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Excellence in Science Writing Contest



Award for Excellence in Science Writing - 2017

You are invited to step into the world of Science Communication and create a niche for yourself. You may choose to write about science & technology aspects as stand-alone or intertwined elements relating to (but not restricted to) the topics:

- ▶ A phenomenon
- ▶ Controversies
- ▶ Policies / Plans
- ▶ Community initiatives
- ▶ Communication and engagement challenges
- ▶ Recent developments
- ▶ Science & Society

Your write up should :

- ▶ Clearly convey your stand on the topic you choose to write on.
- ▶ Be precise and technically sound with referenced information.
- ▶ TDU and SAEVUS aim to create a much-needed groundswell of Science, technology and innovation (STI) communication and a community of STI based communicators through this competition.
- ▶ You could play an important role in this initiative.
- ▶ The decision of the Jury will be final.

Competition is open for

Indian citizens who are Undergraduate/ postgraduate students studying any stream in a UGC recognized university in India.

Articles should be :

- ▶ only in English, typewritten and with a title and not fictional in nature.
 - ▶ original unpublished work of 1000 to 1500 words, written solely for the purpose of this competition.
 - ▶ authored by only one person. Articles with more than one author will not qualify.
 - ▶ submitted only online through the links provided. Offline or e-mail articles will not be entertained.
1. Only one submission per author will be accepted.
 2. The organizers may approach participants, over phone or email if any additional information is needed as part of the overall process.
 3. Articles will be judged by jury of eminent specialists and their decisions will be final.

Prizes:

- Five winners will be selected(no ranks will be allotted)
- ▶ Each winner will receive a cash prize money of INR 5000
 - ▶ Each winner will receive 1 year free subscription of SAEVUS magazine
 - ▶ Each winner also gets a chance to be hosted by TDU for a period of 1 week (5 working days) at the TDU campus in Bengaluru where all five winners will be exposed to science communication activities at the campus. The travel allowances for (3rd AC fare for shortest route from winner's residence to TDU campus) the hosted winners will be reimbursed. Accommodation will be arranged at TDU hostel.

Timelines & Submission:

- A. The competition will open on 1st September 2017.
 - B. The last date for submitting articles is 30th of October 2017.
- Submit online through <http://tdu.edu.in/tdu-saevus-award-for-excellence-in-science-writing-2017/>. You can also upload the story via www.saevus.in.

