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Dear Vice Chancellor/Director,

Greetings from AIU!

As you know, *Anveshan: Student Research Convention* is a pioneering initiative of Association of Indian Universities which is organised at Zonal and National level every year. *Anveshan* aims at identifying and nurturing the Research Talents of young graduates in our universities and thereby giving impetus to the Higher Education Research Ecosystem.

Since 2007, an Annual Event of AIU, *Anveshan* has successfully accomplished its objectives by providing a structured platform to the young and budding researchers to showcase their talent through presentation of research ideas, proposals, models and live demonstrations. We feel honoured to share that *Anveshan* has not only been widely acclaimed by the young researchers but also has received accolades from the Vice Chancellors and senior academic leaders including the apex organisation of the Government. Now in its 16th year, *Anveshan* remains the leading competition for university students in Research and Innovation. Since its inception, the conventions were being organised in physical mode. **From the current year we have digitalised the format of *Anveshan* and also added a new feature i.e., allowing participation of International Students- both solo and in collaboration with Indian students to expand the reach and strengthen its impact.** This will give international exposure to your students.

It gives me immense pleasure to announce the launch of the new version of *Anveshan 2023* and invite your university and students to join the research competition. We request you to kindly inform your students about the Research Convention at the earliest and encourage them to register [online](https://projectset.com/anveshan) (<https://projectset.com/anveshan>). To help you in this process, we have attached a leaflet that may be shared with your students to guide them on the sign-up process and also a set of social media posts (<https://bit.ly/Anveshan23SMKit>) that you may upload on your social media channels. **Registration for *Anveshan* is now open and will close on October 20, 2023.** The zonal and national conventions will be held during **November 2023 to March 15, 2024** (we will announce the dates shortly).

We also request you to nominate an *Anveshan Coordinator for your university*. Your nominee will act as the primary point-of-contact for your university on *Anveshan* matters. This will:

- significantly streamline the communication between AIU and your university;
- strengthen the experience and support for your students
- channel your inputs effectively to help us make *Anveshan* most relevant to your community.

You may request the *Anveshan* Coordinator to signup online by using the following link: (<https://projectset.com/anveshan/coordinator>). We will be in touch with them once they sign up.

We also invite you, as well as the *Anveshan* coordinator and students of your university to join an introduction webinar on new *Anveshan* at **3.00 PM IST on Thursday 10th August, 2023** using the link <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87291284804> to find more information and get clarification on any question you may have. You may also contact us at researchaiu@gmail.com or our partner ProjectSet at support@projectset.com, anytime for any necessary details. We look forward to your participation and support in *Anveshan 2023*.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,


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