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ASSOCIATION OF INDIAN UNIVERSITIES

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Sub: Inviting Proposals for Hosting the 10th South Asian Universities Youth Festival (SAUFEST)

Dear Vice Chancellors/Directors,

You are aware that the Association of Indian Universities (AIU) has been organising the South Asian Universities Youth Festival (SAUFEST) since 2006 while the 9th SAUFEST was organised by Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow (India) during February 25-29, 2016. The concept of organising the SAUFEST is in line with the active collaboration and mutual assistance amongst the South Asian Countries in educational, social, cultural and economic fields. The participating countries include India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Nepal, Myanmar, Maldives, Bhutan, Sri Lanka, Mauritius and Afghanistan.

The selected youth artistes of the Inter-University National Youth Festival, organized by AIU at University of Mysore, Karnataka (India) during February 15-19, 2016 will be invited to participate in the SAUFEST. In addition, Twenty Five participants including two officials, from each South Asian Country will be invited to participate in the cultural and literary events of Light Vocal, Folk Orchestra, Classical & Folk Dance, Mime, Debate, Elocution, Poster Making and Clay Modeling.

As per our estimation, there would be about 300 delegates from various mentioned countries to participate in the Festival. The youth cultural troupes from the invited countries would bear their travel expenses from their respective countries to the location of Host Universities to and fro. As per practice, in view of the magnitude of the event, the Host University would bear all expenses towards a decent free board & lodging, local transport, hospitality and other related local conveniences to the participants. AIU would render all necessary guidance to your University for hosting and making the event a success. In case if your University is willing to host the 10th SAUFEST during the end of February 2017 for a period of five days, then please send the dates for organizing the same by April 20, 2016 so that participants from the concerned foreign and Indian universities may be invited. For a faster communication you may like to send communication through email at youthaffairs@aiu.ac.in by downloading the proforma from www.aiuweb.org/youthaffairs.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Prof Furqan Qamar)

Encl: as above

To all Vice Chancellors/Directors of Member Universities

CC: The Cultural Coordinators of Member Universities/Institutes - for information please.

**ASSOCIATION OF INDIAN UNIVERSITIES
(YOUTH AFFAIRS DIVISION)**

10th South Asian Universities Youth Festival (SAUFEST) – 2016-17

1. Name of the University/Institute _____
2. Zone (in which university falls) _____
3. Proposed dates for hosting SAUFEST _____
4. Facilities available:
- (i) Board & Lodging _____
(Please give details)
- (ii) University & local Transport _____
- (iii) Light/sound/stage arrangements _____
- (iv) Number of Auditoria/Halls _____
including capacity
5. Other information, if any

Signature of Vice Chancellor/Director

Date:

Signature of Cultural Coordinator

Note:

- 1) Mentioned dates should not be changed by the University on its own. AIU may be consulted in this matter
- 2) If required make photocopy of this proforma and use another sheet in case of more details

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