



Federation of AOTS
Alumni Association of India (FAAAI)
Organises

NCIQCT – 2026

7th National Convention on Innovative QC Teams

24th May
2026

9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Registration 8.30 a.m.

Co-ordinated By

ALUMNI Society of AOTS Kerala, Kochi

Let's meet at God's own abode



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INTRODUCTION

AOTS is a non-profit organization and a close-knit family of 71 societies with a global presence across 43 countries. It was established in 1959 and has its head office in Tokyo. The training centers in Osaka and Tokyo are well equipped with all the modern facilities. The Faculties of the organizations are experts from renowned industries viz. Toyota, Honda, Suzuki contributing the latest knowhow & techniques pertaining to industries / institutes. Over 250000 trainees have taken training at subsidized costs. The Ex-Trainees have formed 71 societies all over the world contributing to upgrading of Human resources in their countries or region. There are 8 societies in India. AOTS is supported by Government of Japan.

The 1st National QC Convention was held in New Delhi in 2017, followed by the 2nd National QC Convention in Pune in 2018 and the 3rd National QC Convention in Chennai in 2019. The 4th Convention held at Bangalore on 23 Feb 2020. The 5th convention was held at Cochin on 03 Nov 2022. The 6th Convention was held at Pune on 04 Nov 2024. Currently the 7th National QC Convention is scheduled to be held in Kochi on 24th May 2026. These annual conventions are supported by the Federation of AOTS Alumni Associations of India (FAAAI).

Objectives :

- To share The Best Japanese Management Practices for Manufacturing Industry, Service industry, Banks, Institutions, IT Industry, Hospital industry etc. by applying various tools & techniques mastered in Japan.
- To provide platform and opportunities for the participants to exchange views and experience among themselves as well as with other Small Medium Enterprises.
- To open out new avenues by learning from other organizations.
- To enable self-assessment on the problem - solving skill.
- To develop a spirit of competition, opportunities for interaction, networking and exchange of ideas.

Participation :

The Convention is open to any innovative QC Team (Quality Circle Team - for Blue collar and First Level Employees) consisting of operators or supervisors as approved and recommended by the Organization. The members may be from different functions and different categories. A team of 5 or more persons (QC Teams) / 3 or more persons QIT (Quality Improvement Teams - for Supervisor and Above Level) can present the case study on the stage.



Application Form

Methodology and Criteria :

- One QC Team can send 5 members and QIT can send 3 members for every case study. Additional members are accepted
- The Time for the presentation is 15 minutes followed by Q & A for 5 minutes. Languages for presentation : English / Malayalam/ Hindi / Tamil
- The presentation maybe organised in the order

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| 1 Introduction/ Organization | 5 Implementation |
| 2 Problem / Opportunity for Improvements | 6 Check Results |
| 3 Analysis for finding solutions | 7 Standardization following 5w +1H |
| 4 Solution | 8 Conclusion: Benefits, cost analysis, horizontal deployment, Lessons learned and next project. |

Date : Sunday, 24th May 2026

Time : 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Registration Starts at : 8.30 a.m.

Evaluation, Recognition and Awards :

Eminent and experienced panel of Jury members will evaluate the presentations.

Evaluation Criteria	Maximum Marks
Problem selection, Definition, Importance, Time plan	10
Observation, Relevant data, Pareto of issues	10
Analysis – CE diagram, cause validation, Root cause	20
Development of counter measures, Validation, Action plan	10
Implementation based on PDCA	10
Check result Before & After, Trend, Pareto, Standardisation	10
Conclusion- Benefits, Lesson learned, Horizontal deployment	10
Time management, Team participation	10
Response to Questions & Answers	10

Awards : The following awards will be given to the teams if they score 60% and above

Rhodium	Platinum	Gold	Silver
Top 25% of the teams	2 nd 25% of the teams	3 rd 25% of the teams	4 th 25% of the teams

Remaining teams will receive participation certificate. Further, all individual members also will receive a participation certificate. The awards will carry a certificate and a trophy.

Participation fees:

QC Teams : Rs. 15,000/+18% GST (as applicable) for a team of Max. 5 Members.

Quality Improvement Teams : Rs. 9000/+ 18% GST (as applicable) for a team of Max. 3 Members.

Additional member / delegates/observer: Rs.3,000/+18% GST (as applicable).

Bank & NEFT Details :

Name Of The Centre	ASA Kerala, Kochi
Cheque to be drawn in favour of	Alumni society of AOTS Kerala
NEFT Details	
Beneficiary Name	Alumni Society of AOTS Kerala
Bank Name	State Bank of India
Branch name	Kalamassery Main Branch
Account Number	57039048991
IFSC	SBIN0070145

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The Fee includes Lunch, Refreshments, Certificate and the Award

Last date for receiving nominations : Wednesday, 20th May 2026

Venue : ASA Kerala, Nippon Kerala Centre,

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The Federation of AOTS Alumni Associations of India (Office @ New Delhi)
have following EIGHT AOTS Alumni Societies of India

SL NO	NAME OF AOTS	LOCATION	PRESIDENT
1	AOTS Alumni Society - ASSD	New Delhi	Mr. R K Gupta
2	Alumni Society of AOTS Kerala (ASA Kerala)	Kochi	Mr. K.V. Poullose
3	Alumni Society of AOTS - Trivandrum Centre	Trivandrum	Dr. R Harikumar
4	ABK-AOTS Dosokai Tamil Nadu Centre	Chennai	Mr. Sriram Chellappa
5	AOTS Alumni Association, AAA -Karnataka Regional Centre	Bangalore	Mr. Maruthi V
6	AOTS Alumni Association of Western India (AAAWI)	Mumbai	Mr. Pravin Purav
7	AOTS Alumni Society of Central India (AASCI)	Pune	Mr. Atul Thakar
8	AOTS Alumni Association of Gujarat (AAAG)	Ahmedabad	Mr. Jayanth Murthy

Key Personnel of FAAAI :

- President: Mr. K V Poullose, Kochi
- Secretary: Mr. R K Guptha, Delhi
- Treasurer: Mr. Atul Thakar, Pune

The activities of our associations :

- Sending trainees to Japan on training courses conducted at AOTS Japan at subsidized costs.
- Conducting Japanese language Classes including Corporate training, online training. Conducting Japanese Language tests etc.
- Exchange Programs of Interns, business community, families etc.
- Arranging B to B events.
- Seminars on various subjects involving own resource faculties & sending them to Alumni AOTS Societies in neighbouring Countries (local and international platforms).
- Japan Education Fairs for the benefit of Students willing to study in Japan.
- Social events involving Japanese Culture- Short Marathon, Cultural Dance, Dramas etc.
- Technical and Management training programs for Engineering Colleges and Working Professionals.
- **QUALITY DEVELOPMENT** : Work towards promotion of quality in industries by offering services to initiate, sustain and improve Quality and Quality Circles movement in organizations thereby bringing quality culture and mindset.

