



AMAL JYOTHI
COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
AUTONOMOUS
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20TH

I²U PROJECT CONTEST 2026

CALL FOR PROPOSAL



ELIGIBILITY:

**OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS OF
AJCE**



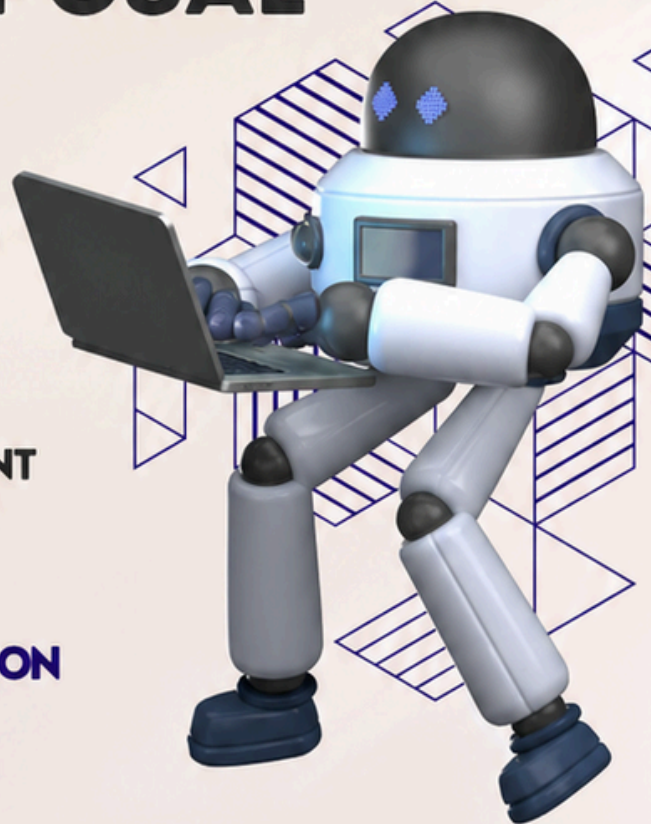
ELIGIBILITY GRANT:

**MAXIMUM ELIGIBLE GRANT
FOR EACH PROJECT: 15 K**



LAST DATE FOR SUBMISSION

10/08/2026



EARN ACTIVITY POINTS AND ACADEMIC CREDITS



TOTAL PRIZE MONEY:

12 LAKHS



**REGISTER
YOUR TEAM NOW
THROUGH **AES!****

FOR MORE INFO:

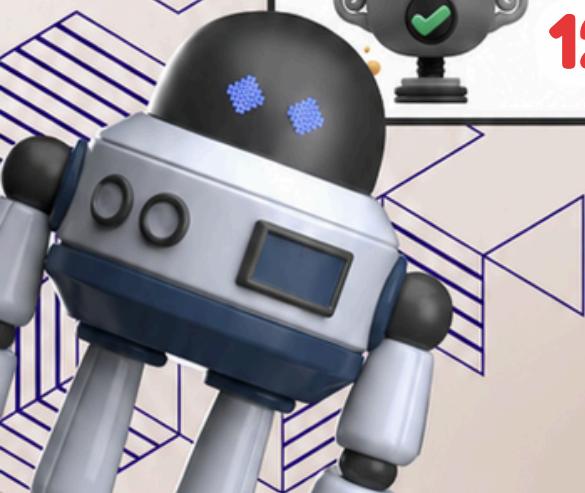
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Project Contest Guidelines

- **Eligibility:** Open to all students of AJCE.
- **Team Composition:** Each team can have a maximum of six students, including the Team Leader. A student can be part of only one team.
- **Team structure:** Each team must have a Student Leader, a Guide (faculty mentor), and an optional Co-guide.
- **Interdisciplinary Collaboration:** Multi-disciplinary teams are encouraged. Students from different branches or semesters may form teams. Guide and Co-guide can be from the same or different departments.
- **Departmental Association:** The project will be officially associated with the Guide's parent department.
- **Evaluation Process:** A panel of judges appointed by the college will evaluate the proposals based on Innovativeness, Presentation quality, Engineering merit, Cost effectiveness, Potential impact, Selected proposals will be recommended for funding support.
- **Funding Support:** Approved projects will receive AJCE R&D funding (up to ₹15,000 per project, based on project requirements).
- **Project Monitoring:** Teams must submit periodic progress reports through their Guide to the Dean (Research). A mid-term evaluation will also be conducted.
- **Implementation Timeline:** Projects must be completed and demonstrated by February 2027 under the guidance of faculty mentors.
- **Fund Management:** Funds will be disbursed to the Guide's department. Departments must maintain proper records and ensure the project remains in working condition after completion.

Guidelines for awarding Certification levels and Activity point/ Credits based on I2U Contest

Sl. No.	Certification level	Activity point/ Credit (s)	Criteria
1	Basic Certification	10 Activity points	• Successful project ideation, proposal submission, qualifying Phase I evaluation (Conducted at Departmental level), and participation in Phase II evaluation (Conducted by Internal expert team).
2	Intermediate Certification	40 Activity points (1 Credit)	• Qualified in both Phase I (Conducted at Departmental level) and Phase II evaluations (Conducted by Internal expert team). • Selected for funding, implementation, delivery of quality project outcomes and participation in project expo (AJCE Master Mind).
3	Advanced Certification	3 Credits*	• Qualified in Phase I (Conducted at Departmental level), Phase II (Conducted by Internal expert team), and Phase III (Conducted by Internal expert team, including an External expert) evaluations. • Selected for funding, implementation, delivery of quality project outcomes and participation in project expo (AJCE Master Mind). • High-quality outcomes such as Start-up/ National level project prize winner/ publications (SCI/SCOPUS)/ patents granted, and proven societal/ industrial impact.

***The 3 credits earned may be considered as a substitute for the Open Elective course in the 7th semester (Subject to approval of the Academic Council).**