

All the worlds' a stage and we're merely actors. But what Shakespeare did not tell you was if you play an actor, you will also have an audience! Here at Pearl, we have the stage, the lights and the audience. Grab the spotlight and the applause this march at Natyashastra, Pearl 2017!

1. NATYASHASTRA (THE STAGE PLAY COMPETITION)

This is a pre-registered college event. All members of the team have to first register on the Pearl website and later using your Pearl IDs as a single team for the event.

FORMAT:

- Round 1 – Script submission: Send an E-copy of your script by mail to dramatics.bitshyd@gmail.com by "28th Feb
- Round 2 – Finals: Finalists will showcase their act in the Auditorium, BITS Pilani Hyderabad Campus at Pearl 2017.

RULES:

1. The team must perform a stage play of one or more acts.
2. The team can comprise of 3-10 members excluding 6 backstage.
3. The duration of the performance should not exceed 45 minutes, including the stage setup and clearance time.
4. Teams will be penalized for exceeding the given time limit. 5% of the total score will be deducted for each minute above the time limit.
5. The script of the play can be original, adapted or musicals (you have to bring your own instruments and musicians as your team member in case of musical plays). Due credit should be given to the original playwright if the script is adapted.
6. The play should be in English/Hindi.
7. No vulgarity or controversial issues should be raised during the play.
8. Teams are advised to minimize their use of props. Only 2 tables and 4 chairs will be provided by organisers. All other settings need to be brought by the performing team.
9. Head mics, collar mics and hand mics will be provided on stage.
10. Sound can be provided only through sound clips, which should be made available on a pen drive well before the event. For live music teams should bring their own instruments.

11. A total of up to six members from a team are allowed to work backstage, with a maximum of one participant working with each of sound and lights. The other four members may work on stage setup and help performing contestants with other incidental needs on stage.

12. Teams must have their Pearl ID cards to complete the registration.

13. Use of fire/water/explosives or any other potential harmful substances is strictly prohibited.

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