



RASHTRASANT TUKADOJI MAHARAJ NAGPUR UNIVERSITY

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URGENT

To,
All the Principal of All Affiliated & Conducted colleges
All the Heads, P.G. Departments, R. T. M. Nagpur University,
Nagpur

Subject : 13th Maharashtra State Inter-University Research Festival
AVISHKAR-2018 ” Organization of Inter-Collegiate
Competition

Dear Sir/Madam,

This is to inform you that, this year Gondwana University, Gadchiroli is organizing the 13^h Maharashtra State Inter-University Research Festival “**AVISHKAR-2018**” on January 15th – 17th, 2019. This competition will be conducted at three stages. The P.G. Departments, affiliated & conducted colleges/institutions will have to conduct college level (stage-I) to shortlist the teams for participation at further stages. The details are given in the enclosed guidelines. All the P.G. Departments, Colleges and Institutions are expected to participate in this competition. In case, you need any help/guidance, please contact coordinators of this event Dr. Medha Kanetkar (Mobile No. +919970934336), Dr. Bharat A. Bhanvase (Mobile:+91-9850637449) and Dr. Nishikant A. Raut, (Mobile No. 09422803768) for all the activities of **AVISHKAR-2018**. The guidelines alongwith entry form are available on the University website www.nagpuruniversity.org.

Thanking you,

Director



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AVISHKAR – 2018

This year the Gondwana University, Gadchiroli is organizing the 13th Maharashtra State Inter-University Research Festival “AVISHKAR-2018” in the month of January 2019. Avishkar hosts a galaxy of events aiming and boosting the scientific, technological and management skills in today's youth. It provides them an opportunity to showcase their fields of expertise. In the first stage, the college level competition will be organized and the best entries will be selected for onward participation at University level and Inter-University Competition. All the colleges are expected to participate in this competition aiming and providing a common platform to young and inquisitive minds.

AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

- To inculcate research culture among students
- To encourage original and novel thinking/ideas
- To provide an opportunity for expression of academic talent
- To promote interaction among academic, R & D Institutes and Industries

MODE OF SELECTION

College Level Competition

The colleges and institutions will conduct competitions at their level in the categories mentioned below before December 26th, 2018 and shortlist two projects from each category for UG/PG, Research Students & Teachers **(Only full time regular teachers pursuing research for their M. Phil./Ph. D. degree are eligible)** for participation at University Level.

Note: The M. Phil./Ph.D. student and teacher candidate will be required to produce certificate (with attested photograph) from the Head of the Institute (place of research), where they are pursuing their research.

The colleges and institutions will have to submit details of projects (two from each category) on or before 29th December, 2018 to the organizing College Coordinator Dr. (Mrs.) Medha Kanetkar for AVISHKAR-2018 via email medhakanetkar@gmail.com and in the form of CD/DVD with one printed copy to Director, Students' Development Department organizing Stage II competition (dkknu@yahoo.com).

IMPORTANT NOTES

- Only ONE Candidate/Student from the group for a single project will be allowed to present the work.
- There are no restrictions of subjects. Any student from any discipline can participate under any category.
- Name of the college or participant is not allowed on the exhibit.
- The participant/college/institute has to submit the details of the participants and shortlisted projects in prescribed format in soft copies to the organizing College Coordinator for AVISHKAR-2018 via email (medhakanetkar@gmail.com) and in the form of CD/DVD with one printed copy.
- It is mandatory for participant and mentor to provide their contact details (preferably mobile number) including email IDs for further correspondence.

University Level

The short listed candidates from College Level will be required to present their projects at Inter-Collegiate (University Level) Research Competition AVISHKAR to be held at CP & Berar E.S. College, Mahal Rd, Tulsi Bagh, Mahal, Nagpur, Maharashtra 440032 on 3rd and 4th January, 2019. Detailed programme is given below.

| Name of the Organizing College | Coordinator/Contact Number | Date |
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| CP & Berar E.S. College, Mahal Rd, Tulsi Bagh, Mahal, Nagpur, Maharashtra 440032 Email: contact@cpberar.co.in Website: www.cpberar.co.in Dr. Milind Barhate, Principal (Phone No. 0712-2722329; Email : info@cpberar.co.in) Mobile No. 9823140032 | College Coordinator: Dr. Medha Kanetkar Avishkar 2018, C.P. & Berar College, Nagpur Email Id : medhakanetkar@gmail.com Mobile No. : +919970934336 | January 3 rd and 4 th , 2019 |

Training Program

A training program for the selected candidates for University Level will be organized on January 8th, 2019 to prepare the candidates for presentations at University Level. **At University Level only one candidate per entry will participate.** Details of training program will be notified separately via email to respective institutes and participants.

Inter-University Competition at Gondwana University, Gadchiroli

The selected team at University Level will be required to present their projects at Inter-University Research Competition AVISHKAR-2018 to be held at Gondwana University, Gadchiroli from in the month of January 2019.

Programme for University Level

Date: 03.01.2019

Time: 9.00 am to 11.00 am

Registration

Models and Posters in the form of exhibition shall be displayed.

Time: 12.30 to 5.00 pm

Models and Posters will be judged by the subject experts in the field.

Experts will shortlist the candidates for oral presentation.

Date: 04.01.2019

Time: 10.am to 5.00 pm.

Oral Presentation

Oral presentations will be strictly by students of UG, PG, M. Phil./Ph. D. and Teachers selected in each category.



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AVISHKAR-2018

Guidelines for the Participants

01. Projects should be in the form of live demonstration/models/posters (1 m x 1 m size) and should bring out innovative work and ideas in their respective categories.
02. The college/institution can send maximum two entries each from Under Graduate, Post Graduate, Research level (M. Phil/Ph.D.), and teachers pursuing research for their M.Phil./Ph.D. degree in every discipline.
03. Participants are expected to display their projects before the panel of subject experts nominated by the authorities. The subject experts will shortlist the entries for oral presentation.
04. Each oral presentation (Power Point format only) will be given 5 minutes followed by questions and answers for 2 minutes.
05. **Each participating team should have only one student engaged in the project (model).**
06. Infrastructural facilities like working space, electricity, water, tables, mounting boards, LCD projector etc., will be made available to the participants by the organizing college on prior information.
07. For requirements other than the above mentioned facilities, participants should inform the in-charge well in advance.
08. Registration is compulsory for all participants **(Registration fee for Rs. 100/- per participant).**
09. Each participant is eligible to get the participation certificate by the University.
10. The decision of subject experts/judges will be final and binding on all participants.
11. All winning participants will be informed about their selection on the 4th January 2019.

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS FOR PARTICIPANTS

- The entries must be forwarded through Principal/Head of the Institution.
- Maximum two entries in each category will be accepted for University Level Competition.
- The participating teams will have to register themselves **on or before December 29, 2018** for the university level competition.
- The participating candidate should carry the ID card of the college/institute.

- Each participating college will have to make their own arrangement for lodging and boarding for the participating members.
- Name of the college or participant is not allowed on the exhibit.

CATEGORIES FOR PARTICIPANTS

- Humanities, Languages, Fine Arts, etc. (HLF)
- Commerce, Management, Law, etc. (CML)
- Pure Sciences including Home Science (PS)
- Agriculture and Animal Husbandry (AG)
- Engineering and Technology (E&T)
- Medicine and Pharmacy (MP)

Interdisciplinary projects will also be accepted for presentation. However, the candidates must specify the category in which their project is to be placed.



Director



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NAGPUR**

AVISHKAR 2018

(13th Maharashtra State Inter-University Research Convention)

**INFORMATION OF THE PARTICIPANTS
(PROFORMA – III)**

Passport size
photograph of
participant be
fixed here

Signature of
participant

Please furnish the PROFORMA in TWO hard copies and a soft copy on or before 29th December 2018. Please use separate PROFORMA for each participant (maximum 48 participants).

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| Name of the participant (In Capital Letters) | |
| Date of Birth [DD/MM/YYYY] | |
| Mobile No. | |
| E-mail ID | |
| Class / year studying | |
| Name of category/ theme | |
| Title of poster/ model / presentation | |
| Presentation mode: poster / Model | |
| Level of participation: UG/PG/PPG/ Teacher | |
| Facilities required for Model/ Poster (Table, Water, Electricity supply etc.) | |
| Abstract (Max. 200 words) | Attached Separate Sheet and soft Copy of Abstract. |

***All fields are Mandatory**

Signature and Stamp of Principal