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Date: 24/01/2026

To,
The Directors of Affiliated Institutes
Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Technical University, Lucknow

Subject: Call for Nominations of AI-Based Startups for Exhibition at India AI Impact Expo 2026

Dear Madam/Sir,

Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Technical University is pleased to inform you that the University, through Innovation Hub Uttar Pradesh, is participating in the prestigious India AI Impact Expo 2026, being organized alongside the India AI Impact Summit 2026.

The Expo is being curated by the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India, and will be held at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi, providing a global platform to showcase impactful and scalable Artificial Intelligence (AI) innovations.

In this regard, AKTU invites nominations of promising AI-based startups from affiliated institutes for showcasing their innovations absolutely free of cost at the University Pavilion during the Expo.

Event Details:

- Event Name: India AI Impact Expo 2026
- Dates: 16 - 20 February 2026
- Venue: Stall No 6.3 & 6.4, Hall No. 6 Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi
- Theme Focus: Responsible, scalable, and impact-driven Artificial Intelligence



Nomination Guidelines:

- Each institute may nominate a maximum of two (02) startups only.
- The core innovation of the startup must be based on Artificial Intelligence (AI).
- Preference will be given to startups with working prototypes, MVPs, or deployed solutions.
- Nominations will be screened and finalized at the University level by competent team.

Scan the QR for registration

Important Dates & Application Process:

- **Last Date to Apply: 30 January 2026**
- Application Link: <https://bit.ly/AI-ImpactExpo>

Institutes are requested to ensure that only high-quality and AI-focused nominations are forwarded, keeping in view the national and international visibility of the event.

You are requested to circulate this information among students, faculty members, incubation centers, innovation cells, and startup ecosystems of your institute and encourage eligible startups to apply within the stipulated timeline.

For any clarification or support, please feel free to contact Mr. Mahip Singh, CEO Innovation Hub UP at ceo.ihubup@aktu.ac.in or call on 9582058878

Regards

Attachment:

AI Impact documents

(Prof. B.N. Mishra)

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1. Director General Technical Education, Govt. of UP
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7. PS to ACS, Department of Technical Education, Govt. of UP
8. Staff Officer, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, AKTU

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<https://www.impactexpo.indiaai.gov.in/>

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The India AI Impact Expo 2026 is a global platform for showcasing responsible, scalable, and impact-driven artificial intelligence across sectors. Held alongside the India AI Impact Summit 2026, the Expo convenes governments, global enterprises, startups, investors, academia, and technology leaders to foster cross-border collaboration and accelerate AI deployment at scale. We invite academic institutes to present cutting-edge research & talent pathways to open doors to industry collaboration & impact.

COMMERCIALS

Raw Space: **INR 18,000 / sqm**

Prices exclusive of applicable taxes

ON-GROUND & PRINT

- ✓ Logo at venue (Indoor & Outdoor)
- ✓ Logo on brochures, flyers & official publications
- ✓ Logo in Post-Show Report
- ✓ Show Directory Listing

MEDIA & SOCIAL MEDIA

- ✓ Announcement, Thank you (EDM)
- ✓ Updates during event (3)
- ✓ Special mention (5) in Social Media Posts
- ✓ Logo in pre-event EDM (Reach: 200,000+)

ACCESS & PASSES

- ✓ Complimentary VIP Passes - 1 per 50 sqm
- ✓ Complimentary Delegate Passes - 1 per 10 sqm
- ✓ Complimentary Exhibitor Passes - 3 per 10 sqm

Branding & Visibility Deliverables

DIGITAL & PRE-EVENT

- ✓ Logo on the official website
- ✓ Logo on AI Impact Expo Mobile App

PAVILION FABRICATION OPTIONS

Option 1: Bring your own approved fabricator (subject to guidelines).

Option 2: Use the official event fabricator

Option 2A: INR 6,000 / sqm

Option 2B: INR 10,000 / sqm

Option 2C: Theme pavilion - INR 15,000 / sqm

Design, materials & final cost subject to customization

Prices exclusive of applicable taxes

(Details to be given by the registered vendor directly)

UTILITIES & INFRASTRUCTURE

Electricity - ₹ 11,000.00 / kW (Show days)

Internet - On actuals, through Internet Service Providers (TBD)

Prices exclusive of applicable taxes

Additional Passes

VIP: INR 25,000 per pass Delegate: INR 20,000 per pass

10% Discount on group bookings of 5 & above

Prices exclusive of applicable taxes

To exhibit at India AI expo 2026, register on link below

<https://www.impactexpo.indiaai.gov.in/exhibit-with-us>

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INDIA AI IMPACT EXPO 2026
From Innovation to Implementation. From Vision to Impact

AI Impact Expo 2026 (February 16–20, 2026)

Hall - 6 Ground Floor @ Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi



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