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To
The Chairperson
Senate Scholarship and Prizes Committee
IIT Kanpur

Subject: Regarding Medals and Prizes for Convocation - 2026

Dear Sir,

With reference to the mail from your office dated 13.02.2026 received regarding intimation of financial status of prizes and medals for student in the upcoming Convocation - 2026.

In view of the above, it is intimated that due to recent increase in prices of Gold and Silver recently, some medals are converted into cash prizes and gold medals are converted into silver medal with gold plating.

Further, Competent Authority vide note dated April 20, 2026, has accorded approval for the above-mentioned changes in the medals (copy of approval is attached for reference).

It is requested to kindly take note of the above and do the needful. Also, kindly put this in the forthcoming Senate meeting as noting agenda item.

With regards,

Nidhi Varma

Assistant Registrar, R & A



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Ref. No. IITK/DORA/SSPC/2026/
April 20, 2026

NOTE

Subject: Regarding approval of Medals and Prizes for Convocation - 2026.

This is with reference to the email received dated 13.02.2026 received from SSPC Office regarding intimation of financial status of the prizes and medals for awarding the student in the upcoming Convocation - 2026.

Further, it is appraised that due to highly increase in the price of the Gold and Silver in the past months, the matter was deliberately discussed between SSPC and DORA and it is decided to propose to convert the Medals in the following categories this year (list of the medals are attached as **Annexure - A**):

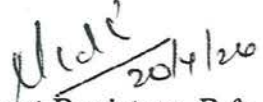
1. Gold and Silver Medals converted into cash prizes of Rs.10,000.00 (from Sl. No. 1 to 18).
2. Gold medals converted into silver medal of equivalent weight with gold plating (from Sl. No. 19 to 29).
3. Gold medals are converted into silver medals of equivalent weight with gold plating with cash prize (from Sl. No. 30 to 32).


Point no. 1 (for Sl. No. 1 to 18 the term "medals" will be changed to "award/prize") and Point no. 2 and 3 (recipients will be informed that the medal is made up of Silver with gold plating instead of gold).

Furthermore, list of cash prizes and awards are also attached as **Annexure - B**.

In view of the above, it is requested to kindly accord approval for the above proposal for medals and prizes for the forthcoming Convocation - 2026. The approval may be put up in the forthcoming Senate meeting as a noting item.

Submitted for consideration and approval.


Assistant Registrar, R & A


Jr. Supdt., R & A


Dean, Resources and Alumni

Approved/ Not Approved


Chairman, Senate

List of Medals for Convocation - 2026

As approved by Chairman Senate

S no	Medals	Revised name of Medals	No. of Award	Value per award	Weight (in grams)	FINAL AWARD VALUE TO BE RELEASED IN FY 25-26
1	Silver Medal for Excellence in Education by Sitaram Jindal Foundation	Award for Excellence in Education by Sitaram Jindal Foundation	2	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
2	Dr. S.D. Bokil Memorial Medal	Dr. S.D. Bokil Memorial Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
3	Smt. Rani Devi Pathak and Shri Chandra Sen Pathak Memorial Medal	Smt. Rani Devi Pathak and Shri Chandra Sen Pathak Memorial Award	1	100g Silver Medal gold plated	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
4	Trilok Chandra Goel Memorial Gold Medal for Ecological Sustainability	Trilok Chandra Goel Memorial Award for Ecological Sustainability	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
5	Best All-Rounder Girl Student of 2-year Master's Programme Gold Medal	Best All-Rounder Girl Student of 2-year Master's Programme Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
6	Prof. Burton J. Moyer Memorial Gold Medal	Prof. Burton J. Moyer Memorial Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
7	Prof. Putcha Venkateswarlu Memorial Gold Medal	Prof. Putcha Venkateswarlu Memorial Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
8	Prof. Samares Kar Memorial Gold Medal	Prof. Samares Kar Memorial Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
9	Shrimati Tara Dube and Shri Raj Deva Dube Memorial Gold Medal	Shrimati Tara Dube and Shri Raj Deva Dube Memorial Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
10	Dr. Shanker Dayal Sharma Medal	Dr. Shanker Dayal Sharma Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
11	Prof. Adidam Sai Ranga Sai Memorial Medal	Prof. Adidam Sai Ranga Sai Memorial Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
12	Sangeeta Pradhan Memorial Medal	Sangeeta Pradhan Memorial Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
13	Prof. Adidam Sai Ranga Sai Gold Medal	Prof. Adidam Sai Ranga Sai Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
14	Prof. Baldeva Upadhaya Gold Medal	Prof. Baldeva Upadhaya Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
15	Smt. Shashi Pundir Memorial Medal	Smt. Shashi Pundir Memorial Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
16	Shri Ghisa Lal Kamdar Memorial Medal	Shri Ghisa Lal Kamdar Memorial Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
17	Bhagwani Devi Maheswari Gold Medal	Bhagwani Devi Maheswari Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000
18	Mrs. & Mr. S. N. Mittal Gold Medal	Mrs. & Mr. S. N. Mittal Award	1	As per Senate Approval	NA	Cash Prize of Rs 10000

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19	Suman Gupta Gold Medal	Suman Gupta Gold Medal	1	As per Senate Approval	6	Silver equivalent to the gold Weight, platted with 9KT gold
20	Dr. Vishwanath Bajpai Memorial Gold Medal	Dr. Vishwanath Bajpai Memorial Gold Medal	1	As per Senate Approval	10	Silver equivalent to the gold Weight, platted with 9KT gold
21	Bhagwan Das Sanghi Memorial Gold Medal	Bhagwan Das Sanghi Memorial Gold Medal	1	As per Senate Approval	12	Silver equivalent to the gold Weight, platted with 9KT gold
22	Dr. Prateek Mishra Memorial Gold Medal	Dr. Prateek Mishra Memorial Gold Medal	1	As per Senate Approval	10.01	Silver equivalent to the gold Weight, platted with 9KT gold
23	Chandra Prabha and Charan Dass Gupta Gold Medal	Chandra Prabha and Charan Dass Gupta Gold Medal	1	As per Senate Approval	10.2	Silver equivalent to the gold Weight, platted with 9KT gold
24	Dr. Rukmini Saraswat Gold Medal	Dr. Rukmini Saraswat Gold Medal	1	As per Senate Approval	10	Silver equivalent to the gold Weight, platted with 9KT gold
25	Bogineni Cheenchu Rama Naidu Gold Medal	Bogineni Cheenchu Rama Naidu Gold Medal	1	As per Senate Approval	15	Silver equivalent to the gold Weight, platted with 9KT gold
26	Vibha Gold Medal	Vibha Gold Medal	1	As per Senate Approval	10	Silver equivalent to the gold Weight, platted with 9KT gold
27	Batra Gold Medal	Batra Gold Medal	1	As per Senate Approval	14	Silver equivalent to the gold Weight, platted with 9KT gold
28	Mehta M.Tech Gold Medal	Mehta M.Tech Gold Medal	1	As per Senate Approval	12.1	Silver equivalent to the gold Weight, platted with 9KT gold
29	Smt. Dipti N. Mistry Gold Medal for Fundamental Contributions in Energy Sciences	Smt. Dipti N. Mistry Gold Medal for Fundamental Contributions in Energy Sciences	1	Gold Medal of not more than 50000		9KT Gold medal worth Rs 50,000 (incl die & Making cost)
30	Dr. Vijay K. Varma Talent Award	Dr. Vijay K. Varma Talent Award	1	50000 with 100g Gold plated silver medal	100 gm	100g silver medal with 9Kt Gold plating
31	The E. Kerala Varma Raja Award	The E. Kerala Varma Raja Award	1	50000 with a gold-plated silver medal of 100 Gram	100 gm	100g silver medal with 9Kt Gold plating
32	P.T. Narasimhan Natural Sciences Prize (gold medal)	P.T. Narasimhan Natural Sciences Prize (gold medal)	1	Rs. 50000 with a 25gm gold plated silver medal	25 gm	25g silver medal with 9Kt Gold plating

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LIST OF CASH PRIZE AND AWARDS FOR CONVOCATION - 2026

As approved Chairman Senob

S.No.	Prizes/Awards	No. of Award	value per award	Status
1	Bhagavatula Project Award	1	20000	Release
2	Best Software Award	1	50000	Release
3	Sri Binay Kumar Sinha Award	1	20000	Release
4	Dr. Elizabeth & Dr. Varkey Cherian Award	1	15000	Release
5	Gopal Das Bandhari Teachers Award	1	75000	Release
6	IEEE/PEDES' 96 Award	1	5000	Release
7	Kunwar Devendra Pratap Singh & Kunwarani Krishna Kumari Memorial Award	1	25000	Release
8	Mars G. Fontana Prize	1	400	Release
9	Prof. Vijay Mahajan Award	1	15000	Release
10	Ranjan Kumar Memorial award	1	20000	Release
11	Shailja Srivastava Award	1	12500	Release
12	SIIC Student Innovation Award (SSIA)	2	25K / Student	Release
13	Prof. R.K. Jain Award	1	10000	Release
14	Radhabai Vasudeo Navelkar Award	1	20000	Release
15	Kanta Devi Malik Memorial Award	1	10000	Release
16	Sushila and Kantilal Mehta Award	1	40000	Release
17	Mahatma Choa Kok Sui Memorial Award	1	20000	Release
18	Envirotech GD Agrawal Award	1	50000	Release
19	Raghvendu Shukla Memorial Merit Award	1	50000	Release
20	Dr. Chandrakanta Kesavan Best Research Thesis Award	3	25000	Release
21	Dr. Chandrakanta Kesavan Best Research Project Award	2	25000	Release
22	Rajiv and Ritu Batra student Award in Cyber Security	1	100000	Release
23	Govind Swarup Memorial Award	1	50000	Release
24	Karandikar Best Ph.D. Thesis Award	1	50000	Release
25	DRG Allrounder Award	1	50000	Release
26	Manas Mandal Best Ph.D. Thesis Award	1	50000	Release
27	Golden Jubilee Award for Research and Innovation	1	50000	Release
28	Prof. J.L. Bansal Best Ph.D. Thesis Award	1	100000	Release
29	Prof. Pravir Dutt Excellence Award	1	50000	Release
30	V K Jain Award for the Best M.Tech. Thesis in Manufacturing	1	20000	Release
31	Professor L.P. Singh Power System Research Award	1	12000	Release
32	Jayesh Memorial Award	1	80000	Release
33	Ratan Swarup Memorial Prize	1	10000	Release