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Lucknow is now a UNESCO ‘Creative City of Gastronomy’:

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Lucknow has officially been declared a UNESCO ‘Creative City of Gastronomy’ during the 43rd Session of the UNESCO General Conference, currently under way in Uzbekistan.

About UNESCO Creative City Network (UCCN):

It was created in 2004. The network covers **seven creative fields** namely **Crafts and Folk Art, Design, Film, Gastronomy, Literature, Media Arts and Music**.

To promote co-operation among cities that identified creativity as a strategic factor for sustainable urban development.

The UNESCO Creative Cities aims to achieve Sustainable Development Goals 11 through innovative thinking and action to benefit communities at the urban level.

Note: No Indian cities in the field of Media Arts and Design

The following Indian Cities are in UCCN

Indian Cities	Creative Fields
Jaipur	Crafts& Folk Arts (2015)
Varanasi	Music (2015)
Chennai	Music (2017)
Mumbai	Film (2019)
Hyderabad	Gastronomy (2019)
Srinagar	Crafts& Folk Arts (2022)
Kozhikode	Literature (2023)
Gwalior	Music (2023)
Lucknow	Gastronomy (2025)

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