





ZONAL NASA EXCHANGE PROGRAM 2019-20

Introduction

NASA India is a platform to share the ideologies and perceptions across different regions of the country. In a diverse country such as India there are varied learning processes across the country. These different styles can differ at an individual institute scale or at a regional level.

The Zonal Conventions, invariance to the Annual Convention, presents the functioning of a set of units cumulatively of a zone.

The Zonal NASA Exchange Program serves as a platform where students from other zones to come together and participate in the Zonal Convention of a zone. We believe, it provides the students with an opportunity to confront other contextual aspects of the same fraternity which helps them in growing and improving their overall exposure. This initiative focuses on candidates exploring and understanding different facets of an architectural student of the country by expanding their skills and outlook of academic and cultural diversity of different regions.

Aim

The aim of the program is to initiate an interaction in between the zones on one on one basis and give the students an opportunity to understand their collateral environment in a better way.

Objectives

- To provide a platform for students to learn, interact; work in and on a regional level other than their own.
- To provide a platform to experience the styles of different conventions leading to overall exposure.
- To initiate an exchange of ideas exposing different contextual learning



Guidelines

- ➤ The program will be open to all the students of NASA India associated colleges.
- One institute can nominate up to three students either the unit council or delegates of their respective unit to be a part of the zonal team and represent their zone in the Host Zonal NASA Convention.
- ➤ The selection process will involve an application through a google form that has to be submitted latest by 3 weeks before host college convention.
- ➤ The selected candidates from each zone will together form a team of maximum twenty-five delegates.
- ➤ Once at the convention, the members of the team will not be considered as the representatives of their individual units, but as Delegation of the Zonal Exchange Program (Z-EP).
- ➤ This team of delegates so formed will be eligible to take part in any of the events in the convention, but not the trophies. In any event, consisting of a jury, the Z-EP team won't be allowed to participate.
- > The post-convention requirements have to be submitted before the deadline.
- > There would be no delegation amount for these 25 delegates selected after due scrutinization from the executive council.



Process

1. The applicant has to fill up the following form to be eligible for the selection process as per the deadlines mentioned in the table below:



Link: https://forms.gle/njXEbqeFqH3itecT6

- 2. The Executive Council of NASA India shall shortlist five candidates from each zone, in concern with the respective Zonal President of Host zone.
- 3. The shortlisted candidates from each zone, i.e. five candidates for each zone except for the host zone, shall formulate a team of maximum twenty-five delegates who will take part in the particular zonal convention.
- 4. In case of fewer than five candidates, or absolutely no candidates being shortlisted from a zone, the remaining slots may be opened to the remaining zones.

Post-Convention Requirements

A detailed report of a minimum of 2 pages per day of the convention has to be submitted by each candidate about their experience. The factors that can be considered are mentioned below:

- -The different methodology observed
- -The different approaches to the Zonal Convention.
- Analysing difference in approach to trophies, events
- Comparison with the home zone.

The report has to be sent to the host Zonal President's official email id in a word document within two weeks after the respective zonal convention, failing to which, the certification and further involvement of the particular candidate in any of the NASA events shall be withheld or restricted.



Venue Details

The venue details for the Zonal Conventions eligible for the exchange program are mentioned below -

Convention	Venue	Dates	Deadline
Name			
Zone 2	Amity School Of Architecture and Planning, Mumbai	September 20 to 22, 2019	15 th September, 2019
Zone 5	Acharya Nagarjuna University College of Architecture and Planning, Guntur	October 05 to 08, 2019	15 th September, 2019
Zone 4	Techno India University,COA,Kolkata	October 13 to 15, 2019	25 th September, 2019
Zone 1	SOA, Poornima University, Jaipur	October 20 to 23, 2019	01 st October, 2019

For queries, you may contact your Unit Secretary or respective Zonal President.

