

ACM Kolkata Computer Science Project Contest 2026 (East and North-East India)

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Contest Website:

<http://kolkata.acm.org/UGproject/2026>

The **ACM Kolkata Chapter** invites nominations from faculty members across institutions in East and North-East India for the **ACM Kolkata Computer Science Project Contest 2026**.

Eligibility:

- Each participating team must consist of **undergraduate students** from the second, third, or final year of study in Computer Science, Information Technology, or allied disciplines.
- Only team submissions** are permitted; individual entries are not allowed.
- Each team must be formally nominated by the Project Supervisor and endorsed by the Head of the Department / Institute Head.
- Each institute or department may nominate up to three teams.

Important Dates:

- Deadline for nomination submission: **May 7, 2026** **May 12, 2026**
- Deadline for final report submission: **May 22, 2026**
- Project presentation and result declaration: **May 30, 2026**

How to Apply?

- Teams must complete the [online application form](#). The form captures team details and the following documents:
 - Scanned copy of the [nomination form](#) duly signed by the Project Supervisor and forwarded by the HoD / Head of the institute.
 - Short description of the project in the [prescribed template](#).
- The names of shortlisted teams will be announced on **16-May-2026** **17 May 2026**.
Only shortlisted teams will be required to upload the final project report/dissertation via the same online application form by **May 22, 2026**.

Procedure for adjudication:

All submissions will be reviewed by a Selection Committee appointed by the ACM Kolkata Chapter.
Shortlisted teams will be invited to present their projects before a jury panel on **May 30, 2026**, at the **University of Calcutta, Salt Lake Campus**.
Final selections will be based on submitted documentation and project presentation (*demo optional*).

Awards:

- Winner: ₹25,000/-
- Runner-Up: ₹15,000/-
- Second Runner-Up: ₹10,000/-
- Finalists & Special Mention(s): Certificates

Application Fees: (No cash or cheque payment accepted)

- ₹1,000 + ₹180 GST for a team of two members
- ₹500 + ₹90 GST for each additional member beyond two
- Maximum team size: six members

One faculty member may participate as a mentor and must register as an additional team member.

Teams from institutes with an **active ACM Student Chapter** are eligible for a **20% discount** on the standard registration fee. ACM members are eligible for an additional 15% discount on the applicable registration fee.

No registration fee is required at the initial submission stage. Payment instructions will be communicated to shortlisted teams in due course.

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