ABOUT

ICon(Innovative Conference) is an event which aims to bring hidden/unknown ideas/ innovations in front of the world. By bringing together, we create a unique platform for participants to learn, exchange ideas and collaborate with experts.

There are various kinds of problems not only in our country but also everywhere in the world, like lack of proper disaster management system, agricultural failures, sanitation problems, failure in implementing sustainable development to a large extent, cybersecurity issues, and many more. So, we would like to invite projects based on the topic-" Economical and technical solutions to modern-day problems".

The participants will be allotted a time slot(10 minutes) in which they would be expected to do a presentation of their scheme and can demonstrate their idea. During this time, they need to showcase the significant points of their project and present it to the experts. It is highly recommended that you bring a prototype of your project along with you. This shall be followed by a short questionnaire by the experts. This program will be followed by an informal interaction between the participants and experts.

CONDUCT OF THE EVENT

Participants will have to register for this event online, by submitting brief information about themselves as well as their idea related to the topic. Participants are required to present their idea in front of the judges on 20 October 2019 at IIT Gandhinagar. Participants may use posters for their presentation. Participants can also present their ideas via PowerPoint presentation(Recommended) , provided that they mail us on our email id (given below) at least one week before the event. We recommend that you include a prototype of the project in your presentation. After all the teams have finished their presentations, there will be a break during which they can interact with the experts.

SELECTION CRITERIA

1. Participants are required to attach a document which includes a brief description of their idea and details of all the team members and email it to amalthea.icon@gmail.com. Please mention before hand whether the team is going to do a ppt presentation or poster presentation.

2. Participants can submit a video/documentary regarding their idea to ICon (optional but recommended) on the above email id.

3. If any team wants to present their idea through ppt then they have to email it to ICon at least one week before the event date. Late submissions will not be accepted.

Only selected teams will be allowed to present their ideas on the day of the event. Teams will be selected based on the distinctiveness of your idea. Plagiarism will not be tolerated. Selected teams will be notified through email. They are required to be prepared with their presentation by 20 October 2019.

JUDGING CRITERIA

1. Economic viability
2. Sustainability
3. Scalability
4. Distinctiveness
5. Presentation

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. A team can have at most five members. The team is required to register their team name as well as the team leader's name on the registration form.

2. If any team is found to be involved in some kind of misconduct such as cheating, plagiarism, copyrights issue, violence with other teams, etc. before or during the event, then that team will be disqualified immediately.

3. If a team is accused of violation of copyrights of a particular idea or research that belongs to some other team, individual or organization, whether related to ICon or not, then Amalthea and ICon are not responsible for any charges held against such team.

4. All selected teams are required to be present on their respective date of the event (20 October 2019) and report on time. Further details regarding the event will be provided through email.

5. ICon just provides a platform for participants to present their ideas in front of experts, it doesn't promise any kind of internship, tie-ups, scholarships, funding, further interactions with experts (apart from the interactions that participants have with the experts during the event), etc. All such things depend on participants' interactions with the concerned authority(experts).

6. ICon only has the responsibility of conducting the event smoothly, the results of the event will solely be based on the performance of the team. ICon is not responsible for the judgement given by the experts.

PRIZE POLICY

Certificates issued by Amalthea will be awarded to all the selected participants who appear on the date of the presentation. Winners will be awarded prize money worth ₹20000. This event provides an opportunity for participants and experts to interact with each other. Teams have a chance to get support for their project from any of the experts if they are interested in their idea.

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