

# STUDENTS' GYMKHANA ELECTIONS Year 2018-19

## Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati

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## **Nomination Form**

Post contesting for: Girl Senator

#### **Candidate details:**

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Hostel: Dhansiri Room No.: AF-24

Signature with date:

### Proposed by:

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Signature with date:

### **Seconded by:**

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Signature with date:



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## **Agendas and Declaration Form**

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Name: Jigyasa

Nick Name.: Jigs

Tagline (Punch line): Be the change you want to see in the

world.



#### **Agendas:**

Agenda Heading: FOSS(Free and Open source software) Girls in IITG

Domain: Technical Board

Proposal: Girls aren't really aware about open source due to less exposure and less senior junior interaction in girls hostels. Hence even girls who are really interested in coding and have a great potential are not able to excel in this field due to a poor coding culture among themselves.

Possible Solution: Development of a committee under Coding Club itself in which seniors guide the girls on how to begin with coding and open source and help them get acquainted with the various resources of coding or open source.

Plan of Action: A committee shall be set up, with whom girls can meet regularly and get help in getting started with programming and learn more about open source. They will eventually help them build up good coding skills, which will also enable them to land in good internships and jobs.

Agenda Heading: Online portal to show the events, competitions and lectures happening inside campus.

Domain: Technical Board

Proposal: Many events happen in campus on a daily basis, lectures by renowned professors take place but students mostly miss them due to being uninformed as they might not check the webmail frequently or sometimes don't even receive the mail if the mail quota is full. Students also miss the deadline of filling HSS preferences or SA course preferences. The students aren't able to participate in

competitions due to ignorance

Possible Solution: An online portal which displays the events going on in campus, the last date to register for events, to fill in preferences, participate in competitions and also lists out the lectures happening in the college on a daily basis.

Plan of Action: A separate committee under SWC should be made to make this portal and the club secretaries can take care of updating it with daily events happening in campus.

Agenda Heading: Proposal for a new girls hostel to be built or the new hostel being built to be made into a girls hostel.

Domain: HAB

Proposal: After the inclusion of supernumerary seats beginning from the incoming batch of 2018, the number of girls coming in will rise exponentially but Dhansiri and Subansiri are almost fully occupied. There will be a huge shortage of rooms. Girls cannot just be made to live in double rooms when this institute provides for single rooms for its boys since the first year itself. I would also like to mention that a single batch has been made to stay in double rooms for 3 whole semesters. The current single rooms aren't equipped for twin sharing or double rooms for triple sharing. Students in their Sophomore year, pre final and final year cannot be made to live in double rooms years as these years are very important for any student academically.

Possible solution: A new hostel urgently needs to be made to accommodate the new girls coming inside campus or the new hostel should be converted into girls to cater to the shortage of rooms in the existing 2 hostels.

Plan of Action: A location should be finalised to start the construction of a girls hostel as soon as possible and construction should be started to take care of the long term problem. Another solution of this can be conversion of the new hostel being made near Dibang into a girls hostel.

Agenda Heading: A portal to list out all the 2nd year internship opportunities and the last date to apply.

Domain: Academic

Proposal: There are so many opportunities for the talented students of our institute but they miss out on a lot of them because of ignorance. So many startups by alumni of our college are very interested in hiring 2nd yearites but they don't get the desired response from our college only because a very less percentage of students get to know about it.

Possible solution: A portal which will list all the 2nd year internship opportunities so that application for 2nd year internships become a less strenuous procedure for the 2nd yearites.

Plan of Action: A committee within the Placement cell can take care of checking all the 2nd year internship opportunities and listing them out on the portal. All types of interns, research, industrial or company based listed at one place will help them look up everything and then decide what they are really interested in and hence make the application process easier. All the last dates listed at one place will help the students to be more aware and enable them not to miss out on a great opportunity.

Agenda Heading: Organising events for girls to encourage their participation in sports, competitions to foster their involvement.

Domain: Fostering women participation in campus.

Proposal: Compared to the percentage of boys participating in various events, the percentage of girls participating is very less and so there is a dire need to encourage women participation in the various events of our campus.

Possible Solution: Women specific events like the girls league organised this year can be organised more often. Marathons like Pinkathon can be organised. Women specific competitions and quizzes can be organised in Alcheringa, Techniche, Udgam etc.

Plan of Action: Women must be made to get more involved in activities happening inside campus by frequent organisation of women specific events by organising team of fests and the sports board can organise leagues for women more frequently.

Agenda Heading: Funding B.Tech students for going on internships/research projects abroad.

Domain: AER (Alumni Affairs and External Affairs)

Proposal: There have been cases when students get selected to work on projects or as interns in reputed foreign universities but so often they cannot go because they don't get funding and miss out on a great learning opportunity and an amazing experience.

Possible solution: The institute should provide for atleast partial funding to help students to arrange for either flights or accommodation or visa to ensure their going to reputed foreign universities as eventually they will contribute to their own college by having a better knowledge and understanding of that field and also take the institute's name worldwide.

Plan of Action: A portion of money which is taken from 4th year students before they graduate can be put in the funds of alumni and external affairs. A portion of fee collected by students from all years can be put into this fund so that our institute is not out of funds to help its own students to excel.

### **Experiences (Credentials if any):**

Executive member of Public Relations an Branding team, Techniche
City Representative of Delhi for Technothlon.
Team member of Consulting and Analytics Club

### **Declaration by the candidate:**

I hereby declare that the above information is to the best of my knowledge. I do not have any disciplinary probation by the Institute and will abide by the rules and regulations laid for Gymkhana Election. I do not have any active backlogs to be cleared.

I know that any false information in this nomination form will lead to cancellation of my nomination and disciplinary action.

Jigyasa, 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2018

Signature of candidate with date:

Signature of CEO