



National Association of Professional Social Workers in India

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Expression of Interest to organize 15th ISWC 2027

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from the National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI)!

NAPSWI is a national professional organization committed to promoting quality social work education, strengthening professional practice, and advancing the knowledge base of social work across diverse fields. The Indian Social Work Conference (ISWC) is one of the flagship initiatives of NAPSWI, providing a national platform for academicians, practitioners, researchers, students, policymakers, and development professionals to engage in critical dialogue and knowledge exchange.

Since its inception in 2013, the Indian Social Work Conference has grown into one of the most significant gatherings of the social work fraternity in India. Over the years, the conference has been hosted by leading institutions across the country and has served as a platform for reflecting on the achievements, challenges, innovations, and future directions of the profession. The Indian Social Work Conference continues to envision meaningful introspection and reflection on the contributions of social work while fostering discussions on emerging social realities, policy concerns, professional challenges, and opportunities for transformative practice.

NAPSWI is pleased to invite proposals from universities, departments, schools, and institutions offering social work education to host the **15th Indian Social Work Conference (ISWC) 2027** which is proposed to be organized during October- November (preferably between Dusshera and Diwali period. This may attract 500+ participants.

Institutions interested in hosting the conference are invited to submit a detailed proposal along with the consent and endorsement of the Head of the Institution (Director/Principal/HOD/Vice-Chancellor/Registrar or equivalent authority).

The proposal should include details regarding:

- Institutional profile and experience in organizing national/international events.
- Availability of conference infrastructure and facilities.
- Accommodation arrangements for delegates.
- Local organizing committee structure.
- Proposed dates for the conference.
- Institutional commitment towards hosting the event.
- Any additional support and resources available for the successful organization of the conference.

NAPSWI has been granted a special consultative status by UN ECOSOC since 2019

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The guidelines for hosting the Indian Social Work Conference (ISWC) and other relevant details are available on the NAPSWI website. Interested institutions may submit their proposals on or before 30th August 2026 through email napswi@gmail.com

We look forward to receiving your proposal and partnering with your institution in organizing the **15th Indian Social Work Conference (ISWC) 2027**, thereby contributing to the advancement of social work education, practice, research, and policy in India.

With Best Regards,


Prof. Anoop Kumar Bhartiya
Secretary, NAPSWI

