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Request your students to register for Yuva Sangam Phase-3

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Greetings from AICTE!

As you are already aware that Yuva Sangam is Yuva Sangam is a flagship program of the Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (EBSB) initiative, launched by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India. This initiative focuses on conducting exposure tours of the youths comprising mainly students studying in Higher Educational institutions (HEIs) & some off-campus youths from one state to other states & vice versa. It provides an immersive experience of various facets of life, development landmarks, recent achievements and a youth connect in the host state. The program aims to promote national integration and understanding by connecting youth from different parts of the country through educational and cultural exchanges.

In addition to the cultural exchange, Yuva Sangam also includes a number of other activities that are designed to help students develop their leadership, sports and soft skills. For example, students may get an opportunity not only to participate in workshops on leadership, communication, and teamwork but also sports events that may be organised by SAI. They will also have the opportunity to meet and interact with VVIPs, celebrities or important personalities of the host state.

The success of Yuva Sangam Phase 1 and 2 is a testament to the importance of investing in youth and building bridges between different communities. The program has had a positive impact on the lives of thousands of youth and has helped to build a more united and inclusive India.

I request your support in motivating students of your institution to register for Yuva Sangam Phase-3, a student exchange program under EBSB.

All interested students can register online at https://ebsb.aicte-india.org/ The registration process has started on 18-10-2023 and the last date is 28-10-2023.

Please find attached a Concept note containing a brief about Yuva Sangam phase 1 and 2, eligibility criteria and also a document on how to inspire students to register for Yuva Sangam.

Thank You

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CONCEPT NOTE

YUVA SANGAM (Phase - III)

An initiative by Government of India to strengthen people to people connect especially between youth belonging to various States.

Introduction

Yuva Sangam is an initiative of Government of India which focuses on conducting exposure tours of the youths comprising mainly students studying in Higher Educational institutions (HEIs) & some off-campus youths from one state to other states & vice versa. It provides an immersive experience of various facets of life, development landmarks, recent achievements and a youth connect in the host state. During their visits, the youths will have a multi- dimensional exposure under five broad areas — Paryatan (Tourism), Parampara (Traditions), Pragati (Development), Paraspar Sampark (People-to-people connect), and Prodyogiki (Technology).

In order to build empathy and strengthen people to people connect between youth of the eight NE states and those of the rest of the country, under this initiative of sustained youth exchange programme under Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (EBSB), youths across various states will visit other states for a 5-7 days' period in which they will get an immersive experience of various facets of the state they are visiting, and interact with the local youth. Similarly, youths from the NE states will visit other Indian states for a similar experience. The participating ministries of EBSB — M/o Education, Home Affairs, Culture, Tourism, Youth Affairs & Sports, I&B, Railways; and DONER having distinct roles and are responsible for implementation of their respective parts.

Objective

To provide youths a multi- dimensional exposure under five broad areas — Paryatan (Tourism), Parampara (Traditions), Pragati (Development), Paraspar-Sampark (People-to-people connect) and Prodyogiki (Technology).

Eligibility Criteria to Apply

All Indian Youths in the age group 18-30 years comprising mainly Students, NSS/NYKS volunteers, employed/ self-employed persons, etc.

General Guidelines

- Undergraduate (UG), Post-Graduate (PG), Ph.D. students & other youth will be considered for selection.
- The selection will be made keeping in view various parameters like equal representation of male and female, educational background, adequate representation from rural/ remote areas, inclusivity, representation from all sections of the society etc.
- The youth selected to participate in the Yuva Sangam, i.e. the delegates will be contacted by the Nodal Officers of Higher Education Institutions for all further correspondence.
- The applicant should be medically fit and able to travel.
- During the journey, the delegates will need to maintain decorum at all times.
- Delegates traveling in a group are expected to adhere strictly to the guidelines given by the coordinator of the group. Delegates must respect the cultural and ethnic sensitivities during the visit.

Here are some ways to inspire your students to register for Yuva Sangam:

- Put up posters and flyers around the campus to promote registration to the program.
- Organize an information session/ workshop about Yuva Sangam. Share details about the program, such as the itinerary, the activities, and the benefits of participating.
- May invite a Yuva Sangam alumnus to speak to your students during the workshop. They can share their personal experiences and insights about the program.
- Create Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat /Yuva Sangam club or society at your institution. This will give students a chance to learn more about the program and to prepare for their participation.
- Work with and persuade the Student Council/bodies to promote the program among students.
- Offer incentives to students who register / get selected for Yuva Sangam. For example, you could offer academic credit, extra-curricular points, small souvenir or even small financial assistance.
- Make sure that all students have access to the Yuva Sangam website and registration portal. You could also provide assistance to students who need help with the registration process.

We believe that Yuva Sangam is a valuable experience for all students. It is an opportunity for them to learn about their country, to make new friends, and to develop a deeper sense of national pride. We encourage you to do everything you can to inspire your students to register for Yuva Sangam Phase 3.



VIIVA SANGAM

(An initiative under EK BHARAT SHRESHTHA BHARAT)

Brief

Yuva Sangam Phase-1

A total of 1200 youth from various states and UTs participated in Yuva Sangam Phase-1. The program was conducted in the months of February and March 2023, with a focus on the North Eastern Region. During this period Twenty-Nine visits have successfully been completed.

The emphasis of Yuva Sangam Phase 1 was on building bridges between the youth of the North East Region (NER) and the rest of India under the spirit of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat. The program was successful in achieving this objective through a variety of activities, including cultural exchanges, educational workshops, and community service projects.

One of the key achievements of Yuva Sangam Phase-1 was the increased understanding and appreciation of different cultures among the participants. The program helped to break down stereotypes and promote understanding and cooperation between different communities. For example, a group of youth from the NER who participated in the program in 2022 visited a village in Gujarat. They were initially hesitant, as they had heard negative stereotypes about Gujarat. However, they were warmly welcomed by the villagers and had a wonderful time learning about Gujarati culture, thus breaking the stereotype negative image they had.

Another key achievement of Yuva Sangam Phase 1 was the opportunities it provided youth to learn new skills and develop their leadership potential. The program offered a variety of workshops on topics such as social entrepreneurship, public speaking, and leadership development. These workshops helped youth to develop the skills they need to succeed in the 21st century workplace and to make a positive impact on their communities.

Yuva Sangam Phase 2

Yuva Sangam Phase-2 expanded the program's reach to new states and union territories. Yuva Sangam Phase-2 covered 23 States & UTs involving 20 Higher Education Institutes with 20 tours between 15th April to 25th June 2023. The second phase of Yuva Sangam witnessed the participation of over 900 youths along with 83 faculty & coordinators from various institutions across the country. This expansion allowed more youth from all over India to participate in the program. The emphasis of Yuva Sangam Phase 2 was on building on the success of Phase-1 and expanding the program to reach even more youth. The program continued to focus on building bridges between the youth of different states in the country. It also placed a greater emphasis on skill development and leadership training.

The delegation visited different states and UTs and the highlight of the Phase was the interaction of Yuva Sangam delegates with Hon'ble Prime Minister of our country along with interaction with eminent personalities such as Hon'ble Governors/ Chief Ministers of various states. These interactions enriched their knowledge and appreciation of the diverse and vibrant culture of India.

Focused on skill development and leadership training: Yuva Sangam Phase 2 placed a greater emphasis on skill development and leadership training. Variety of lectures, interactions with experts, visit to laboratories, space centres, Super computer Centre, Steel plants, observatories etc. This, helped youth to develop the skills they need to succeed in the 21st century. Participants also reported that the program helped them to better understand and appreciate different cultures.

Overall, Yuva Sangam Phase 2 was a resounding success. The program achieved its objectives of building bridges between the youth of different states of the country, providing youth with opportunities to learn new skills and develop their leadership potential, and making a positive impact on the participants.