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From

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Project Director

To

Sub : Rural Innovators Startup Conclave (RISC-2018)

Ref: 358/NIRDPR/CIAT-RTP/RISC-2018 dated 3.07.2018

Dear Sir,

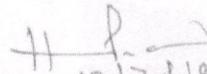
The National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj (NIRDPR), an autonomous organization under the Union Ministry of Rural Development is organizing Rural Innovators Startup Conclave (RISC-2018) from 30-31 August, 2018 NIRDPR, Hyderabad. The innovators include school children from std. 8th onward, College students and general public can apply online for registration at www.nird.org/risc2018 on or before 30th July, 2018. The identified seven sectors/themes are:

1. Agriculture and allied activities
2. Waste to Wealth
3. Green Energy
4. Sustainable Housing
5. Health & Elderly Care
6. Drinking Water & Sanitation
7. Sustainable Livelihood

The shortlisted entries will be invited to present the idea and display the poster in the event. One cash award of Rs. 10,000/= will be awarded from each category of participants in all seven themes. The shortlisted participants will be invited to participate in the event and provided with to and fro travel by second class sleeper/bus and hostel facilities at NIRDPR, Hyderabad. For further details one can see website www.nird.org.in.

Interested innovators can send their nomination on or before 30th July, 2018 with details.

Yours faithfully,


(Nityanand Prasad)
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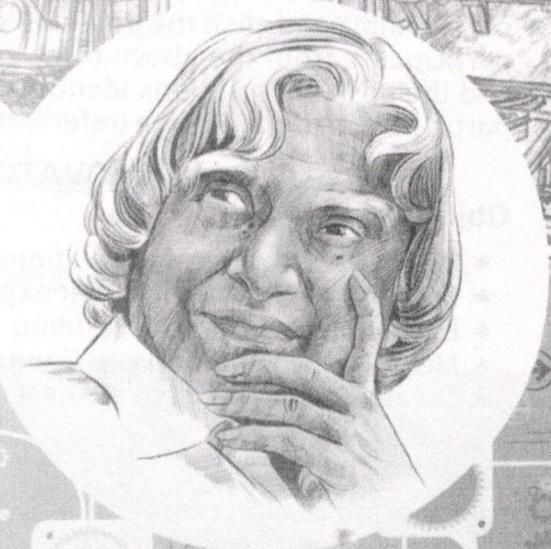
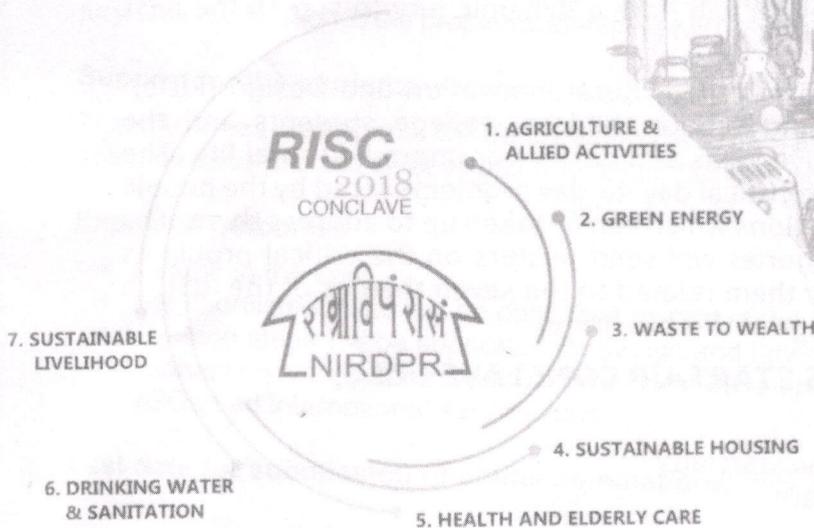


Rural Innovators Start-up Conclave

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(RISC - 2018)
August 30 - 31

Corridor for Rural Innovations



7 challenge areas in search of your IDEAS

Opportunity to earn Recognition, Reward and our support to RISE

Design Thinking and Innovative Packaging Conference

Centre for Innovations and Appropriate Technologies (CIAT)
NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYATI RAJ (NIRD&PR)

(Ministry of Rural Development, Govt. of India)
Rajendranagar, Hyderabad - 500030, India

About NIRD&PR

The National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj (NIRD&PR), an autonomous organisation under the Union Ministry of Rural Development, is a premier national centre of excellence in Rural Development and Panchayati Raj.

About RISC-2018

In the memory of late Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam who championed the cause of technological innovations in rural development, the institute is organising RISC-2018 with the aim to better rural life with the aid of technology and innovations.

Rural Innovators Start-up Conclave (RISC) will provide a platform to a wide array of innovators and entrepreneurs to showcase their products, pitch and talk about their innovations and get an opportunity to partner with funding and network support. RISC-2018 will bring together the most forward-thinking innovators, incubators, entrepreneurs and technology players to unlock new potentials in seven identified sectors-

AGRICULTURE & ALLIED ACTIVITIES, GREEN ENERGY, WASTE TO WEALTH, SUSTAINABLE HOUSING, HEALTH & ELDERLY CARE, DRINKING WATER & SANITATION and SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOOD

-relevant for rural India. The event will be attended by representatives from Industries, Academics, Government Institutions, NGOs and most importantly by entrepreneurs, venture capitalists, angel investors and other players from the entrepreneurial ecosystem. This national conclave on Rural Innovation is the first of its kind in the country and 2nd in the series by NIRD&PR. The event will have a dynamic jury to screen the best innovators / start-ups.

As part of the RISC event, a new platform called "Rural Innovation and Design (RiDe)" Challenge is introduced for encouraging school children, college students and the general public to come up with innovative ideas and design for improving rural life. The purpose of this initiative is to identify the critical day-to-day problems faced by the people of rural India and elicit the potential solutions which can be taken up to address them. The participants from the above three categories will send posters on the critical problems and the possible solutions identified by them related to the seven themes of the RISC to participate in the challenge (refer last page of this brochure).

RURAL INNOVATORS START-UP CONCLAVE (RISC)

Objectives

- * Identification of rural innovations and start-ups
- * Creation of platform for their exposure
- * Education and Capacity Building
- * Mentoring, Incubation and Connect
- * Create opportunities to connect national and international Network

Invitees

1. Innovations with prototype and proven technologies for their promotion;
3. Entrepreneurs with start-up having production capacity for market promotion;
4. DRDO, DST, MUDRA, UNDP, NSDC, NABARD, ICRISAT, SRLM, Councils of Science & Technology, INAE, NIAS, NISE, NSIC, NSDC, NID, EDII, IIP, ICAR Institutions, CSIR Labs, KSCSTE, MSSRF, banks and other national and international agencies, etc.

7 CHALLENGES
IN SEARCH OF
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RURAL INNOVATION AND DESIGN (RIDE) CHALLENGE

Objectives

- ▲ Identification of critical problems faced by people in rural areas
- ▲ Exploring potential solutions based on the problems identified
- ▲ Providing a platform for exchanging ideas
- ▲ Exposure to young minds

Invitees

1. School children (from 8th standard)
2. College students
3. General public



Online nomination

1. The category of the applicant must be clearly mentioned in the nomination (E.g. school children/college students/ general public).
2. The problem and the solution proposed by the applicant must be drawn in a poster format and the soft copy of the nomination must be uploaded.

Awards

All the shortlisted entries will be invited to present the idea and display the poster in the event. There will be one award of cash prize of ₹10,000 from each category of participants in all seven themes of the RISC event. Certificate of appreciation will be given to all short listed entries by the jury. Due recognition to the problems identified will be given along with the solution offered.

Support for the students

The shortlisted participants will be invited to participate in the event and provided with to & fro travel by second class sleeper/bus and hostel facilities at NIRD&PR, Hyderabad.

Expected outcomes

- ★ Awards to the best
- ★ The shortlisted ideas will be published as part of the conclave
- ★ Selected ideas will be supported for design and fabrication
- ★ Connecting with vast network of State Rural Development Agencies, Central agencies, NGOs and international associations

Last date for submission of online nominations: July 30, 2018 (www.nird.org.in)



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