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**To Whom It May Concern:**

EURAXESS India has the pleasure to announce and invite you to disseminate the information on the [EURAXESS Science Slam India 2017](#), which is part of the **5<sup>th</sup> EURAXESS Science Slam** taking place in Brazil, China and **India** (see video [here](#)).

The EURAXESS Science Slam India is a competition open to all career levels starting with MA/MSc candidates (research-based or mixed) - from universities, research institutes, private sector or related careers, in all fields of research including Social Sciences and Humanities, Life Sciences and Engineering, of any nationality and age who are based in India.

The competition has two stages: (i) *Online pre-selection* where candidates will submit a short video in a creative, entertaining and accessible way; and (ii) the *Live Finals* where the finalists will perform in front of the review panel and a mixed audience who will choose the winner this year.

*Attached* to this letter you will find the *promotional leaflet* for this event with the relevant information to participate.

The *1st prize* this year will be the **EURAXESS Science Slammer** title and a **round trip to Europe to visit** a research institute of the winner's choice in the European Union in **2018**.

The video **submission period** will remain open **until 10 October 2017**. The finalists (no more than five) will be invited to present his or her slam at the **live finals in Kolkata** on Friday, **8 December 2017**. All finalists will win the trip to Kolkata and a short training on science communication prior to the finals in Chennai.

The [EURAXESS Science Slam India 2017](#) will be organised in partnership with [Global Innovation & Technology Alliance \(GITA\)](#), the [Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science \(IACS\)](#) and [IndiaBioscience](#) with the support of [Finnair](#).

Thank you for disseminating this information especially to students, researchers and faculty.

Yours sincerely,

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