



STUDENTS' GYMKHANA ELECTIONS

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Nomination Form

Post contesting for: UG Senator

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Agendas and Declaration Form

Post contesting for: UG Senator

Name: Adithya Kaade Arvind

Nick Name.: Kaade

Tagline (Punch line): Lahe Lahe

Agendas:



Agenda:

Increase signal boosters to improve signal connectivity

Domain: Technical Board

Proposal:

As of now, there are large areas of the campus which have poor connectivity such as Cores and hostels in particular. There are areas of black spots which have no connectivity and students are facing a lot of difficulty. There have been several complaints in the past and has resulted in no action being taken. There are also additional security concerns to be taken into account.

Possible Solution:

The three large scale providers in campus are Airtel, Vodafone and Jio(add if wanted) and getting these particular signal boosters will surely increase connectivity in black spots of the campus thereby making it easier for students to communicate. Signal boosters do not cause much harm compared to standard towers in terms of radiation. They are also cost effective and occupy much less space and easy to implement.

Plan of Action:

There are two ways this can be implemented, one way is to get the operators to install (and maintain) signal boosters wherever required in the campus. The other way, is to purchase multi-operator compatible signal boosters and then ask service providers to route their signals through these boosters. One out of these two possible plans of action should be decided after further discussions with various service providers.

Agenda:

Increase number of E-Rickshaws and their charging points in campus

Domain:

Proposal:

Number of E-Rickshaws in campus are very low and due to large number of people taking the bus many students are left with no option but to take an E-Rickshaw. Moreover, the E-Rickshaw drivers are highly unreliable and don't respond to calls. Also, charging points near Faculty Gate have been dysfunctional for months resulting in high irregularity of E-Rickshaws.

Proposed Solution:

Having only 3 E-Rickshaws in campus has proven to be inadequate and we propose to increase the number to 6-7. This would make transport much easier for students who don't own cycles or for students whose cycles are not in working condition.

Plan of Action:

Talk to vendors to obtain more E-Rickshaws in campus. Give each E-rickshaw driver a way to charge his phone throughout the day, either via power bank or e-cigarette charger. With the cooperation of the welfare board, more viable and permanent solutions can be discussed and implemented.

Budget:

Where to install charging points:

Clearing up Faculty Gate charging points:

Estimated time for completion:

Workforce involved:

Appointing new drivers:

Procedure for buying new E-Rickshaws and charging points:

Agenda:

Regular checking of water facilities and proposed tender for drinking water

Domain:

Proposal:

Every year we are faced with an increasing number of water related diseases and infections.

We have heard a multitude of complaints regarding the poor quality of drinking water in hostels. Potable water is a basic necessity which hasn't been readily available.

Proposed Solution:

We plan to outsource drinking water facility inside the campus by giving a tender to a company. We plan to implement this first in the mess, cores and library/cc. Based on its success it will be implemented on a much larger scale in all filters. In the case of any complaint, proper checking of the water quality will be done under the supervision of the mess manager with proper devices.

Plan of Action:

We help the company we have selected to set up a water treatment plant inside the campus. This water treatment plant will be supplied with water from the Bramhaputra river directly and the purified water will be supplied directly to hostels, cores and other public places solely for the purpose of consumption (drinking and cooking). The water from already existing treatment plants will be used for all non-consuming purposes. Once a reliable source of perfectly healthy water is established, we can improve upon the already existing water treatment plants.

Tender Specifics:

Quality checks:

Implementation timeline:

Agenda:

IIT Guwahati's student media body and newsletter

Domain:

Proposal:

With the innumerable events happening in campus every day, students find it hard to keep track of what is happening where. Webmails and posters are not effective enough as students may miss out on them easily. Having a campus newsletter would make it easily accessible for students to gather information which they need at a moment's notice. Also making it an exclusive student venture will ensure no external influences.

Proposed Solution:

A student media body which will encompass all aspects including cultural, technical, academics, etc will make sure that all information required will be under the same umbrella and ensure that students can be up to date on what is happening in the campus. This newsletter will prove to be a bridge between faculty, students and other stakeholders of IITG. The newsletter will be up to date on happenings in the campus thereby ensuring that students are informed on what is happening. We plan to make the newsletter completely outside the jurisdiction of Senate or the VP thus making it easy for anybody to question anyone else on pressing matters.

Plan of Action:

Talk to the Dean of Student Affairs on forming an organising body to exclusively look after the forming and working of the campus newsletter. We are planning to initially collaborate with the Campus Broadcasting System(CBS) for information on campus activities and happenings. Once the project is off the ground, it would

become an independent body where students can voice their queries without facing any repercussions. It would highly increase productivity among elected members as well as make them more answerable to the student community. This would additionally help in bringing in new ideas to the table with regards to increasing the effectiveness of the administration. Also it would provide students with a complete calendar of what is happening where inside the campus.

Agenda:

Night canteen near swimming pool parking lot.

Domain:

Welfare board

Proposal:

Long nights and early mornings are frequent around hostels in the campus. A difficulty we all face is the lack of food during those sleepless nights. Having a common night canteen will surely solve this problem and will go a long way in making night canteens a possibility in all hostels in the future.

Proposed solution:

Night canteen will serve all the regular food available in hostel canteens and also packaged food items. Repair work and maintenance will be done regularly to ensure proper working.

Plan of action:

Firstly, we want to place the night canteen in an easily accessible common area such as the swimming pool parking lot. In time, based on the success of the venture, we plan to build more night canteens in all hostels so as to make food, a basic necessity, easily accessible at all times.

Agenda:

Making transcript procedure online

Proposal:

Most of us have faced difficulty while trying to get a transcript from the administration section. Sometimes we have to wait for more than a week if not weeks, and the process has many steps creating many points of failure. During hectic times for the admin building, students have faced a lot of difficulty in receiving transcripts on time.

Proposed Solution:

An online portal should be created, where students can apply for transcripts by filling a simple form. A transcript without an official seal from IIT Guwahati can be created and sent to students via mail, with little or no time delay and free of charge. If a student wants a sealed copy of the transcript, the student can still apply from the same portal, even finish payment for it by netbanking or UPI and wait for a mail intimating him/her that their transcript is ready, upon which they can visit the Admin building and collect it.

Plan of action:

The job of creating the portal can either be outsourced or given as projects to students. This portal will send the requests for sealed transcripts directly to the Administration where a buffer list of all the requests already exists. This will not only make the process much faster and easy but will also provide us with exact reasons if and when the process is hindered in any way.

Experiences (Credentials if any):

1. Spirit 2017, Gold medal in Tennis.
2. Organizing team member of Techniche MUN.
3. Member of tennis club
4. Participated and won in multiple inter hostel events.