Youth Climate Conclave – 3ʳᵈ Edition

In order to facilitate engagement, education and empowerment of Indian youth about the challenges of Climate Change, the 3ʳᵈ edition of 'Youth Climate Conclave' (YCC) is being organized. YCC is being held under the SPIPA (Strategic Partnership for the Implementation of the Paris Agreement) project with Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, GoI as the nodal ministry. The SPIPA project is being implemented by the Delegation of the European Union to India, in close cooperation with GIZ-India. The YCC activity is being implemented by TERI in partnership with GIZ-India and CEEW. This conclave is envisaged as a competitive and an educative mode of action, wherein youth from across the country will come together to join hands and address the issues of climate change.

Guidelines for Photography Contest

1. Each student is required to submit one photograph on the theme:
   Climate Action: A World of Possibilities
2. Entries can be submitted in the following age categories:
   a. 10 – 18 years and
   b. 19 – 25 years
3. Only one entry per student will be accepted; however, there is no limit to number of students who can apply from each school / college.
4. Each photograph should be supported by a catchy tagline of not more than 15 words. The entry without a title, description and details mentioned above will be rejected.
5. The following criteria would be used to judge the entries:
   ➢ Resolution
   ➢ Clarity of the photograph
   ➢ Meaningful and impactful
6. Photographs should capture an essence of positive climate actions in the country, including those by youth, related to Climate Change with sectors including Renewable Energy, Agriculture, Water, Energy, Waste, Sustainable lifestyles, Resource Efficiency and Biodiversity.
7. Applicant should submit an original photograph that conveys his / her understanding of the theme. The picture should convey hopeful and meaningful messages. It should devoid of doomsday prophecies.

8. Only high resolution (2 MB or more) original photograph will be accepted. The photograph should be necessarily in JPG format with at least 200 dpi at 2,000 pixels.

9. Obscene, provocative, or otherwise objectionable content will not be considered.

10. By entering the contest, applicant represents, acknowledges and warrants that the submitted photograph and description is original work created solely by the applicant and that no other party has any right, title, claim or interest in the photograph or the description. If the entry is found to be copied, the student will be expelled from the contest immediately.

11. Minor adjustments, including the removal of sensor dust or scratches on scans of negatives, dodging and burning, sharpening, contrast, toning, slight color adjustment and conversion to grayscale are acceptable. The addition and subtraction of objects is not permitted.

12. Please submit the photographs without any copyrights or watermarks. By entering the contest, all applicants grant permission to the organizers to reproduce their photographs in their original or updated form, without any notification, permission, fee or any other form of compensation. Photographs will be credited to the photographer.

13. All expenses incurred during shooting process will have to be borne by the participants.

14. Deadline to submit the entry is **25 November 2021**.

15. Please go through the contest details on the website link- https://wsds.teriin.org/ycc_v3/youth-climate-conclave-3.php and mail your filled in application form at youthclimateconclave@gmail.com

16. All shortlisted photographs will be published on the social media platforms and 12 best photographs will be selected for 2022 Calendar.

17. Winners will receive e- certificates along with other exciting prizes.

18. Jury decision will be final.

For further queries, please write to us at youthclimateconclave@gmail.com