

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY DURGAPUR  
ACADEMIC SECTION

NITD/ACA/Best Project/2018-19

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**NOTIFICATION**

**Best Undergraduate (B. Tech) project Award, 2018-19**

This will be awarded to the student who has made the most significant contribution to his/her project work among students of B. Tech Program.

**Best Postgraduate (M. Tech) Project Award, 2018-19**

This will be awarded to the student who has made the most significant contribution to his/her project work among students of M. Tech Program.

A committee constituted by the competent authority will make the selection of the best project awardee for above.

**The following procedure will be followed:**

1. Students who carry out projects individually are eligible for award and should have completed the project in a single stretch spanning two Semesters only. (Odd and Even semester, 2018-19)
2. Preliminary scrutiny of projects shall be made by the end of March 2019 by the **respective departments** and the Head of the respective departments will forward the name of **maximum two students for each Branch of B. Tech and one student for each discipline in M. Tech** to the Dean (Academic) **with the draft thesis and the record book by April 12, 2019**. The forwarding letter should contain **i) the name of the programme/ branch, ii) the thesis title, iii) name of the supervisor and iv) signature of the student, supervisor and countersigned by the HOD.**
3. The members of the committee shall evaluate the reports and record books (to be maintained by the students to the record day to day activity) and shortlist the students for making oral presentation and display of any physical device before an open audience before the **end of the even semester Examination, 2018-19**. The date of presentation will be declared in time.
4. The selected candidates shall submit the final theses to the committee **within one week after the end of Even Semester Examination, 2018-19**. The committee will examine the record books and theses before arriving at a recommendation.
5. The committee shall consider the following aspects of the projects before making the final recommendations:  
a) Originality of concept, scientific approach, and experimental or analytical skills learnt; b) Quality of physical device, experimental or analytical innovation, prospect of patent or publication, direct relevance to industry, health care or public utility; c) Volume of work performed as presented through official record book and associated documents; d) Quality of record of day to day work as given in project Record Book and documents referred therein; e) Organization and quality of presentation including audiovisual material; f) Quality of thesis: content, organization and aesthetics.
6. **The decision of the committee shall be final and binding.**

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15/3/2019

Dean (Academic)