## Mauritius to invest in religious tourism & food processing

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Former president and PM of Mauritius, Anerood Jugnauth, who is now defence minister and the mentor of the present government, said here on Wednesday that UP had a close emotional connect with his country and it was looking forward to invest in the country.

"We have all gathered here for a better future of Uttar Pradesh from where our ancestors had migrated to Mauritius. Our country wants



Ex-PM of Mauritius Anerood Jugnauth addresses a session at the UP Investors Summit

strong ties with UP," he said while speaking at the inaugural session on Wednesday Participating as the representative of Mauritius which is a partner country at the summit, Jugnauth said that India was just like an elder brother to his country and the ties between the two have strengthened during the Modi government.

Talking abou the investment preferences of his country, the veteran politician said that there was lot of scope in the fields of religious tourism, agriculture and food processing and Maurtius was looing forward to invest in these sectors.