

**Invitation : World Book Fair 2025, New Delhi from 1-9 February, 2025 at
Bharat Mandapam, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi**

Dear Madam/Sir,

Greetings from All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) ..!

We are pleased to inform you that The Ministry of Education has initiated a number of measures that are aimed towards creating a knowledge-based society by facilitating reading promotional events across the country. All these are aimed at providing opportunities for quality education, overall development of personality, and universal access to reading material.

The New Delhi World Book Fair, organized by the Ministry of Education and implemented by the National Book Trust (NBT) of India, is a key platform for promoting the culture of reading. Since 1957, NBT has been fostering books and reading in India by publishing quality material and organizing book fairs, exhibitions, seminars, workshops, panel discussions, book launches, and children's activities.

The New Delhi World Book Fair offers exhibitors a unique platform to engage with India's vibrant literary culture. Beyond business, it celebrates books, ideas, and reading, fostering intellectual exchange. The fair showcases new titles, encourages co-publication partnerships, and shares literary insights through conferences, seminars, and programs. Known as the *Maha Kumbh* of books, it is a dynamic space for networking and nurturing a passion for reading and knowledge.

It is our privilege to inform you that the next edition of the **New Delhi World Book Fair** is scheduled to be held at **Bharat Mandapam**, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi, from **1-9 February, 2025**. Over 2000 publishers, distributors, and booksellers will showcase their latest and old publications as part of the book extravaganza, which would also feature literary sessions, authors' meet-ups, business meets, activities for children, discussions, seminars, etc. With **Russia** as the country of focus, the theme *Republic@75* will prominently highlight the essence of India's democratic journey, celebrating 75 years of country's enduring commitment to freedom, equality, and unity.

Mr. Sachin Kudkurkar [+91 96679 88963] can be contacted for further coordination and other queries.

In view of the foregoing, AICTE requests your institution to attend the upcoming New Delhi World Book Fair. Additionally, we request that you can send a delegation of researchers, scholars, writers, authors, booklovers, librarians and members of your Book Selection Committee to explore the fair and place book orders for your esteemed institution. AICTE also requests your institution to share this information with all the faculty, students, staff, and others, so that they can benefit from it.

PFA:- https://drive.google.com/file/d/1cInJ2U8j_Zp4-xOg9rhnQbmkwXXI785L/view?usp=sharing

With regards

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