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To
The Principals/Special Officers of University & Affiliated Colleges
Adikavi Nannaya University
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Sub: Govt. of Andhra Pradesh & APSCH is facilitating Hackathon on Smart Cities for Girl students at Andhra University, Visakhapatnam-Reg.

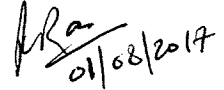
Ref: Letter from APSCH dated: 26-07-2017.

Sir/Madam,

As per the directions of The Secretary, APSCH, Guntur, it is informed that Govt. of Andhra Pradesh and APSCH is facilitating **Hackathon on Smart Cities** for Girl students from Engineering, Computer Applications (B.Sc, M.Sc, BCA & MCA) and related background at Andhra University, Visakhapatnam on August 19th & 20th, 2017. Hence, all the Principals are requested to encourage the girl students to participate in the event.

A copy of the letter issued by The Secretary APSCH is enclosed herewith for further details.

Yours Sincerely,


01/08/2017

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Prof. S. Varadarajan
Secretary

Dt: 26.07.2017

To
The Vice Chancellors,

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to inform that Government of Andhra Pradesh is facilitating **Hackathon on Smart Cities at Andhra University, Visakhapatnam on August 19th and 20th, 2017**. It is being hosted by **Girls in Tech Foundation**, an official NGO having special focus on women towards the engagement, education and empowerment in technology and entrepreneurship; in association with **Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education (APSCHE)** and **US State Department, US Consulate General Hyderabad, Wave Labs and IBM**.

As **Visakhapatnam** is shortlisted by **Government of India** under "**Smart Cities Mission**" to be developed as a Smart City, the Hackathon would help tap a range of approaches – digital and information technologies, urban planning best practices, public-private partnerships, and policy change – to make a difference.

She Builds Tech aims to provide a supportive platform which empowers women, developers/ students, to explore their technical skills using a hands-on approach. The flagship Hackathon will see the state government, international NGO's and corporates come together to identify and back transformative technology solutions encompassing Big Data, IoT and Cloud Technologies to build Smart City Solutions which will improve the lives of citizens and make them an integral part of governance. Please find attached the complete details of the event.

For more information: www.shebuildstech.com is available for reference.

Girl students from Engineering, Computer Applications (B.Sc, M.Sc, BCA and MCA) and related background are eligible to apply for this event. The students who are participating will receive a certificate for their participation. Depending on the number of applications, APSCHE will undertake the selection process and totally 250 students will be selected across the state. We would like the universities/colleges to encourage their students to participate in **Smart Cities Hackathon**. The deadline for the application is 7th August, 2017.

For filling the application form, click on the below given link or copy the link and paste it in your browser <https://goo.gl/forms/h6ChrtqxeApsx4t2>

Please also provide a **point of contact along with the contact details (email id and phone number) from your respective college/university** to coordinate for the event and also accompany the group of girls students to Vizag for two days. The point of contact for APSCHE will be Sabiha Nafiz (Contact number: 9502517370 and Email id: sabihanafiz93@gmail.com).

Looking forward to impact girls across Andhra Pradesh together!

With Regards,


Secretary
APSCHE