# MINI-MATHEMATICS TRAINING AND TALENT SEARCH PROGRAMME

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Website: http://www.mtts.org.in/

# BACKGROUND

The mathematics training and talent search (MTTS) programme is one of the most popular and significant summer training programme in India. This programme has been running since 1993 and has made an impressive impact on mathematical scene in the country. We receive a large number of application forms from all parts of the country, but due to limitation of resources and seats, lot of deserving students do not get a chance to participate in main camps of the MTTS. In order to provide opportunities to a large number of students at regional levels, a mini-MTTS programme has been initiated and which runs on the same line of the main MTTS.

# AIM

The aim of the programme is to expose bright young students to the excitement of doing mathematics, to promote independent mathematical thinking and to prepare them for higher aspects of mathematics.

# **ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES**

There will be courses in Foundations, Linear Algebra and Real Analysis, Number Theory/Combinatorics.

The faculty will be active mathematicians with a commitment to teaching and from various leading institutions. The aim of the instructions is not to give routine lectures but to stimulate the participants to think and discover mathematical results.

# **ELIGIBILITY**

Second year undergraduate students with Mathematics as one of their main subjects. Exceptionally bright first year students may also apply.

# **HOW TO APPLY?**

Details and application forms can be had from the Head, Department of Mathematics of your Institution. It can also be downloaded from the MTTS website mentioned above.

The completed application form along with the recommendation letter should reach the Local Coordinator latest by **November 25, 2014.** Please write "mini-MTTS 2015, Mumbai" on the top of the envelope.

# **SELECTION**

The selection will be purely on merit, based on consistently good academic record and the recommendation letter from a mathematics professor closely acquainted with the candidate.

Only selected candidates will be informed of their selection by the **second week of December 2014.** The list of selected candidates will be also be posted on the MTTS website and on the Khalsa College website.

http://www.gnkhalsa.edu.in/

No accommodation will be provided to the selected candidates.

# PROGRAMME DIRECTOR

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# PROGRAMME COMMITTEE

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# **REGISTRATION FEE**

Selected candidates will be charged a registration fee of Rs. 600. The registration fee can be paid in cash at the time of registration.