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TOTAL WINNING PRIZE ₹50,000

1 ₹5,000
2 ₹3,000
3 ₹2,000

IN EACH CATEGORY

POETRY

Words that heal, inspire and connect

PHOTOGRAPHY

Moments that capture the human story

CREATIVE VIDEO

Short films, ideas and new perspectives

CHILDREN OF IPS MEMBERS

Young minds, bright ideas

OPEN CREATIVE CONTRIBUTION

Articles, essays, cartoons, artwork, humour and more

Souvenir Contributions Rules & Guidelines

Scientific & Academic Articles

Word limit: 1000 – 1,800 words | Format: MS Word (.docx)

Guidelines

- Clinical reviews, transformative therapeutic breakthroughs, AI/neurotechnology in psychiatric practice,or healthcare policy reflections.
- Must include abstract (100 words) & max 6 references.
- Separate from scientific paper abstract submissions.

Reflections, Essays & Memoirs

Word limit: 800 – 1,500 words | Format: MS Word (.docx)

Guidelines

- Personal narratives, doctor-patient encounters, clinical anecdotes, mental health advocacy, history of psychiatry in India, or humanitarian experiences in medicine.

Poetry & Creative Literary Pieces

Word limit: upto to 40 lines, Max 300 words | Format: MS Word (.docx)

Guidelines

- Reflective poems, philosophical verses, or creative musings in English or regional languages.
- Regional poems must have an English translation or gist.

Fine Art, Sketches & Cartoons

Word limit: 1000 – 1,800 words | Format: MS Word (.docx)

Guidelines

- Drawings, digital paintings, watercolours, sketches, or medical cartoons.High-resolution scan required.
- Highlighting psychiatric, humanistic, or conference themes.

Photography Showcase

Requirement: Title + Camera Details + 30 Words Caption | Format: JPEG I RAW I TIFF, MIN: 300 DPI

Guidelines

- Original photographs captured by members/families.

Themes include:
Heritage of Tamil Nadu • Nature • Serenity
Emotion • Art of Perceptions

"Souvenir Alive" Multimedia Video Instagram Reel

Duration: 30 - 60 seconds | Format: Vertical Mp4 / MOV - 9:16 Ratio

Guidelines

- Companion videos for the print QR code:
- Poet reciting poetry, artist explaining canvas, drama/music snippet, or 60s psychiatric awareness reel.
- Resolution:1080 × 1920

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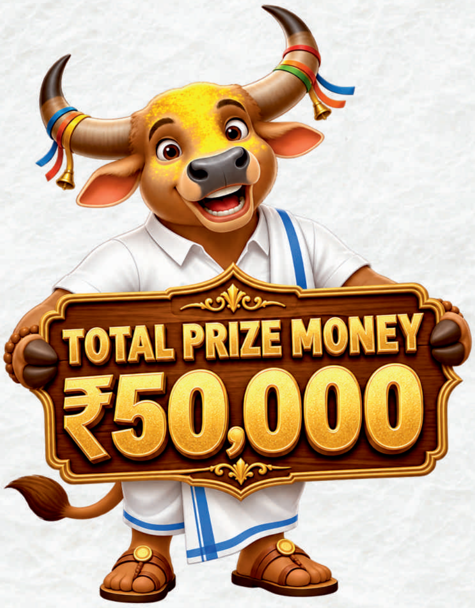
GENERAL RULES

- All submissions must be **original and unpublished work.**
- Participants must ensure they have the **necessary permissions and consent for any content featuring identifiable individuals.**
- Submissions must strictly follow the **specified format and word/duration limits for each category.**
- All eligible entries adhering to the submission guidelines will be evaluated by an unbiased editorial panel, and **the winners will be honoured during ANCIPS 2027.**
- Primary limit is **ONE main submission per author.**
- More submissions are subject to **committee discretion.**



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