



# Aurora'20

———— ABV-IIIITM, Gwalior ————

'Ensnaring Thy Senses'

14th – 16th February, 2020

17th National Cultural Fest

# ABOUT US

Aurora the cultural fest of IIITM Gwalior has set its benchmark amidst all the cultural fests of India, witnessing an enormous participation of over 40k+students from various corners of India. Aurora dovetails all the different colors and flavors of India together in one place and makes the colors come alive with its jinx, casting a spell on the audience.

The history of Aurora is woven strongly into that of IIITM Gwalior. Aurora was first celebrated in the year 2001. To a large number of spectators, it is an absolutely 'wow' experience with art, music and culture that they will cherish forever. To the participants, it is the mother of opportunities to compete with the best of their peers in the country.



# THEME

The oldest and strongest emotion of mankind is fear. It unearths our deepest nightmares and anxieties and truly pushes the limits of human emotions.

Aurora'20 aspires to celebrate the feeling of fear with surreal experiences, adrenaline floods, and chills of passion. We are here to provide an escapade together with the world of terror and amusement. Let's dare the darkness, throw off the shackles of apprehension and create memories of a lifetime.

Presenting, Aurora'20: "Conjure the Eerie"

A person wearing a dark suit, a red tie, and a vest. Their head is replaced by a carved jack-o'-lantern with glowing yellow eyes and a wide, toothy grin. They are holding a bundle of sticks or branches over their shoulder. The background is dark and textured, possibly a wall or a night scene.

# PARIVESH

The fashion show extravaganza will be one of the flagship events where students from different varsities and domains will come forth to showcase their creativity and thinking heights with the blasting show of beauty, fashion and boldness. This year we tend to promote versatile Indian culture with a blend of uniqueness and creativity.



# CORNA

The Corna event will be one of the flagship events where multiple bands will compete amongst each other to prove their mettle on the stage while rocking and winning the audience with their stringing guitars and drums enthralling the audience. This will be a mega event in itself which will also form one of the pro-nights.



# MR. AND MS. AURORA

Being different and charismatic is a boon. Being born with a wonderful personality, why not showcase it? Here is an opportunity. Mr and Miss Aurora(MnM) is coming this Aurora 2020 to let you explore the hidden potential in yourself and give you the chance to be the face of Aurora. MnM, a talent hunt to test your confidence, aptitude, IQ and your wits.



# STEP UP

This is a dance competition. Calling all dancers to step up and take the stage. The stage gives you the chance to flaunt your best moves and elegance. Melt the stage with your skills. Show us if you have what it takes to be the best dancer.





# STEP UP

## Dance

This is a Solo/Duet dance competition. This is a Solo/Duet dance competition.

## Dance Group

This is a Group dance competition. Display your team brilliance, be the star of the stage that's all yours.

## Street Dance

Gather your crew and own the streets with your moves and elegance.

## Step-Up Final battle

This is a fusion dance competition, where top teams from individual categories will participate with each other and be the star of StepUp.





# EUMELIA

The Singing events will be a bundle of various sub events where participants would present their vocal and instrumental skills and sing their hearts to please the ears of the audience. We intend to provide stage to singers and musicians to present their best show here in the domains of music, classical singing and modern singing etc.



# EUMELIA

## A-capella

It will focus on the various domains of Free Style Singing without instrumental accompaniment.

## Acoustic corner

It will be a dedicated event to appreciate the music of the instruments.

## Raag

It is a purely instrumental and vocal music fiesta which will be aimed to enthuse the audience with raw music.

A man in a dark suit and white shirt is depicted against a dark, stormy background. His head is replaced by a bright, flaming torch. He holds a dark umbrella in his right hand. The overall mood is dramatic and artistic.

# Le ARTE FIESTA

Art is as natural as sunshine and as vital as nourishment. Le Arte Fiesta involves the amalgamation of various events which will showcase the creative and artistic talents of young minds. Le Arte Fiesta shall include events which will be held at regular intervals throughout the 3 days of Aurora and engage participants throughout.

A man in a dark suit and white shirt, with a flaming head, holding a cane. The background is dark and smoky.

# Le ARTE FIESTA

## Best out of Waste

It will be an event based on our social responsibility theme of Waste Management.

## Naqaab

Ever thought about art in a quirky way? That it is not always a serious issue of expression of emotions but a way to have fun? If yes, then paint your buddy's face on the given theme to nick prizes away!

## On-spot sketching and painting

"Painting is silent poetry, and poetry is painting that speaks."

## Graffathon

## Doodly-doo (online)

# THE PICTURE

Various acting and videography enthusiasts would be making short films that will be screened during the course of Aurora and the best of all the contending movies will win the ultimate prize. In the various themes that will be chosen, the various photographers of the IITM, and other varsities will click the beautiful pictures germane to those themes.



# THE PICTURE

## Panorama

The photography competition will be a one of a kind masterful event where the participants will be clicking snaps on various themes, including the three day final show.

## Short Movie making

In this students with interest and prowess in the movie making domains come forwards with their short movies. This event will also bring out the talents of the participants or the students in domains like film editing, cinematography etc.

## Portray It (Photo Story Competition)



# LITERARY EVENTS

## Open Mic

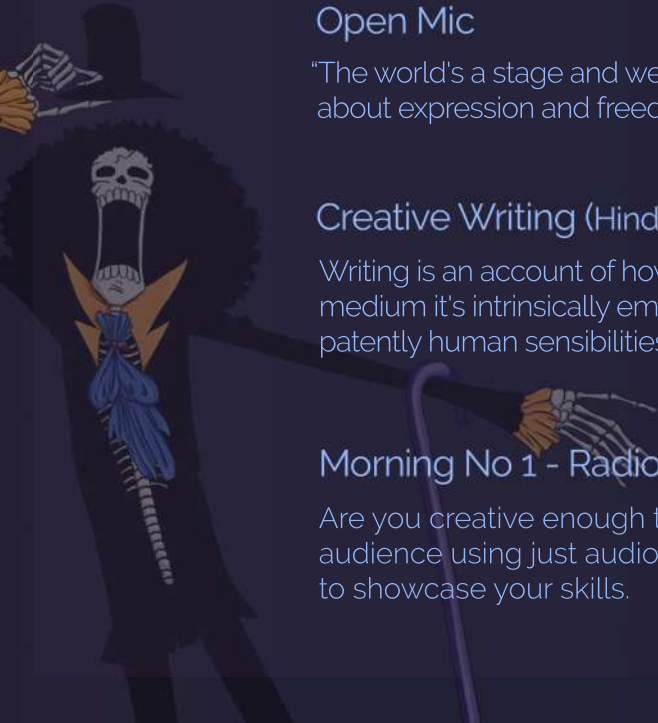
"The world's a stage and we are all artists." Art is all about expression and freedom of speech.

## Creative Writing (Hindi and English)

Writing is an account of how people think. As a medium it's intrinsically empathic, it communicates patently human sensibilities.

## Morning No 1 - Radio

Are you creative enough to entertain a mass audience using just audio? This is the right platform to showcase your skills.







# NUKKAD NATAK

Nukkad Natak is a form of theatrical performance and presentation in outdoor public spaces. Its an old tool through which lot of social awareness campaigns have gained strength, such as family planning, girls education, child labour etc.

"All the world's a stage, and all the men  
and women merely players"

– William Shakespeare



# INFORMAL Events

1. IPL Auction
2. Aptitude Quiz
3. BIT Quiz
4. CineBinge Quiz
5. Tik-a-tok (online)
6. Treasure Hunt (online)



# GAMING

Are you a true gamer? Is Virtual world your Reality? This is the place for you. Aurora brings you this battle of Gamers. Go ahead and Prove yourself the best.

PlayerUnknown's Battlegrounds  
(PUBG)

Counter Strike (CS:GO)



# PROMOTIONAL Activities

## Flash Mob

This is your chance to free yourself and express the best. Hop around with your friends in a Flash Mob Dance.

## Street Play

Street Play is a form of theatrical performance and presentation in outdoor public spaces. Main theme of street play is social responsibility

# EDM NIGHT

EDM Pronight features a well-known and acclaimed DJ who will be producing Electronic Dance Music to get the feats of the audience thumping. The night is fuelled by a broad range of percussive music genres.



**DJ Tejas**

Top Ranked by BBC Online Radio in Friction's "Electro East"

# HEADLINING BAND

A highly renowned band will be called to the institute for a live concert. This mega event will be one of the flagship events and also one of the greatest attractions of the entire Aurora 2020.



**The Local Train**

Indian Hindi rock band famous for 'Aaoge Tum Kabhi' and 'Choo Lo'.



**Nalayak Band**



**Astitva Band**



**Ashwamedha Band**

# PRONIGHT



Jonita Gandhi



Shalmali Kholgade



Shibani Kashyap



Neeti Mohan



Neeraj Shridhar



Benny Dayal





PT. VISHWAMOHAN BHATT



UMA SHARMA

# PRO SHOWS



KUNAL GANJAWALA



KUMAR VISHWAS


# Throwback to *Aurora*'18



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# SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

A person wearing a white mask with dark eye sockets and a dark, hooded jacket is riding a red bicycle. The person is positioned on the left side of the frame, facing right. The background is dark and textured.

Aurora Social Responsibility is a campaign to promote awareness regarding various pressing social issues prevalent in the city and bring participation from various stakeholders to curb those issues. Our cultural fest will not only provide entertainment, but will also serve the purpose of enlightening people regarding the various issues surrounding them. This year the ASR will be emphasizing mainly on **Cleanliness and Waste Management**. Aurora Social Responsibility will act as a linkage between the institute, the community and the surroundings to interact, discuss and collaborate on various environmental aspects.



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