



GITAM



PRAMANA 2026

# natya Rasa

CLASSICAL DANCE COMPETITION  
RULEBOOK

- Welcome to Pramana, the techno-cultural fest brought to life by the students of GITAM Hyderabad! This year, we celebrate the richness of Indian heritage with a brand-new competition that honours the depth, discipline, and beauty of Classical Dance – Natya Rasa.
- We invite dancers to step into the spotlight and showcase the expressive power of classical art forms. Whether it's Bharatanatyam, Kuchipudi, Kathak, Odissi, Mohiniyattam, or any other classical style, this is your stage to demonstrate precision, storytelling, rhythm, and emotion rooted in tradition.
- Be graceful, expressive, and fearless, and let your abhinaya and footwork speak volumes. With our classical dance competition – Natya Rasa, we begin a journey to crown the first-ever champion who embodies tradition, technique, and timeless artistry with passion and poise.



## GENERAL RULES :

1. The final performance will be conducted at GITAM Hyderabad on 23<sup>rd</sup> **February**.
2. The **choreography should be your own**.
3. The participants are expected to prepare for a performance lasting **6-8 minutes**.
4. Participants are expected to bring the track in either a pen-drive or mail it to us by 19<sup>th</sup> **February**.
5. The information regarding the size of the main stage will be provided soon.
6. The decision of the judge(s) is final and binding.
7. Any acts of misconduct will lead to immediate disqualification.



8. No offence or discrimination towards any community will be tolerated.
9. Teams are responsible for the safety of stunts included in their choreography.

## **Competition Categories :**

- Solo
- Crew

### **1. Solo Category**

Registration fee: ₹400

### **2. Crew Category**

Team size: 4–15 members

Registration fee: ₹900

**Prize Pool- 11000+ (Note- Prize pool will increase based on the registrations)**



# JUDGING CRITERIA :

1. Choreography
2. Execution
3. Musicality
4. Creativity
5. Synchronisation
6. Expression and Style

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