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Government of India
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports
Department of Youth Affairs
(International Co-operation Cell)

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
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To

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Subject: Nominations of Youth for International Youth Exchange Programme (in physical or online format) to be conducted during 2021-22 - seeking nominations from NITs-reg.

Sir,

I would like to inform you that under the International Youth Exchange Programme (IYEP) conducted by this Department, youth delegations are exchanged with various countries, to promote mutual understanding of values and culture among the youth and to develop better relations. However, during 2020-21, no physical International Youth Exchange Programme could be organized due to COVID-19 pandemic and the programme/events took place in the online format only.

2. For the International Youth Exchange Programmes (IYEPs) (in physical or online format) to be organized with different countries during 2021-22, it is requested to forward around 24 nominations (12 males and 12 females, not exceeding 4 from each **NITs**) amongst the Meritorious Students from various NITs in the order of priority/preference. The students nominated must be in the 2nd or 3rd year of their courses. Following criteria may be taken care of while forwarding the nominations:

- Pls circulate to all NITs for nomination*
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- The proposed youth must be an Indian Citizen.
 - The age of nominated delegates should not be more than 29 years.
 - The nominated youth should be a regular student/volunteer/artist of your organization with excellent track record.
 - The proposed youth should not have been sent abroad in any of the International Youth Exchange Programme organized by the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports before.
 - The Youth should have no past history of criminal conviction and no criminal case must be pending against him/her in any court of law.

- f) The nominated youth must possess a valid Indian passport with expiry date on or beyond 30/09/2022 as on the date of forwarding of nomination.
- g) The nominated youth must possess a valid Aadhar number or Aadhar registration number.

3. The nominations, duly filled in by each participant with a recent coloured passport size photograph, must be forwarded in the enclosed PROFORMA by **12th April, 2021 through email only at icsec102cn@gmail.com**. A brief description in approximately hundred words about the exceptional qualities and future utility of the nominee may also be forwarded along with the application form through email. Applications received after 12th April, 2021 in the Ministry will not be considered.

4. Forwarding of nominations do not entail selection. A nomination received with incomplete information would summarily be rejected. The Ministry holds sole discretion in further selection of candidates/ delegates. Students and Institutes are also advised not to use other channels for follow up/influence/feedback etc.

Yours faithfully



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