

Team Name-

Institute/College Name-

Coach Information-

Name

Job Title

Department  
& Institute/College

Contestants Information-

	Contestant 1	Contestant 2	Contestant 3
Contestant Name			
Contestant Department			
Signature of each Contestant			
Contestant Institute/College			

**Declaration by Coach and HOD or Principal or Director of the Institute/Department -**

This is to certify that the above team registered from our institute for participation in the *ICPC Kanpur Site 2025* fulfil the following conditions:

- All the Contestants are currently bonafide students of this institute.
- The team Coach is a full time faculty member of this institute.
- The above team will be provided with proper infrastructure, including computer systems (*if required by team*) and space, to participate in the 3-hour Preliminary Contest to be held in online mode.
- The college/department will assist ICPC in proctoring the said team to prevent plagiarism, cheating, or any malpractice during the Preliminary Contest.
- If any team is found guilty of plagiarism, cheating, or malpractice, the institute may be debarred from ICPC participation across all regional sites for the next year, based on the severity. The team(s) involved may be **banned from the current and all future ICPC contests**.

Signature of Coach

Name:

Date:

Signature and Seal of HOD/ Principal/ Director

Name:

Date:



## Note from the ICPC India RCD's to the Institute

The **International Collegiate Programming Contest (ICPC)** is the world's **oldest, largest, and most prestigious programming contest** for university students. Popularly known as the "Olympics of Programming," it challenges students to solve complex, real-world problems under time and resource constraints. Participation in ICPC brings global recognition to students and their institutes, and many world-class universities take pride in their achievements in ICPC. The contest is team-based, with three students mentored by a faculty coach, highlighting not only technical skills but also teamwork, problem-solving ability, and institutional support.

It is to be noted that ICPC is an **institutional contest** meant for colleges, where the **coach plays a critical role** in guiding and mentoring the teams and by this they **represent the Institute**. However, in recent years, some teams have registered themselves by creating fake coach email IDs, bypassing the institute's involvement.

Also, over the past few years, it has been observed that during the Online Preliminary Contest, cases of cheating and malpractice have been increased. Unfortunately, this has resulted in several genuinely deserving teams losing the opportunity to qualify. Such practices have been seen both at the inter-institute and intra-institute levels.

To address these issues and to ensure fairness and authenticity, this declaration form has been introduced. By signing this form, the Head of the Department/Director/Principal (*any one*) confirms the bonafide status of the students and certifies that the coach is a faculty member of the same institute. The institute also undertakes responsibility to provide infrastructure during the 03 hour Online Contest and extend support in proctoring the teams during the online preliminary contest.

We strongly believe that **ICPC cannot be conducted successfully without the support of esteemed institutes like yours**. Your cooperation is crucial to uphold the credibility, fairness, and prestige of the contest, and to ensure that deserving teams get their rightful opportunity.

**With sincere regards,**



**Prof. Vipin P.**

*Regional Contest Director  
ICPC Amritapuri Multisite*

*Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Amritapuri*



**Dr. Masilmani V.**

*Regional Contest Director  
ICPC Chennai Site*

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**Dr. Sandesh Gupta**

*Regional Contest Director  
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