

## NEWSLETTER

Dear Friends,

By the time this newsletter will reach you, we will be in the new financial year i.e. 2016 - 17

The new financial year will have new targets, new projects and so many other new challenges to face. To combat successfully the new challenge, one has to have very strong back bone of knowledge.

There are so many methods of acquiring knowledge, and one among them is learning by sharing.

In the last financial year, based on knowledge sharing, we have organised following programmes.

-- Training Program on TRIZ – Awareness by Prof P.R. Apte (Ex IIT Mumbai)

-- Q.C. Competition, where manufacturing and service sector organisations actively participated.

-- Annual Conference, which was attended and addressed by speakers of national and international repute.

As communicated in our last newsletter, we were planning for factory visit in the month of February 2016, but due some unavoidable reasons we have to postpone the same.

Now in year 2016-17 we are planning similar activities. I invite you to give your valuable suggestions for

---- Improvement in the above mentioned programmes.

---- New Subject / Topic / Program

----Any other idea, which you feel, that will help in Quality Improvement.

Besides above one more point which I would like to request that if you have any case study, which you would like to share with others, kindly forward the same to us with your management approval. We will be happy to publish same in our newsletter and circulate, subject to approval from our Executive Committee. You can send photographs (soft copy) along with write up.

Hope that lot of suggestions will come so that we can organise program better than last year.

In the next quarter i.e. from April – June 2016, on 3<sup>rd</sup> June we are planning to organise one day workshop on TOPS (Team Oriented Problem Solving). I request you to participate.

Waiting for your valuable suggestions and requesting your continuous support to take ISQ and quality of Indian Products to next level.

All the very best,

Kiran Deshmukh

President – ISQ

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## ANQ – ANNUAL CONGRESS--2016

ANQ 2016 Congress will be held in Vladivostok, Russia on 21 -22 September 2016. The congress will be held in Far East Federal University (FEFU).

The ANQ – Congress organising committee and congress Programme advisory committee invite you to participate in ANQ Congress 2016.

The Theme of Congress is “Quality is the meaning of life – not a single day without quality”.

Quality is deeply involved in many facets of our lives, from industrial production, material and products delivery to customer services, hospital efficiency, educational outcomes and many, many other areas and sectors of life.

Asian Network on Quality (ANQ) duly follows its mission of improving quality of human life by contributing to the progress of science and technology and by developing of industry through promotional activities for the research and development of philosophy, theory and methodology in the field of quality.

One of the main instruments for ANQ in the practical implementation of its mission is to conduct annual congresses which were previously organized in Tokyo, Seoul, Singapore, Taipei, Beijing, Hong Kong, Bangkok, Ho Shi Ming and other Asian cities.

In accordance with ANQ way, ANQ encourage entrepreneurs, academicians and practitioners to present and discuss their valuable findings in using quality as a powerful instrument applied to gain competitive advantage in Asia and beyond. Over the years number of Indian academicians and professionals presented their papers in the ANQ Congress.

Call letter for the paper submission is already sent to all the ISQ members. Papers received at ISQ will be examined by four member committee. Subject to papers found OK, same will be forwarded to ANQ Congress 2016.

To know more about the ANQ Congress paper submission, may please visit ANQ web site or alternately you can contact Ms Kokila Gaur at [kokila@isqnet.org](mailto:kokila@isqnet.org) or Mr A.K.Pandey at [pandey@isqnet.org](mailto:pandey@isqnet.org).

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## ANQ BOARD MEETING

The 28th ANQ Board Meeting was held in Beijing in March 2016, Mr. J. Ravikant, Member, Governing Council ISQ and Board Member ANQ attended the meeting. He also presented a demo of the new-look ANQ website which is being developed by ISQ.



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## CALENDER FROM APRIL – JUNE 2016

S.No	DESCRIPTION	Location	Date	Remarks
1	One Day Workshop on TOPS (Team Oriented Problem Solving)	Gurgaon	3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2016	Details regarding venue etc will be informed shortly

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