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**Subject: Organizing Y20 YuvaManthan Model G20.**

Dear Madam/Sir,

As you are aware, University Grants Commission (UGC) vide its D.O.No.F.No.12/2022 (IC) dated 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2023 has issued guidelines to Higher Education Institutions to undertake suitable activities on G20- related themes such as Model G20 and ensure dissemination of issues under the ambit of India's G20 presidency. This is as per Hon'ble Prime Minister's vision of making G20 a Jan Bhagidari Movement.

Youth20 (Y20) India is an official Engagement Group of the G20 and an official consultation forum for youth from all G20 member countries. Y20 India has collaborated with YuvaManthan to disseminate e-modules to help students understand the functioning of the G20 and organise Y20 YuvaManthan Model G20 summits in educational institutions across India. Y20 YuvaManthan Model G20 Summit (YMG20), is an immersive international relations simulation that teaches global leadership to students and has been developed after considerable deliberations with experts who have represented India at G20 events.

In this regard, Universities and Colleges are requested to conduct the Y20 YuvaManthan Model G20 events. The details of the activities conducted, which may include photographs, videos, event reports and any other relevant details, may be shared at [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdHScRGN-GT5bZC3CKR33hoQ\\_5GNKJCK2YXSTN9PmY4YA6BjA/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdHScRGN-GT5bZC3CKR33hoQ_5GNKJCK2YXSTN9PmY4YA6BjA/viewform?usp=sf_link). Any communication in this regard can be sent to WhatsApp 'YuvaManthan' +91-9560771911 or email at [director@yuvamanthan.org](mailto:director@yuvamanthan.org).

With kind regards

Yours sincerely,

(Manish Joshi)

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The Vice Chancellors of all Universities  
The Principals/Directors of all Colleges

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## **OVERVIEW**

As India celebrates “Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav”, the world will arrive in India for the G20 Summit. India has assumed the G20 presidency from December 2022. India’s presidency would be a watershed moment in India’s history as it seeks to play an essential role by arriving at pragmatic global solutions for the wellbeing of all, manifesting the true spirit of ‘Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam’ or G20’s theme “One Earth - One Family - One Future’. The G20 Summit is essentially a meeting that convenes Finance Ministers, Foreign Ministers, Central Bank Governors, and government-appointed emissaries called Sherpas and their deputies along with senior advisors to discuss economic and socio-political matters. It is also an occasion where the Head-of-States come together to negotiate on matters affecting the world.

In the words of our hon’ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi:

**“It is the responsibility of the citizens to go beyond the expectations and acquaint the world with India’s capabilities, philosophy, social and intellectual strength.”**



## **FOLLOWING UP ON THE VISION OF PRIME MINISTER NARENDRA MODI**

Under our Prime Minister’s leadership, India has continuously molded its policies to suit the genius of our youth. With an emphasis on collective decision-making and the promotion of India’s culture of knowledge, our youth will serve as a catalyst for overall economic and social growth. We are not just the youngest country in the world but also with the most potential in terms of intellectual strength. Identifying archetypes in our youth dividend and building their skills is necessary to achieve inclusive growth. Therefore initiatives that lead to self-awareness in the youth will become the cornerstone for acquainting the world with India’s vision. More importantly for the youth, it is an opportunity to showcase their national heritage, culture and knowledge to the multitude of delegates expected to attend the event.

The role of India’s youth in a deeply interconnected world is critical and they can contribute by providing solutions to the global at large. Initiatives to facilitate their inclusion are essential to give them a global voice to be heard on matters related to the world’s socio-political problems. There is indeed no better proof of our decision makers’ seriousness and commitment towards meaningful participation of youth in policy making and governance by looking at the launch event of India’s G20 presidency, the University Connect programme. **The programme was attended by our External Affairs Minister Dr. S. Jaishankar; India’s Sherpa to G20 Shri Amitabh Kant; Principal Secy. to the PM Shri PK Mishra Secretary; Secretary Ministry of Higher Education, Shri Sanjay Murthy; Chairman, University Grants Commission Prof. M. Jagadesh Kumar;** among others. During this programme emphasis was on organizing G20 events in campuses such as Model G20, G20 branding in festivals, selfie contests with monuments, workshops and discussions, lectures, roundtable discussions and Model UN conferences on G20 agendas.

**Yuvamanthan Model G20 (YMG20)** is one such platform aimed at creating awareness on G20 among the youth, capturing their ideas and disseminating them to policymakers, G20 practitioners and foreign delegates. It allows students and young participants to discuss current economic, socio-political and cultural issues by participating in a mock simulation of the G20 summit where they act as the leaders of the G20 nations. It is aimed and designed for young learners who wish to ace the art of Public speaking, Team building and Diplomacy. The first round of YMG20 Summits will be held at the institutional levels followed by national-level summits. Institutions will organize institutional-level summits on their campuses. The winners of these institutional-level summits will have a chance to qualify for higher-level summits.

## **YMG20 and Y20 Partnership**

With the aim of engaging the youth in a dialogue on pressing global issues, Y20 India and Yuvamanthan signed a partnership that will focus on knowledge sharing, collective duty and meaningful engagement of young people in educational institutions across India. The partnership will foster, promote and organise discussions around themes such as the Future of Work, Peacebuilding and Reconciliation, Climate Change, Shared Future, Health, Well-being and Sports.