

Dear Sir/ Madam

**Greetings from NAAI and World Skills India (NSDC)!**

We are pleased to inform you that **National Abilympics Association of India (NAAI)** and **World Skills India** would be jointly organising **National Abilympics** in **July 2018**.

In this line, we invite applications from **PwD (Person with Disability) participants** in the age group of **18 to 35 years** in **10 different skill categories** for these events mentioned in the application form. This endeavour will also focus on providing youth participants build necessary skills and explore employment opportunities for them.

The calendar for the events is below mentioned:

<b>Last date of submission of Entry forms</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup> May, 2018</b>
<b>Regional Assessment &amp; Selection camps</b>	<b>May-June, 2018</b>
<b>National Abilympic event</b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2018</b>
<b>Preparation for International Event and exploring employment opportunities</b>	<b>2018 to 2020</b>
<b>International Abilympics in Shanghai, China</b>	<b>2020</b>

**About NAAI:** NAAI was formed in **May 2001** at the behest of the **Ministries of Social Justice & Empowerment** and **Human Resource Development, Government of India** to serve as a nodal agency to formulate, initiate and implement policies to propagate Abilympics in the country. It has represented India in the **6th (2003-India), 7th (2007- Japan), 8th (2011-South Korea) and 9th (2016 - France) International Abilympics** and is now geared for **2020 International Event** scheduled to be held in **China**. In December 2016, National Abilympic Association of India was handed over to **Sarthak Educational Trust**, considering its Pan India presence and active engagement in the skill development and sustainable employment of PwDs.

**About World Skills India:** **World Skills India** is an initiative of the **National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC)** under **Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE)** and is actively working since **2011** to screen best talent across the nation and represent India at World Skills International Competitions.

The support letter from **National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC)** to **NAAI** has already attached with this mail.

Interested institutes and participants are requested to submit their applications in the form attached with this email by **10<sup>th</sup> May, 2018**.

We are now going to conduct a regional assessment event at **New Delhi from 22 to 23 June, 2018**. We would like to request you to **share the list of PwDs participants with the following details** from your institute.

- 1. Name of Candidates**
- 2. Type of Disability**

**3. Contact number**

**4. Email id**

This will help us in contacting PWD participants directly for enrolling them for the regional assessment.

The forms can either be posted at the address mentioned below, or sent as scanned copies at [ict.trainer@abilympicsindia.org](mailto:ict.trainer@abilympicsindia.org) and [naaidelhi@abilympicsindia.org](mailto:naaidelhi@abilympicsindia.org)

For more information, kindly visit: <http://www.abilympicsindia.org/>

We request you to kindly forward it to all the interested PwD candidates.

We look forward to your active support and cooperation.

**Thanks and Regards**  
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Dear Dr. Aggarwal,

Greetings from National Skill Development Corporation!

WorldSkills India and India Skills is an initiative of the National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) under the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, which has been leading India's participation at WorldSkills International competitions since 2011.

Abilympics, Olympics of Abilities, was started with objective to improve vocational skills of PwD. International Abilympic Federation (IAF) has been formed to organize International Abilympics (IA). The National Abilympic Association of India (NAAI), New Delhi as a member of IAF has been facilitating the representation of India in these skill competitions. NSDC is pleased to support NAAI for organising Skill competitions at Regional, National and International levels for Persons with Disability as part of its inclusive initiative of PwD for the year 2018-19.

NAAI is required to

- submit detailed proposal for conducting skill competitions for PwD at state, regional and national level by July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018.
- encourage agencies like NGOs, Higher Educational Institutes, Training Partners, Government agencies, Industries and others working with PwD to participate in this skill competition.
- form an Advisory Council representation key stakeholder for overseeing the skill competition in coordination with World Skills team and under guidance of MSDE.
- organise skill competition of PwD at state, regional, national level on own and may avail the support of IndiaSkills competition as and when available.
- provide training to national winners for international competition as well as facilitate their employment in partnership with industries.
- conduct panel discussion or seminar for promoting skill development of PwD candidates.

We thank you for your cooperation and support.

For National Skill Development Corporation

(Ranjan Choudhury)  
Head - WorldSkills India



## National Abilympic Association of India

World Skills India (Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship (MSDE) and National Abilympics Association of India (NAAI) jointly organizes Regional, National Abilympics, and facilitates participation in International Abilympics.

For its Regional selection of participants, World Skills India & NAAI calls for entries from Persons with Disability (PwD).

Please, share following information to mark your entry in Abilympics, 2018.

1. Name .....
2. Age\* (Age, must be above 18 Years) .....
3. Contact Number (Institute & Self) .....  
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4. Name of Institute .....
5. Email ID (of Institute or Self) .....
6. Address of Institute/Self .....  
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7. City .....
8. Pin code .....
9. In which category of competition you would like to mark your entry?

ICT/Computer Skills

Crafts Skills

Food Skills

10. Please mention the Vocational skill type, wherein, you would like to participate?

(A) ICT/Computer Skills –

- Creating Web Pages
- Data Processing – Basic & Advanced
- Word Processing
- Poster Design on Computer
- Photography – Outdoor & Studio
- Computer Programming

(B) Craft Skills -

- Embroidery
- Painting (Water color)
- Waste Reuse

(C) Food Skills -

- Restaurant Service

11. Type of Disability (Please tick)

(a) Visual Impairment (VI)

(b) Hearing Impairment (HI)

(c) Orthopaedic Disability (OH)

(d) Any other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_

12. Would you need any kind of assistance for attending the competitions-

Yes

No

If Yes, please specify \_\_\_\_\_

12. Have you previously participated in any of the NAAI event?

Yes

No

13. If, yes, how many times you have participated?

Once

Twice

More Than Twice

14. Your participation was at which level?

Regional

National

International

15. Have you received any award, previously?

Yes

No

16. Please, mention type of award? (If Any)

Gold

Silver

Bronze

Certificate of Excellence

Signature of Participant/Representative on behalf of Participant