



Proposals

General Secretary, Social & Cultural
Technology Students' Gymkhana
Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur

1. Awareness Program

There is a dire need to make known the resources offered by our institute to the students of IIT Kharagpur. As freshmen, students are not aware of these resources and therefore are unable to avail them. The Journal Secretary in Gymkhana can be responsible to make these resources and initiatives taken by the office bearers known to the general body. With a few changes to the duties of the secretary, the efficiency of the media bodies of the institute can also be increased to the benefit of the students.

2. Introduction of new events in Open IIT, namely, Quiz and Culinary Arts in Virtual mode.

The advent of online semesters has reduced a lot of possibilities for events' conduction. Open IIT's are a great way to keep the students Culturally active and we can incorporate a few more events in different genres even in the virtual mode. Quiz, promotes the right attitude for learning and nurtures one's confidence towards their knowledge. Many students have an inclination to show their creativity through Culinary Arts. As an eminent institution we must also cater to these talents.

3. Crowdfunding Platform

IIT Kharagpur as a community is quite strong as a fraternity and the whole community comes together for a cause be it Inter IIT, conduction of fests or social causes. Many of the students of the institute face immediate monetary debts at home due to uncertain medical circumstances. The platform will give them a chance to reach out to the students of the institute, the alumni and the Faculty all at the same time. People can be made aware of the situation by posts shared by news bodies of IIT Kharagpur and the students in general. This will especially create a platform for our alumni and any other external contributor to assist the needy.

4. Data Collection Archive

History is a very important aspect of what an organisation is and how it got there and without data it's not possible to ascertain the same. Through this archive, I

aim to make sure that the history of Gymkhana is well preserved for the general body and the faculty to access and also reduce the chance of fraudulence.

5. Society workshops

As freshmen, Students are always eager to explore the diversity in themselves through the several opportunities provided by the institute. Societies however play a major role here, they provide the students a platform to showcase their talents. But as most of them conclude their years long confinement to academics to perform well in the Joint Entrance Examinations, they fail to nurture their interpersonal and co-curricular skills. With the introduction of workshops before society selections, our societies will be able to make informed choices on the basis of the students' enthusiasm to develop their skills rather than what they might already possess. This will promote the culture of learning and nurturing new skills that the students show interest in.