

Dear Madam/Sir,

Greetings from All India Council for Technical Education !

This is to bring to your kind attention that after the successful execution of the path breaking PM-YUVA Mentorship Scheme launched during the period 2021-22, PM-YUVA Mentorship Scheme 2.0 has been launched by the Ministry of Education, Government of India to train young and budding authors (below 30 years of age) for the year 2022-23 with the National Book Trust, India as the Implementing Agency.

The Theme of PM-YUVA 2.0 is Democracy (Institutions, Events, People, and Constitutional Values).

The scheme will help to develop a stream of writers who can write on various facets of Democracy in India encompassing the past, present and future. Besides, the scheme will also provide a window to the aspiring youth to articulate themselves and present a comprehensive outlook of Indian democratic values at domestic as well as international platforms. The Theme is specific to Democracy in Indian context only so as to give a fillip to research and documentation about various aspects of the Indian democratic system.

An online National Contest is being organised from 2nd October 2022 - 30 November 2022 to select the authors under the Scheme. There is a provision for payment of a Scholarship of Rs. 50,000 per month for a period of six months to be paid to each of the selected 75 authors. National Book Trust, India will be publishing the books produced by the young authors as part of the Mentorship Scheme.

The details can be accessed at www.nbtindia.gov.in and at <https://www.mygov.in/>
Please find below the link to the Contest and other details for ready reference:

1. <https://innovateindia.mygov.in/yuva/>
2. <https://pib.gov.in/PressReleseDetailm.aspx?PRID=1864515>
3. <http://www.nbtindia.gov.in/writereaddata/attachmentNews/thursday-october-6-2022-27-26-pmpm-s-mentorship-scheme-for-young-authors-2-0.pdf>

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In view of the above, AICTE requests your Institution(s) to kindly disseminate this information among all the faculty members, Students, staff & others so they can take the benefits from this PM-YUVA Mentorship Scheme 2.0.