



# REGISTRATIONS CLOSE ON AUGUST 15th 2013

Announces

OLYMPIADS 2013-2014
For Classes III to XII

## INTRODUCTION

SIMO Education founded by IIT Madras Alumni, is a Hyderabad based company working in Education domain. SIMO Education is an amalgamation of deeply passionate IIT and IIM Alumni, working for promotion of basic sciences and education in India. SIMO Education Olympiads 2013 is an initiative of SIMO Education in this direction.

In addition to conducting Olympiads, our activities include publication of top notch Olympiad and school education content, creating e-learning content, custom content development for schools and private companies. All leading education companies and schools use SIMO Education custom content for their content needs. Our recent association was with Edutor technologies, manufacturer of an electronic device that carries educational content.

SIMO Education has eight year track record of working in the domain. Over this period, we have healthy relationships with more than 4,00,000 students and over 1500 schools. The core team contains Olympiad Awardees and IITians. Through six successful Olympiads till date, we have identified and nurtured hundreds of toppers at various International Olympiads and national exams like IIT-JEE, AIEEE, etc., With such an impeccable record, we proudly announce 7<sup>th</sup> SIMO Education Olympiads 2013-14.

#### Olympiads announced for 2013-14 and Eligibility

- 1. SIMO Education Indian Mathematics Olymiad (SIMO) for classes III to XII
- 2. SIMO Education Indian Physics Olympiad (SIPhO) for classes VIII to XII
- 3. SIMO Education Indian Chemistry Olympiad (SIChO) for classes VIII to XII
- 4. SIMO Education Indian Biology Olympiad (SIBO) for classes VIII to XII
- 5. SIMO Education Indian Science Olympiad (SISO) for classes III to VII
- 6. Indian Nation<mark>al Aptitude Test (IN</mark>AT) for classes III to XII
- 7. Indian National Infor<mark>matics Olympiad(INIO) for classes V to XII</mark>
- 8. Indian National English Olympiad (INEO) for classes III to XII

# What's NEW in 2013?

- 1. Introduction of SIBO and INIO: Realizing the growing need for computer skills and biology, SIMO Education is happy to announce extending our portfolio of paper based tests to include SIMO Education Indian Biology Olympiad (SIBO) and Indian National Informatics Olympiad (INIO) from this year.
- 2. Online School Registration: We have changed the school registration process completely online from this year. Schools should login to our website

www.simoeducation.com and click on online application to start the process. The registration process is self explanatory and easily guided by step-by-step instructions. In case of any unlikely difficulty during the process, the Instructions booklet for the online process can be downloaded from our website at <a href="https://www.simoeducation.com/OSRGuide.pdf">www.simoeducation.com/OSRGuide.pdf</a>

As soon as you fill the online application, send us the demand draft to the address given at the end of this brochure. You can also pay us instantly through onlinpayment. We accept the school registration after receipt of the demand draft from you. You can login to the website and can download your hall tickets for screening test after we accept your application. This completes the registration successfully.

#### **EXAMINATION FEE**

Rs. 125 (Rupees One Hundred and Twenty Five) is to be collected for each candidate and for each Olympiad. An amount of Rs 10 per candidate can be retained by schools to meet contingencies like dispatch of OMR sheets, paraphernalia, invigilation, obtaining Demand Draft etc., No other expenses would be reimbursed/entertained by SIMO Education in this regard. The rest of the amount of Rs 115 per candidate is to be paid to SIMO Education by way of Demand Draft or online payment at our website during online application. The demand draft shall be taken in favor of "SIMO EDUCATION INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED" payable at Hyderabad. The address to which the Demand Draft must be sent to is given at the end of this Notification Brochure. In case of Demand Draft payment, the backside of the Draft must contain address seal of the school with full postal address. No other modes of payment are accepted by us. SIMO Education is not responsible for cash transactions with individuals or any other representatives. Please note that we do not have any Coordinators or Agents for this purpose. Kindly contact our office at 040 64517466 in case of any related issues.

#### **SYLLABUS**

Syllabus for SIMO, SIPHO, SICHO, SIBO and SISO is same as that of the respective classes. In order to not provide any unfair advantage to students of a particular Board, our Olympiads test students on topics that fall at the intersection of CBSE and various State Boards curriculum. A student is not expected to know any additional content other than what is prescribed by their Board. However, SIMO Education Olympiads test depth and concept clarity of a student rigorously. Please login to our website to know classwise syllabus for Screening Test 2013 for all the Olympiads.

INAT, INIO and INEO have no prescribed syllabus as they do not conform to academic curricula. A student can download model papers from SIMO education website to get a fair idea of the kind of questions that will be asked in exam.

#### **MODE OF OLYMPIADS**

#### SIMO / SIPHO / SICHO / SISO: Conducted in two stages - Level 1 and Level 2

Level 1 (The Screening Test) would comprise of 20-30 Multiple Choice Questions to be answered in 90 minutes. Students are allowed to bring rough sheets to examination. Students who clear Screening Test on basis of selection criterion given below will be allowed to take part in Level II (Final Test) which would be conducted at SIMO Education Examination Centers across India. Note that standards XI and XII will not have final test. They shall take one level test on the same day of Screening Test for other classes.

#### INAT / INEO/INIO/SIBO: Conducted in Single stage

INAT, INIO, SIBO and INEO are conducted in a single stage and consist of 50-60 Multiple Choice Questions to be answered in 120 minutes.

Please note that the decision of SIMO Education is final and abiding in all aspects of the examination including selection, venues, cancellation, admission, results etc.,

#### Level - II(Final test)

The Final Test is an objective examination with 30-40 Multiple Choice questions to be answered in 90 minutes. Students will be given OMR Response Sheet for this purpose.

#### SELECTION CRITERION FOR LEVEL - II(Final test)

Student should be in top 8 - 10 % among all the participants that took the Olympiad, based on the relative performance and cut-off marks OR he/she should be in top 4 % of the participants from his school (school quota).

For example, if the school sponsored 50 students for the Olympiad (across all classes and Olympiads), a minimum of 2 students (4% of 50) will be selected for Stage-II. Usually, the 4% students will be selected based on the nearness to 8 - 10% merit cutoff. The decision of SIMO Education shall be final in all matters pertaining to number of selections to Stage-II.

#### **MODEL PAPERS**

Model Papers give a good understanding of the syllabus and standard of question papers. Screening Test Papers with key of earlier year can be downloaded free of cost from our website.

#### **VENUE AND OTHER DETAILS**

The venue of the Screening Test of SIMO/SIPHO/ SICHO / SISO and INAT / INEO/INIO/SIBO would be the participating school, subject to a minimum participation of 50 students across all classes and all Olympiads from the school. If the number of participants falls short of 50, SIMO Education may provide nearest center for Screening Test. The duly filled in OMR Sheets must reach SIMO Education within 3-4 working days. The venue of the Final Test of SIMO / SIPHO / SICHO / SISO will be decided by SIMO Education and the decision shall be final.

#### **CORRESPONDENCE**

All Intimations of results and acknowledgment of completion/receipt of application will be made ONLY through email. The list of students along with Hall Tickets will be mailed to the school/School coordinator's mail ID. No postal intimation will be made in this matter. Schools are expected to have a mail ID and all intimations will be made through the mail ID which is given at the time of online application. Requests for change of venue regarding Final Test are strictly prohibited.



Ever since inception SIMO Education Olympiads are well known for the standards and credibility of results. Time and again, it is proved that SIMO Awardees are future IIT JEE Toppers and National/International Olympiad toppers!

SIMO Olympiad is foundation and lead to greater strides towards Life time achievement of students. SIMO Olympiads are nothing but IIT Exam in their own Class/Standard.

### HALL OF FAME

The following are few examples to showcase our credible results and standards

SIMO Awardee	Year	Achievement (Post SIMO recognition)
VISWA VIRINCHI	2013	JEE (Mains) 2013 All India 1st Mark
K NAGENDER REDDY	2013	International Chemistry Olympiad 2013, Moscow
S SAI AKHIL	2012	AIEEE AIR 4 (AP State Rank 1)
B RAJIV REDDY	2012	IIT JEE AIR 11
I JEEVANA PRIYA	2011	International Olympiad in Astronomy & Astrophysics
R S BHARADWAJ	2010	International Astronomy Olympiad, Ukraine 2010
J VARUN	2009	IIT JEE 2011 AIR 9, AIEEE 2011 AIR 5
S SAI AKHIL	2010	International Junior Science Olympiad, Nigeria 2010
A JITENDER REDDY	2008	IIT JEE 2010 AIR 1
V SHAIMAK REDDY	2009	IIT JEE 2011 AIR 3
B SAI KIRAN	2009	IIT JEE 2011 AIR 4

Note: Around 40 students out of top 100 in IIT JEE 2012 are earlier SIMO Awardees. Need we say more?! 3 out of 6 selected for International Junior Science Olympiad 2013 are SIMO Awardees in 2013!

## **IMPORTANT DEADLINES FOR OLYMPIADS 2013**

Deadline for receipt of completed applications(for all Olympiads): August 15th 2013

Screening Test 2013: September 15th 2013 (for SIMO/SIPHO/SICHO/SISO)

(All three Olympiads SIMO, SIPhO, SIChO/SISO shall be held on the same day)

Receipt of OMR sheets by SIMO Education: September 19th 2013

(Receipt of OMR Sheets post-deadline will not be entertained under any circumstances)

INAT/INEO: October 22nd 2013

INIO/SIBO: October 29th 2013

Declaration of Screening Test 2013 Results: Third week of November 2013 (tentatively)

(Results will be put up on our website ONLY)

Final Test of SIMO Education Olympiads: Last week of December 2013 (tentatively)

INAT/INEO/INIO/SIBO Results: Second week of January 2014(tentatively)

Declaration of Final Test Results: Second Week of February 2014 (tentatively)

#### **AWARDS & RECOGNITION**

All the students who attended SIMO/SICHO/SIPHO/SISO Screening Test/INAT/INEO/INIO/SIBO Olympiads will get a Certificate of Merit and Participation indicating the level of the performance of the student in the screening Test.

Top 1-3: Cash of Rs.2000/- along with Medal and Certificate of Excellence for SIMO/SIPHO/SICHO/SISO: Cash of Rs 1000/- along with Medal and Certificate of Excellence for INAT/INIO/INEO/SIBO

Top 4-25: Medal of Excellence along with Certificate of Excellence

Top 26-50: Medal of Honor along with Certificate of Excellence

All the students of classes VIII, IX and X who appears in Top 10 in the Olympiads (SIMO/SIPhO/SIChO/SIBO) and (INAT/INEO/INIO) will be awarded laptops.

**LAPTOP AWARDEE OF 2012-13 OLYMPIADS** 

CHRSHARSHAVARDHAN: Sri Chaitanya Techno School, Hyderabad, India

# **Super Challenge**

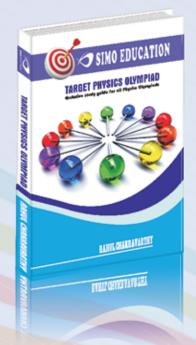
SIMO Education content development teams consisting of past International/National Olympiad Awardees, consistently develop new problems on various concepts for SIMO Education Olympiads. This is striking feature of our Olympiads and our papers receive wide appreciation from International Problem Solvers community across the globe. We are proud Olympiad content partners of many companies and organizations across the world.

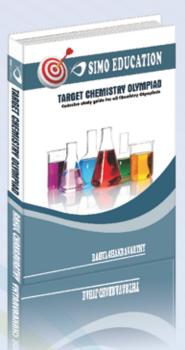
As per recommendations of Olympiads Core committee, we announce a cash award of Rs. 10,000 (Rupees Ten Thousand only) per each problem, in case, if you are first to find exact problem at any other place in the world prior to SIMO Education Olympiad. The challenge is valid till announcement of Screening Test results.



# REFERENCE BOOKS







#### SALIENT FEATURES

- Problem books with chapterwise and conceptwise questions!
- Each book contains around 500 problems with detailed solutions!
- Includes solutions to all SIMO/SIPhO/SIChO/SISO Screening and Final Test Questions!!
- Perfect study guides for SIMO Education Olympiads!
- Please call 04064517466 for school complimentary copies or bulk orders.

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