MSP Selection Process-2010

Frequently Asked Questions

1. **What is the Microsoft Student Partners Program?**
   The Microsoft Student Partners Program is program for college students who are passionate about technology- who love to learn and spread awareness about it among their peers.

2. **What will I gain by being an MSP?**
   Being a MSP entitles you to interact with industry experts, gain knowledge about the latest technologies, make peers aware about the latest technology developments, and become a technology rock star in his/her campus and city. You will also be able to interact with like-minded students across the country and have lots of fun along the way.

3. **How do I become a MSP?**
   To become a Microsoft Student Partner, you have to go through the following rounds.
   There are multiple things that need to be done.

   - Registration: Provide your complete contact information on the Survey Monkey form. Click on this link www.surveymonkey.com/s/mspselection2010 to access the registration form.
   - Communication: Candidates have to submit short tech video (3-4 min; .wmv format) showing them speaking on a current Microsoft technology. More details will be announced later.
   - Leadership- Candidates have to submit short video (3-4 min; .wmv format) of any person in their community who they consider to be a leader or any leadership activity the candidate has undertaken. More details will be announced later.
   - Technical: participate in an online technical quiz. More details will be announced later.
   - **Please note that all the steps are compulsory.**

4. **I have completed my graduation. Can I apply for the MSP Selection?**
   No. you can participate in the MSP Selection only if you are a current student pursuing your graduation or post-graduation.

5. **I am not studying in an Engineering college. Can I apply for the MSP Selection?**
   MSPs are not restricted to engineering colleges only. If you are a student of a recognized Science, Technology, Engineering, Math or Design college, you are eligible to participate in the MSP Selection process.

6. **What is the last date for the first round?**
   The registration has to be completed before Aug 15.

7. **When will the results be declared for the first round?**
   Results will be declared around Oct 8.

8. **Will I get a confirmation email after I register?**
   No. If you have registered on the correct link and have provided the complete information required, we will get it. There is no need for you to email us informing that you have completed all the steps.

9. **Who do I contact in case I have any queries, etc.?**
   This FAQ is designed to answer almost all questions that you might face. Go through it carefully and if you still have any doubts, you can email them to msp.rec@student-partners.com

10. **How long do I remain an MSP?**
    You are a MSP for 1 year, subject to your performance and decision made by the MSP India Team.

11. **How many MSPs are selected from a particular college?**
    We generally take 1-2 MSPs per college.