

Manifesto

I, Rishav Chatterjee (Roll No: 195280033), a second-year student of M.Sc. Applied Statistics and Informatics programme at IIT, Bombay, contesting for the post of Web and Design Secretary, am determined to contribute my time and energy to create positive changes that the student want to see and contribute to the development of the departmental webpage, enthusiasm to the creativity vision of the students and the departmental laboratory.

Initiatives:

- Create a page highlighting the **departmental placement and research statistics**.
- **Smooth functioning of the labs** for both Masters and undergraduate students of the department and ensure that productivity and ideas are not lost due to software problems. I would like to create a page for all the necessary software and installation manual and update them as per student's requirements.
- **Create a separate page** to store all the online lectures that are to be conducted by the professors for this semester, so that students of the department can easily access those after the lecture has happened.
- **Encourage students to create their own webpage** on the Department server and help them with web designing if necessary.
- Conduct workshops on various programming languages- **C, C++, R** etc. for the 1st year students to familiarize them with programming and internship issues and workshops on **R, Python, MATLAB, LaTeX** etc. for the second-year students to help them with their placements.
- Ensure important software like **R, SAS, MATLAB** are updated and available on computers.
- Provide information about **M.Sc. projects and PhD thesis** published over time for ready reference by students and teachers.
- **Highlight ongoing events and achievements**, provide information about the math council-in all keep the math association webpage updated.
- Collaborate with the Department Alumni Secretary to develop an Alumni portal to keep the alumni updated about various departmental activities and research and also help them share their stories and experience thereby strengthening Student- Alumni relationship.
- **Create a coding group**- conduct activities like implementing topics learnt in class via computer, conduct coding contests, screen relevant movies etc. and collaborate with the Assistant Treasurer to make funds available for the same.
- **Make Ganit mail accessible to Gmail app**. If that can not be done, then to make sure that every information is accessible without directly logging in to the Ganit mail.

Credentials:

- Departmental Cultural Coordinator (MSc ASI 1st year, interviewed and selected)
Coordinated the contestants from Maths department with Cultural Secretary for PG Cult
- Knowledge in programming languages: C, C++, R, Python, HTML, SQL

Finally, I would want to be the person with whom the students can trust and share their grievances related to my field and I pledge to solve them with utmost urgency.