#### **Registration Fee**

	Early Bird: 16th December 2017		On or Before 16th January 2018	
Category of Delegates	Without Accommodation	With Accommodation	Without Accommodation	With Accommodation
Delegates IAAP Members	Rs. 3000/-	₹4000/-	₹3500/-	₹4500/-
Delegates (Non Members)	₹3500/-	₹4500/-	₹4000/-	₹5000/-
Accompanying Person (No paper presentation and conference kit)	₹2500/-	₹3500/-	₹3000/-	₹4000/-
Research Scholars / Students (IAAP Members)	₹2000/-	₹2700/-	₹2500/-	₹3200/-
Students/research Scholars (Non members)	₹2500/-	₹3200/-	₹3000/-	₹3700/-
Foreign Delegates from Developed countries	USD 400		USD 450	
Foreign Delegates from Developing countries	USD 300		USD 350	

# Students should produce their proof of identification from their respective institutions.

Accommodation: The organizing committee will try to provide accommodation to all the delegates who register well in advance. Since, the University Guest House consists of limited accommodation, delegates will be allotted on first-cum-first serve basis and the rest will be accommodated in the nearby guest houses. Faculties will be allotted shared A/C room and students/ research scholars will be allotted shared non A/C rooms. Accommodation will be provided from 15th February 2018 to 18th February 2018. Organizing committee does not assure accommodation and conference kit to the late (after 16th January 2018) and spot registering delegates. Foreign delegates are requested to look for their own accommodation, the organizing committee will facilitate for the same. More information on this will be provided on request.

#### **Abstract Submission:**

An abstract of the paper not exceeding 200 words as MS-Word document with author's affiliation may be sent to Prof. Surendra Kumar Sia to his e-mail address. It may be noted by all the paper presenters that the abstracts received after the due date may not be included in the Book of Abstracts / Souvenir. There will be one presenter for one presentation and the certificate for presentation of the paper will be issued to that presenter only.

Last date for submission of the Abstracts : 10<sup>th</sup> December, 2017.

Communication about acceptance of Abstracts : 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2017.

Last date for submission of the Full paper : 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2018.

Delegates can send the duly filled in Registration form to the Organizing Secretary along with the required fee in the form of Demand Draft drawn in favour of "IAAP-2018" Payable at **Puducherry**. The further details about NEFT/ RTGS/ Net Banking will appear in the second announcement.

#### **Other Significant Programs:**

- Symposium and Workshops
- Prof. S. Sultan Akhtar Memorial Lecture
- General Body Meeting of IAAP Members
- Almuni Meet of Department of Applied Psychology, Pondicherry University

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\*Details of other committees will be updated in the next announcement

# 53rd NATIONAL & 22nd INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF INDIAN ACADEMY OF APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY

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# Theme: PSYCHOLOGY FOR DEVELOPMENT AND WELLNESS: ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL PARTNERSHIP

Organized by
Department of Applied Psychology,
Pondicherry University, Puducherry, India

# **About Pondicherry University**

Pondicherry University was established in October 1985 by the Government of India through an Act of Parliament. The campus is located in a salubrious and sprawling area spread over seven hundred and eight acres of land, some of which rolls down to the Bay of Bengal. The University is a member of the Association of Commonwealth Universities and has signed Memorandum of Understanding with several foreign universities/ institutes. It has emerged as one of the fastest growing central university of India offering a wide range of 175 programmes under 15 schools and 10 centers.



# About Department of Applied Psychology

The Department of Applied Psychology was established in October 2007 with a view to offer two-year Post Graduate course in Applied Psychology under the School of Physical, Chemical & Applied Sciences. The department started functioning with 20 students during the academic session 2007-08. Now the intake capacity is 52. The course aims at preparing students with both theoretical and practical knowledge so that in turn they can render professional services to the society through different organizations. Currently there are three specializations in Applied Psychology viz., Clinical Psychology, Industrial/Organizational Psychology and Counselling Psychology. The curriculum is integrated with field work in hospitals, industries and advertisement consultancies, keeping in view of students' placement after the successful completion of the course. The department started running one year P.G. Diploma Course in Industrial Psychology from 2009 and PhD programme from 2010.

# **About Pondicherry**

Puducherry is the abode of Sri Aurobindo and The Mother. The UT is synonym to peace and harmony. The typical tranquility and spiritual embrace of Puducherry beckons the sojourners to the cosmopolitan city. The unique French heritage and culture, along with idyllic beaches, backwaters, cuisines, handicraft, yoga & meditation and Ayurveda sets it apart. It is well connected by rail, roads and flights.





#### INDIAN ACADEMY OF APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY (IAAP)

The IAAP was established in the year 1962 at Presidency College, Madras and it is one of the largest body of psychology with more than 1650 life members. It has grown into a professional body with a large number of members active in research. With the aim of promoting Applied Psychology at the National and International level, IAAP extends active support to the fraternity of Psychologists through Annual Conferences, Workshops, Training Programs and Special Lectures. The Academy publishes a bi-annual research journal: *Journal of the Indian Academy of Applied Psychology.* In addition, the academy has to its credit publications that include several conference proceedings, books and a publication manual. It has instituted various awards to inspire, encourage and appreciate the work of researchers in psychology.

#### **IAAP Annual Awards**

- Dr. P. Deivasenapathy IAAP- Young Scientist Award: Certificate and Cash Award for the best research paper presented in the award session during the conference.
- Prof. Anima Sen Award: Certificate and Cash Award for the best article published in the Journal of Indian Academy of Applied Psychology every calendar year.
- Prof. Mrs. Manju Thakur Memorial Award: Certificate and Cash Award for distinguished innovative work in Research, Test Construction and Book Publication during the preceding year.
- NITTTR IAAP Award: Certificate and Cash Award for the best research work in M.Phil, Ph.D or Project supported by funding agencies during the preceding year.
- Prof. Deepak Bhat Award: Certificate for best paper presentation in IAAP Conference, one for each scientific session.
- Prof. S.Sultan Akhtar Memorial Award: Certificate and Cash Award for the best Community Extension work in the preceding year in any area of Applied Psychology.

All applications along with the full paper / Nominations for awards listed above should reach before 15<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2018 to Prof. Novratten Sharma, Secretary, IAAP, Dept. of Psychology M.D. University, Rohtak-124001.

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## **ABOUT THE CONFERENCE**

It's more important now than ever to create a healthy and enriched environment for the human being. Starting from proper sleep habits to reducing anxiety, good life style choices to effective interaction, there is a need to analyse the behavioural dynamics. When we glance at the present day society, we come across with varied behavioural issues in the context of family, workplace, educational institutes and society at large. The academicians and professionals have to work together to trace out the factors which promote

motivation and healthy behavioural functioning. Keeping that in mind, in this annual conference of Indian Academy of Applied Psychology, IAAP-2018, we are going to emphasise conceptual underpinnings, empirical evidence base and practical applications of psychology in terms of paper presentations, symposiums and invited speeches on the theme "Psychology for Development and Wellness: Academic and Professional Partnership".

There is a need to identify how psychology can contribute to human well-being at a societal level including issues such as health, education, women empowerment, elderly care, clean environment, intergroup relations, national integration and even political disputes. We live in varied socio-cultural contexts across our nation. That is why our problems and the way we approach these problems to find solutions naturally vary. Sharing of information among our psychology fraternity will undoubtedly lead to mutual benefit. I am confident that the present conference would help us in fulfilling this purpose.





#### **SUB-THEMES**

- ★ Mental Health: Issues and Challenges
- Multicultural Indian Society and Positive Youth Development (PYD). Community and Wellbeing
- ★ Startups in Applied Psychology to Build up Healthy World
- ★ Psycho-social consequences of Cyber Security
- ★ Psychology for Caring the Elderly
- ★ Counseling in the Context of India
- ★ Psychology for Capacity building and Self Transformation
- ★ Work Behaviour and Work outcome
- ★ Education, Innovation and Excellence
- ★ Life Skills Development
- \* Environment and Behaviour
- ★ Methodological Issues in Psychological Research

#### **WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?**

Academicians, Scientists, Professionals, Researchers & Students from various fields of psychology, allied subjects and multi-disciplinary fields are invited to contribute to IAAP 2018.