center for Meditation and Medicinal Herbs





Experience Local Homestays





Participate in local cultural activities



Relish local cuisines



Walk into the Jungle



Spot antelopes in the wild



Rejoice the company at Riverside



## **Sunny Mid Hills from Dawn to Dusk**



## **Fresh Water Beach**





## South Asian Countries

(Nepal, India, Sri lanka, Maldives, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Pakistan)



- Best of the world's attraction
- Highest peaks to oldest civilization
- Rich and unique cultural diversity
- Exquisite cuisine,
- Extremely diverse and vast array of geography
- Splendid archaeological monuments, historic sites of religious significance
- Land of ancient Yoga, Ayurveda & meditation















## **DIRECT FLIGHT CONNECTIVITY**





## **Flight Connectivity (Normal Condition)**



Destination	Available Carrier	Frequency
	Nepal Airlines Everyday 2 flights	14 Flights a week
	IndiGO Everyday 2 flights	14 Flights a week
	Air India Everyday 1 flight	7 Flights a week
Delhi	Vistara Everyday 1 flight	7 Flights a week
	Druk Airlines 4 Flights a week	4 Flights a week

Destination	Available Carrier	Frequency	
Kolkata	Air India	5 Flights a week	
Bangalore	Nepal Airlines	3 Flights a week	
	Nepal Airlines	3 Flights a week	
Mumbai	IndiGO	4-6 flights a week (expected from July)	
Varanasi	Buddha Airlines	2 Flights a week	





## **Flight Connectivity (Normal Condition)**



Destination	Available Carrier	Frequency
Bangladesh	Biman Bangladesh Everyday (KTM-DAC)	7 Flights a week
	Himalayan Airlines 6 Days Except Tuesday (KTM-DAC)	6 Flights a week
Bhutan	Druk Airlines Everyday (PBH-KTM)	7 Flights a week
Srilanka	No Direct Connectivity (Via DEL/MUM/CCU/BLR)	NA
Pakistan	No Direct Connectivity (Via Dubai, Abudhabi)	NA





## Country Specific Arrival Data in last 5 Years

Year	India	Bangladesh	Pakistan	Bhutan	Sri Lanka
2016	118249	23440	3551	NA	57521
2017	160832	29060	4227	10923	45361
2018	194323	26355	4956	NA	69640
2019	254150	25849	4923	11676	55869
2020	40336	4917	1077	2139	13328



### **DIPLOMATIC PRESENCE**

### **EMBASSY OF NEPAL**

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Website: http://ccu.nepalconsulate.gov.np/



activities

# **Present Situation in Nepal**



**Operational Gu** for Tourism Sect

- Tourism the hardest hit sector by COVID 19 pandemic
- All sectors and activities gradually opening with optimum caution and preparedness

• Operational Guidelines - Health Protocol for Tourism Sector



















### **FOR VISITORS**



Printed CCMC form filled Confirmation (Barcode) available at ccmc.gov.np



PCR Report
COVID 19 PCR Report (Negative) of 72 hours
prior to departure time is required



Hotel booking
Furnish the proof of booking in government listed hotel for 07 days hotel quarantine



In quarantine period

Has to get COVID-19 PCR test on 7<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> day of arrival



**Every visitor has to abide by the quarantine rules** 

**PCR Report With** 

Photo

**Identification &** 

**Bar Code** 

## Subjected to Home Quarantine of 10 days Upon Arrival



Passengers with complete Covid-19 vaccination certificate



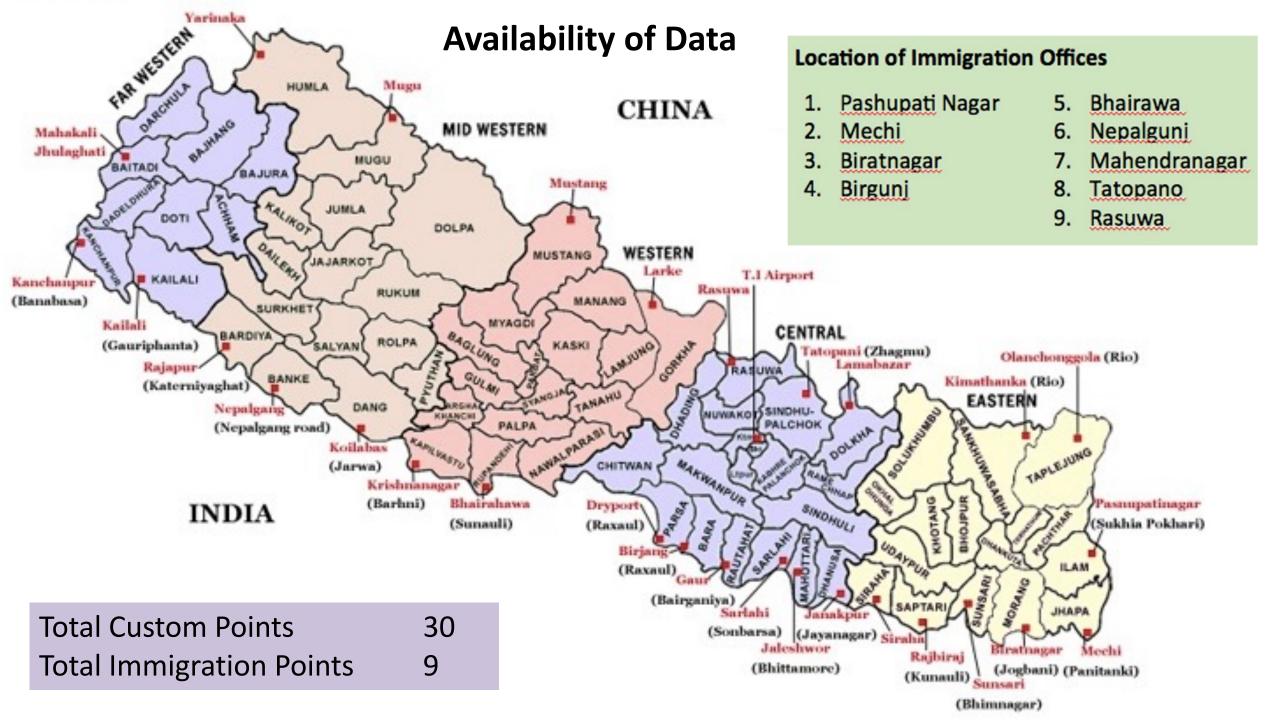
Arriving Nepal for emergency like for funerals & mourning with recommendation from local body



Sick people as well as their carrier, citizens above 70 years, children below 5 years-certified by hospitals and recommendation from local body



Government employees, diplomats and their families, individuals/volunteers involved in rescue mission abroad & Nepalis stranded abroad based on their mission/ office recommendation







# **Indian High Level Visits**

 PM Narendra Modi visited religious sites like Janakpur and Muktinath

 Recently high level visits from India like Chief of Indian Army, Foreign Secretary and other dignitaries show our strong mutual relations even during the adverse situation of COVID19.



# **Indian High Level Visits**









# Initiatives with South Asian Countries and Bilateral Relation



## Resuming direct flights between Kathmandu and Islamabad my foremost priority: Pak Envoy Shah

Ambassador Shah visited the office of the Nagarik Network in Kamaladi on Wednesday afternoon. ... Nepal and Pakistan, which enjoy cordial relations, are also members of SAARC and Belt and Road Initiatives (BRI). ... He also Apr 1, 2021



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## Bilateral Relations between Bangladesh and Nepal reach new height: Dr. Islam

Bangladesh expressed hopes that a high-level visit from Nepal ... the SAARC mandate and diplomatic affiliation with the regional force, India.

Nov 7, 2020



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### Economic Diplomacy a must to consolidate bilateral relations between Bangladesh and Sri Lanka: Dr. Islam

Among the eight SAARC nations, Bangladesh is important for Sri Lanka ... Moreover, regular high-level visits in both directions serve to cement ... Mar 9, 2021





### Will work towards better, robust and active economic relations with Nepal: Sri Lankan Ambassador

Most of the SAARC countries have a similar culture. ... If you look at the numbers of tourists visiting Lumbini from Sri Lanka, we are among the top 5 in inbound tourists. ... Despite a significant number of Sri Lankan tourists visiting Feb 15, 2021



# Initiatives with South Asian Countries and Bilateral Relation



Pakistan Today

#### 'Neighbourhood first' policy: Dreams and realities

It is also a fact that all members of SAARC, Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan, and Sri ... between China and the USA, culminating in the strategic visit of American President Nixon to Beijing. ... However, China 3 weeks ago





The Kathmandu Post

#### Nepal yet to give its nod to Indian proposal to hold minister ...

Nepal yet to give its nod to Indian proposal to hold minister-level talks ... Gyawali will be the senior most political leader to visit New Delhi after Nepal ... about regional cooperation including resumption of the SAARC process? Dec 10, 2020





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### Modi government's approach towards India's smaller neighbours is pushing them closer to China

In the midst of a raging second wave of Covid-19, Nepal has 15 lakh ... New Delhi's declining democratic credentials, poor rate of economic ... As a senior Bangladesh diplomat told me, "India may be our brother but China is our 4 days ago





### Nepal-Bangladesh ties expected to enter new era with President's state visit

High level visits are found very useful in renewing mutual ties as well as exploring ... The Government of Bangladesh has provided Nepal transit facility ... for Regional Cooperation (SAARC), to the obstructed SAARC process. Mar 21, 2021





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### I will take home the image of Nepalis cheering Pakistani team during SAG: Ambassador Javed

Ambassador Javed came to Nepal in February, 2016, and left the country ... These included high level visits, exchanges, MoUs, seminars, ... Convening of the SAARC Summit in Pakistan has been stalled for nearly four years. Oct 20, 2020





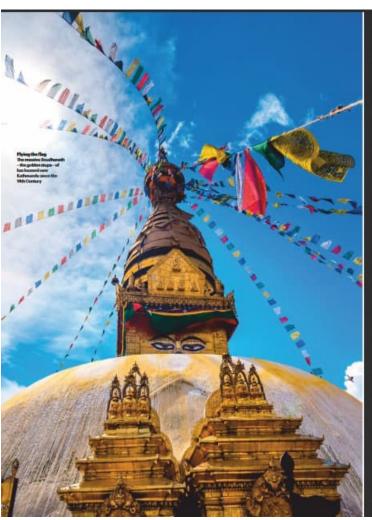
### A reset of India-Nepal relations

Interdependence between India and Nepal is the secret to reset the ... Indian Prime Minister, Narendra Modi, visited Nepal four times during his ... S. Jaishankar, happens to be the highest-level mechanism between ... Bhutan,



## One of the potential destinations for rejuvenation post COVID-19 - Wanderlust -







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Europe & Asia

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Jamie May, Oasis Overland **Gu tac** (20063 383400), www.oostoverland.co.uk

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