

Guidelines for Participation:

The General Guidelines

The participants must visit the official website (**www.hunarkikhoj.com**). Therein they will have to register their entry through the “**Participation Form**” on the “**Registration**” menu.

The participants are permitted to submit their entry for only one chosen category strictly. Multiple entries will lead to disqualification.

The participants can submit a Certificate from their Guru/Teacher/Instructor/Academy along with their entry to ensure to complete adherence to the terms and conditions. The participant must compulsorily submit his/her Id proof – Passport, National ID in case of PIO, Age proof, working contact No. with Residence address and E-mail etc.

The Guidelines & Instructions for uploading Video entry:

- I.** All entries must be in the form of a digital video produced by the applicant himself/herself.
- II.** The entry must focus on the participant’s selected field of expertise from amongst the ones stated above with a classical dance/music piece as applicable.
- III.** Video should be recorded with auto display of date and time of recording.
- IV.** Recordings done between the dates **14.10.2024 – 14.12.2024** will only be considered. Those done earlier shall be rejected, Recording/Video link will be upload for participation on official website.
- V.** Participants are required to make a video on the selected field of expertise for duration of 1 to 5 minutes for submission only. Video shall not exceed the time limit. If the video is longer than the prescribed duration, the entry shall be considered ineligible.
- VI.** Participants must upload their videos on You Tube in unlisted mode. Link of the video to be uploaded in Hunar Ki Khoj Competition Portal only. Entry submitted through any other mode shall not be accepted.
- VII.** PDF/JPEG Certificate by participant’s Guru/Teacher/Academy can be uploaded on the Hunar Ki Khoj Portal.
- VIII.** Participant shall not disclose their personal identity within the video created (name, number, country, city etc.)

- IX.** Entries with experimental, fusion or group presentations are not permitted and shall be rejected.
- X.** Organization may reach out to the participants whose videos are shortlisted for clarification and additional information, if necessary. Organization reserves the right to accept or reject any entry without assigning any reason.
- XI.** The decision of the Hunar Ki Khoj Jury shall be final and binding on all participants. No queries shall be entertained in this regard.

Other Salient Terms and Conditions:

- I.** The entry videos uploaded should strictly conform to the guidelines provided.
- II.** Visuals/Words which are erroneous, misleading and which may provoke communal obscurantist, anti-scientific and anti-national attitudes will make the entry liable to be disqualified.
- III.** The display of obscene acts and exposures that are deemed to be indecent will be disqualified.
- IV.** Canvassing in any form by any participant thru means such as phone calls, emails or letters is strictly prohibited and will lead to disqualification.
- V.** False declaration of personal information will lead to disqualification.
- VI.** The eminent panel of jury shall undertake the evaluation and judging of the entries. The decisions of the Screening Committee and the Jury shall be final and binding on all participants. The Jury may seek clarifications on any aspect (including age) of an entry from the participant to facilitate their evaluation. The participants who fail to provide the same within the specified time frame may be disqualified.
- VII.** The winners shall be declared by the Jury panel and publicized on the Official Website of **Hunar Ki Khoj** along with Social Media Platforms.
- VIII.** Video provided by the participants shall be accorded complete confidentiality. It shall be used only for the competition or other related promotional purposes by the Organizers.
- IX.** Organizers reserve their right to accept/reject any entry without assigning any reason whatsoever.
- X.** Any legal disputes arising out of the competition shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the courts of law in Delhi, India.

- XI.** The cost of producing/making the video be borne by the participants themselves. No reimbursement whatsoever for the same will be made by the organizers.
- XII.** Participants submitting the videos for the competition are solely responsible for copyright regulations, if any. Their undertaking that the video does not infringe on any copyright or intellectual property rights is inherent and included in their act of submission of entries to this competition. They shall indemnify the organizers against eventuality during and after the conduct of the competition.