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Young IT Professionals

YITP Awards 2017

Call for Nominations
Regional Round, Region-VI
16th Sept, 2017

Host Chapter

**CSI Pune Chapter
Pune.**

About YITP The Young IT Professional Contest is instituted by Computer Society of India to encourage young IT professionals, Academicians, Consultants, Entrepreneurs, IT Practitioners in an Organization, research scholars in Universities/research Institutes or any individuals below 35 years of age in service/support/training/R&D functions in the field of Information Technology.

The contest is conducted in two rounds: a regional round in each of the seven regions followed by a national round. The first two winners from each region will qualify for competing in the final national round. Awards are provided to the winners at both regional and national rounds.

Criteria : The most outstanding technology project of any kind, completed during the year 2017 (project duration could be of 2-3 years from the start date) within an organization will be judged for following criteria by the selection committee:

- Criticality of IT Usage
- Improvement of Customer Service
- Innovation, Return on Investment
- Quality of Management
- Impact on Organization and Society

Eligibility :

- Any individual below 35 years of age (on 31st March 2017), who are either working professionals, entrepreneurs or researchers and have made significant innovation in the areas of IT applications and services, research, and academics to bring improvements in service, support, research or training in the field of Information Technology

- Only those individual with minimum of 3 years and maximum 12 years of experience as on 31st March, 2017 or Research Scholars carrying out their Ph. D./M.E./M. Tech/ research work may participate in this competition
- Participants may be from industry, Business organizations, Research Institutes and Interns from incubation centers of universities/recognized institutes.
- An individual or a team of maximum 3 members meeting above eligibility criteria may be nominated by their organization or by the Fellow of CSI.
- The project nominated should be original and not published prior to the event.

Category: The nominations will be categorized in the following divisions in the respective themes (**but not limited to**)

Division 1: Hardware: Hardware development, IoT, Cloud implementation

Division 2: Software: Information Security, Scrum & Agile, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, NOSQL, BFSI, Manufacturing, Finance, Marketing, Retail, Applications for rural development, Medicine or Health care

Division 3: Applications : Multi lingual applications, Applications for rural development, Smart Cities, Digital India, Medicine or Health care, Fashion industry / Liberal arts, Animations, Public transport, BFSI, Manufacturing, Finance, Marketing, Retail, Gaming, Mobile Apps

Division 4: Communications: Telecom, Mobile Computing, Security & Privacy

Division 5: Education and Research: E-learning, M-Learning, MOOCs

Awards : Comprise of Trophy and Certificate to winning team/individual and prizes as under :

Category	National Awards (INR)	Regional award (For each region) (INR)
Winner	25,000/-	5,000/-
1st runner up	15,000/-	3,000/-
Special mention	10,000/-	2,000/-

How to apply: Nominations should be made in the prescribed format available as an attachment or could be downloaded from the website www.csi-india.org/CSIAwards.php and to be sent to the regional YITP Conveners on or before the last date of submission. The nomination process is described in the prescribed format.

**Last Date for the Entry of Nomination
31 August, 2017**

Selection Process:

Regional Round :

- Nominations received will be shortlisted
- Regional round will be hosted by CSI Pune Chapter
- In the Regional Round, short-listed nominees will make oral presentation followed by a Q&A session in the presence of selection committee on the day of contest.
- The winners will be awarded trophy, cash prize and certificate in the category of Winner and Runners-up. A special mention cash prize and a certificate will also be given to the third winner (if any).

- The **first two winners** of regional round are eligible to contest in the national round
- The selection committee decision will be final and binding to all participants

National Round:

- Winner and runner up teams of each regional round will participate in national YITP competition to be held on 7th October 2017 to be hosted by CSI Nashik Chapter
- Each team will make oral presentation followed by a Q&A session in the presence of selection committee on the day of contest. **No changes in the nomination submitted are allowed between regional and national rounds.**
- Winners will be awarded Trophy, cash prize and certificate in the category of Winner and Runners-up. A special mention cash prize and a certificate will be given to the third winner (if any) on the day of final round.
- The selection committee decision will be final and binding to all participants

Application Process : The duly filled and completed Nomination Form as per the prescribed format should be sent at

Email : info.csipune@gmail.com

Please mark copy of your nomination to :

yitpawards@csi-india.org

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