



Geo-Spatial Knowledge Contest 2016



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Geospatial Knowledge Contest 2016 (GKC 2016)

GeoITHub announces first of its kind on-line “**Geospatial Knowledge Contest**” (supported by **Digital India**) that focuses towards advanced topics like Location Analytics, Internet of Things, Mobile Technology, Smart Cities, Business Intelligence, Remote Sensing, Convergence of GIS with IT, Drones, Artificial Intelligence just to name a few. **Objective of GKC is to raise awareness of Geo-Spatial technology in young minds** and showcase the Geospatial Knowledge of school students, undergraduates, post-graduates, Ph.Ds researchers/scholars to the world.

All you need to do is SHARE! Share your knowledge or ideas in any of the above technology fields, in the form on **ONE PAGE BLOG** (Minimum 300 words) and win a **Cash Prize. Top 20 entries will get amazing cash prizes for sharing their valuable ideas and concepts.**



Awards:

A token of appreciation for joining us and sharing your valuable knowledge!

S. No.	Levels	Category (A) Tech Blogger (For undergraduate / Postgraduate / PhD/Researcher)	Total number of Award in each level for category 'A'	Category (B) Early Scribbler (For School Students 10 th /11 th / 12 th Grade)	Total number of Award in each level for category 'B'
1	1 st Prize	INR 25,000/-	1	INR 15,000/-	1
2	2 nd Prize	INR 15,000/-	1	INR 10,000/-	1
3	3 rd Prize	INR 10,000/-	1	INR 5,000/-	1
Special Theme Awards					
4	IOT Wizard	INR 5,000/-	1	INR 5,000/-	1
5	Smart City Propagator	INR 5,000/-	1	INR 5,000/-	1
6	Big Data Analyst	INR 5,000/-	1	INR 5,000/-	1
7	Location Analytics Enthusiast	INR 5,000/-	1	INR 5,000/-	1
8	Business Intelligence Mogul	INR 5,000/-	1	INR 5,000/-	1
9	Mobile Tech Innovator	INR 5,000/-	1	INR 5,000/-	1
10	Artificial Intelligence Wizard	INR 5,000/-	1	INR 5,000/-	1



Winners will be decided by team of Jury as per judging criteria of entry mentioned in the section below “Judging Criteria”.

All the Winners will be invited to Award Function, scheduled to be held in February/March 2017 at New Delhi. We will provide reimbursements of train tickets (2nd AC/AC Chair Car) for short distance (less than 500KM from Delhi) and Economy Class Air Fair for long distances. We will also provide accommodation during stay at Delhi. **For participants from Delhi / NCR accommodation will not be provided.**

All participants will receive a participation certificate from GeolTHub (Subject to Qualifying blog content criteria). All entries received will be eligible for show-casing at GeolTHub website, subject to moderation.

Registration Fees: No Registration Fees! Participation is absolutely free!

Eligibility:

Applicants must meet all of the requirements below to qualify for the competition. For any queries regarding eligibility contact Mr Pushpak Sharma (pushpak@geoithub.com, Mob: +91 9999875957) or Mr. Swaraj Singh (swaraj@geoithub.com, Mob:+91 9818811455) or Mr. Mayank Soni (M: +91 9873611929) at support@geoithub.com :

- Applicants must be the age of 15+ or older;
- Applicants must be enrolled in any school/college of India and could be from any stream.
- All work must be the original work of the applicant and include his past published work;
- Only one entry allowed per student; and
- Only individual student submissions allowed (no group projects).

Participation Process:

There are two ways of submitting your entries.

1. Online Submission

Step-1

Register yourself at geoithub.com using the **SIGNUP** tab. [Here](#)

Step-2

Once you are register then you will be able to see “**Submit Your Entry**” button under GKC2016 page.

Step-3

Enter the details as relevant and upload your document in **word or PDF** format. File size should not be more than 8MB. All content should be in one document only. Only one entry will be entertained by participant and last entry will be treated as final.



2. Through Email

Step-1

Register yourself at geoithub.com using the **SIGNUP** tab. [Here](#)

Step-2

After Registration, Email your tech blog content at gkc2016@geoithub.com enclosed in a document (pdf or word) with the following details in email body:

- GeoITHub Registration ID:
- Topic Name:
- Full Name:
- Registration No./ Roll No. and Year of Study:
- University/College/Institute/School Name
- Branch/Class
- Department and Course Name:
- Phone Number/Contact Number:
- Email ID

Judging Criteria:

The competition will be judged by a panel of experienced geospatial specialists, and the combined scores from all judges will determine the winners.

Entries will be judged according to the below criteria:

- Idea and imagination (Concept).
- Social Benefit.
- Presentation of Content.
- Research Efforts.
- Content.
- Imagery used (must be acknowledged).



Screening Process:

- Screening of entry will be done based on basic blog content criteria.
- After screening and based on above criteria, entries will be judged by jury member and short listing of candidates will be done.
- Short-listed candidates will be invited for presentation/discussions which will be organized through on-line session (Skype / Team Viewer/Tele-Phonic).
- Based on on-line presentation/discussion and assessment marks by judges, winners in each category will be decided.

All winner's entries will be show cased at GeolTHub (including our Facebook, LinkedIn and twitter pages) along with the **Author Profile**.

Blog Content Criteria:

- Content must be in English only.
- The blog post, should contain minimum 300 words and should be structured properly with Headings/Sub-Headings/Points/Relevant images. (Refer to sample blog format).
- Content must be written in your own words and should be original.
- References must be properly mentioned along with web link/photo credit/data sources.
- Upload your entry in .docx or .pdf format only. File size not more than 5mb.
- The idea/concept must have possible applications and examples. (Refer to sample blog format).

Important Dates:

Last date for submitting your entry for GKC2016 – 31st December, 2016

Announcement of Short Listed Candidates – 15th February, 2017

Award Function and Announcement of Winners – February/March, 2017 at New Delhi

(Date and Venue Details will be informed shortly)

All announcements and updates will be posted on geoithub.com only.

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