

The Bharat Scouts and Guides

National Headquarters

Lakshmi Mazumdar Bhawan, 16, Mahatma Gandhi Marg, Indraprastha Estate, New Delhi-110 002.

To All the State Secretaries, State Associations of The Bharat Scouts and Guides, INDIAN UNION.



Circular No. : 2 / 2018 Dated : 19th March 2018



SUB.: ASIA-PACIFIC REGIONAL WORKSHOP ON DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION.

Dear Sir/Madam.

We are glad to inform you that Asia-Pacific Region of the World Organization of the Scout Movement, in partnership with the Boy Scouts of the Philippines is organizing the Asia-Pacific Regional Workshop on Diversity and Inclusion from 22nd to 26th June, 2018.

Diversity and Inclusion is one of WOSM's Strategic Priorities. Over the years, WOSM has made efforts to make Scouting inclusive by valuing the diversity of local and national communities.

Details as follows:

Name of Event	: Asia-Pacific Regional Workshop on Diversity and Inclusion
	: 22 nd to 26 th June, 2018.
Dates	The workshop will be conducted on the 22 nd until the 26 th of June 2018. It will run for 5 days, inclusive of arrivals and departures and educational tours.
Venue	: Baden Powel International Hotel, Ermita, Manila, Philippines.
Arrival and Departure	Participants are expected to arrive in Manila thru the Ninoy Aquino International Airport (NAIA) not later than 1400H of 22 nd June 2018, Friday and may depart after 1600H of 26 th June 2018, Tuesday.
Eligibility	The workshop is expected to gather key leaders, volunteers and professionals who are responsible for diversity and inclusion and who are willing to commit as their NSO's focal persons for D&I in the long term. Program Commissioners, Scout officials and full-time executives responsible for membership for community-based Scouting, Scouting for the differently-abled, Children in Especially Difficult Circumstances (CEDC), among others are welcome to join.
Workshop Objectives	 At the end of the workshop, the participants will be able to: Establish a common understanding of the principles of diversity and inclusion in all aspects of operation at region and national levels. Identify specific and generic issues for NSOs Provide participants the practical tools in reinforcing diversity and inclusion at all levels of Scouting Use train the trainer approach that enable participants to train others and duplicate the workshop in their countries. Develop action plans for NSOs to implement their common learnings

Registration Fee	Each participant will be charged with a workshop fee of USD 150.00 to defray expenses for meals (from dinner of 22 nd June until afternoon snacks of 26 th June), accommodation (triple or twin sharing, 6 days and 5 nights, from 22 nd June until 27 th June), workshop materials, souvenirs and educational tour.
Air-fare and Visa charges	: New Delhi Manila (Philippines) – INR. 45,000/- (Approximately) (Including Visa Charges).
Caution Money	: Rs. 5000/-, Non-refundable, if selected and not participated. Demand Draft in the name of "Bharat Scouts & Guides", payable at New Delhi
Last Date of Application	As the quota is limited, selection will be on the basis of "FIRST COME FIRST SERVE" The applications of the participating candidates should reach to National Headquarters, New Delhi on or before 30 th April, 2018 along with photocopy of valid passport and caution money.

You are requested to encourage your Leaders and send their applications in the prescribed Proforma (enclosed) to the National Headquarters, Bharat Scouts & Guides, New Delhi latest by 30th April, 2018.

Thanking you,

Yours in Scouting,

(KRISHNASWAMY R.)
OFFICIATING DIRECTOR

Encl:. As above

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