



## IACA TALENT SHOW (ITS) INFORMATION & REGISTRATION FORM

Dear Participant,

Thank you for your interest in performing in the 2021 IACA Talent Show! Please read important information below and, if participating, sign the form. If you are a minor (below the age of 18 years as of the time of signing the form) a parent or guardian must sign this form on your behalf. A signature indicates that you have read, understand and agree to abide by the ITS guidelines set forth.

**Please note that ITS Registration Form without a signature by a Participant/Parent/Guardian will not be accepted.** Thank you for your cooperation and support. We are looking forward to a great talent show!

Sincerely,

Talent Show Committee

### **ITS Information/Guidelines:**

**Round One** – All participants will enter in the audition process by submitting 1-minute-long video of their talent in the selected category to IACAGJC@gmail.com on or before March 15th, 2021. ITS judges will short list entries based on quality of talent and performance.

**Round Two** - The short-listed talents will be invited to perform the same talent for a minute and half LIVE on Zoom on March 26th, 2021. ITS judges will shortlist contestants for next stage.

**Round Three** - In the Final round, selected contestants will perform talent in the chosen category for 2 minutes LIVE on Zoom on March 28th, 2021. ITS judges will select the top 3 winners from each Age Group and announce the winners.

*Note 1: To participate in ITS, either the contestant or his/her parent must be a current member of IACA. You can become IACA member at <https://www.iacaatl.org/membership/>*

*Note 2: IACA reserves all rights of organizing ITS and its decision is final and binding on all contestants.*

Entries can be sent by email to IACAGJC@gmail.com or by calling ITS team given below –

Kiran Agnihotri 770-310-3998  
Rani Singh 770-364-7068  
Anu Bhat 404-422-3137  
Bina Desai 678-761-1989  
Chand Akkineni 404-915-0497

Vishwanath Ganti 732-491-9324  
Neelam Sharma 770-598-4362  
Chaitanya Bhat 404-693-6882  
Anamika Pol 404-200-5139  
Paddy Sharma 404-642-9064



## ITS RULES & REGULATIONS

1. Participants can enter ITS as a solo act only.
2. Acts must be no more durations indicated in each round above (1, 2 and 3).
3. If selected, a participant must be available physically to participate in Zoom for Round 2 and Round 3.
4. We want participants who enter this show to exhibit their talent. Talents might include (but are not limited to) singing, dancing, instrumental music, skits, magic, juggling and other etc. (as per ITS flyer). Lip-syncing or singing along with the voice on tape is not allowed. Live instrumental accompaniments are allowed if the contestant's performance is not subdued. Karaoke tracks are allowed without dominating vocal tracks if a contestant is singing and without dominating instrumental tracks if contest is playing an instrument.

### **The whole idea is to allow the judges to evaluate a contestant's performance.**

5. No act will be considered if it does not meet the judges' standards of appropriateness for IACA in terms of language, subject matter, and attire. Acts having ANY DOUBTS about the appropriateness of their material would be well-advised to discuss this with the talent show committee BEFORE AUDITIONING.
6. Participants are responsible for their own music, props and costumes. Although complete costumes and props are not necessary, the complete and polished act has a greater chance of success.
7. Waiver of Liability & Hold Harmless Language – In consideration of requirements of IACA TALENT SHOW REGISTRATION FORM by India American Cultural Association (IACA) to permit me/my child to participate in the IACA TALENT SHOW 2021 (ITS), and as a consideration for my interest to participate in the Program, I hereby, knowingly and voluntarily enter into this waiver and release of liability and hereby waive any and all rights, claims or causes of action of any kind whatsoever arising out of my participation in the Program, and do hereby release and forever discharge IACA located at 1281 Cooper Lake Road, Smyrna GA 30082, their Organizing Committee and IACA ITS Team/volunteers for any physical or psychological injury, that I may suffer as a direct result of my participation in the aforementioned Program.

### **8: Either the contestant or his/her parents must be current members of IACA. You can become IACA member at <https://www.iacaatl.org/membership/>**

9. IACA reserves all rights of organizing ITS, including accepting/rejecting any entry and its decision is final and binding on all contestants.
10. By participating in ITS you agree to allow IACA to use the contestants photograph or performance videos for promotional purposes.

I am fully aware that my/my child's participation in this Program is totally voluntary and I am submitting a signed copy of IACA TALENT SHOW (ITS) REGISTRATION FORM



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**Note 1: You can fill this form online on IACA website at (<https://www.iacaatl.org>) or print it to complete below information/sign and then send a scanned copy or photo by e-mail to [IACAGJC@gmail.com](mailto:IACAGJC@gmail.com)**

**Note 2: If Participant is 18 years of age or above Participant should fill the form. If a Participant is below the age of 18 years (as of the time of signing the form), a parent/legal guardian of the Participant must complete & sign ITS Registration Form.**

### AGE GROUPS

A. Pre-school & Elementary      B. Middle      C. High school D. College- Freshman and Sophomore (2nd) Year.

### Talent Categories (solo performance only)

- Dance • Singing • Musical Instrument • Stand-up comedy • Magic • Acting • Martial arts
- Painting/Face painting/Henna Design/Rangoli • Martial arts • Reading famous speeches
- Acting/miming • Other

Participant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Participant Age Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Talent Category: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone (SMS Enabled): \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate number: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Brief Description of the Talent

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### Signatures

**If Participant is 18 years or above - Participant** Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**If Participant is below 18 years (as of the time of signing the form)**

### Parents Declaration:

By signing below, I am giving consent for my child to participate in the 2021 IACA Talent Show and agree to follow the ITS rules.

Participant Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_