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This is Mohamed Kasim, Events Manager looking after Spoken Tutorial Workshops and Events. It was a pleasure to know of your interest to organise Software training through the Spoken Tutorials AV instructional method. Spoken Tutorial Project-IIT Bombay is an initiative of NMEICT, MHRD, Govt of India. We would like to offer to you the opportunity to avail of this training facility for Acharya N. G. Ranga Agricultural University and its affiliated colleges. We have covered several colleges in the state of Andhra Pradesh and the response was overwhelmingly positive. Clearly this training is much in demand by students.

Persons at your level can help expand the training to cover many students and teachers in many colleges. Hence I am writing to you.

## Let me give you some details

- the Software include Linux, LaTeX, Scilab, PHP&MySQL, Python, Java, C/C++, OpenFOAM, Blender, K-Turtle. Colleges can select one or more as per their wish
- the training is via self-learning so one does not need to leave the campus
- it is offered totally FREE of COST, as it is funded by the Govt. of India
- in the beginning, we will guide and support the learners, once familiar with the method, all can learn
- our interaction for the above will be over Skype with the learners and organiser
- the Spoken Tutorials AV can be downloaded from our site
- Instruction sheets on the processes as well as Posters, Handbook will be couriered to you
- after learning and practicing the tutorials the student becomes knowledgeable enough to take an online assessment test
- learners receive Spoken Tutorial Project, IIT Bombay certificates on clearing the test

The entire procedure as you can see is quite simple. Since the past 2 years around 1 lakh students and teachers all over India, have learnt various very useful Software in this way.

## As immediate next steps

- 1. Sign to express wish and agreement to be a part of this initiative.
- 2. Plan for a first workshop to be held at any of the University Departments itself...let us know the date.
- 3. Put us in touch with 1 or 2 key persons dedicated to work with IIT Bombay, from your office.

We can help you by providing a sample circular on "Software Training Program Through Spoken Tutorial Project" to be sent to all the affiliated colleges.

Best regards,

Signed : Prof. Dr. A. Padma Rajı

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