GNQ

INQUIVESTA X

MANUAL

OVERVIEW & PURPOSE

It is a known fact that humans like to be tested and to compete against each other to assert dominance over the opposition. It has historically been proven that it is the Brain and Brawn who comes out on top. Quizzing provides a brilliant activity to keep the same spirit of competition with your opponents using your brainpower by forcing one to think outside the box to work on trivia-based questions, with the hints or relations that are to be searched for in the questions. With this same objective in mind, we bring you GNQ, The Quizzing event of INQUIVESTA X!

ABOUT THE QUIZMASTER

The Quizmaster is the person who prepares the quiz material, enforces the rules during the event, and conducts the quiz. The Quizmaster's decisions in case of ambiguities/confusions are final and are to be respected by all participants in the good spirit of quizzing.

The Quizmaster for GNQ is none other than **Arijit Sen**! Arijit, a techie by profession and a quizmaster by passion, has conducted pan India quizzes for schools, colleges, and corporate houses like ITC, Cadburys, SBI, IBM, etc. As a techie, he has worked with Wipro, Consultree, and Apple. He is currently a Strategy Lead with Capgemini India, and he also runs an L&D organization OutShine Learning. He is an alumnus of DBPC, PESIT-Bangalore, and Monash University-Australia. He is also a Rotary President and a Freemason.

He conducts quizzes under the outfit, XQUIZIT - who organize the Kolkata Quiz Festival annually.

FORMAT

The theme of the quiz shall be General Theme. As INQUIVESTA X is a Science Festival, you may encounter a tinge of Science.

The quiz shall be conducted in two rounds, the first round being the elimination round. The top 8 teams from this round (need to confirm this with the QM) shall proceed to the final round to battle for the grand prize! (Format is mostly going to be this, shall confirm with QM asap and revert this to the final thing)

TIMELINE

The Event is to be conducted on 1st April 2023, starting at 12 pm. There shall be a break of 30 minutes between the elimination and final rounds as a lunch break for the participants and audience.

VENUE

The venue for the event shall be LHC 107 or TRC (Arena management members finalize this and edit here accordingly), IISER Kolkata Campus

Campus Address: IISER Kolkata, Campus Road, Mohanpur, West Bengal - 741246

PRIZE POOL

First Place - Rs. 1,500

Second Place - Rs. 1,200

Third Place - Rs. 900

Fourth Place - Rs. 150

Fifth Place - Rs. 150

Sixth Place - Rs. 150

Seventh Place - Rs. 150

Eighth Place - Rs. 150

BUDGET

- Amount to be **spent** as an honorarium for the Quizmaster - Rs.5000
- Amount to be **spent** for lunch for Quizmaster - Rs.250 approx
- Amount to be **spent** for the sheets and pens - Rs. 250 approx
- Amount to be **received** from registrations (expecting around 20 teams) - Rs. 3000
- Total amount to be **spent** for Prize Money - Rs. 4350

Thus, the total amount expected from the Inquivesta organizers' side - Rs. 6,850