



CreatAura 2026

National fine-art Contest

Rules, Terms and Conditions for participating in the contest.

Contest organized by	Miraqls, Krigato India Private Limited
Contest name	CreatAura 2026 – National Fine Art Contest
Participation criteria	Open to anyone residing in India, aged 13 years or above.
Allowed participants	50
Entry Fee	Rs. 2,000 per contestant.
Total prize pool	Rs. 30,000
Contest date and time	November 1, 2026, 10AM to 6PM.
Venue	Prinitha Mini Hall, Urapakkam, near Kilambakkam Bus Terminus
Public voting	2 November 2026, 12:00 PM to 8 November 2026, 12:00 PM
Registration	https://www.miraqls.events

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About CreatAura 2026

Miraqls Gallery welcomes artists from across India to CreatAura 2026, a National Fine Art Contest created to provide artists with an opportunity to present original artwork through a live art competition followed by a transparent public polling process.

The contest consists of two stages: (1) a live art competition in which up to 50 selected participants create their artwork, and (2) an online public polling period during which the completed artworks are presented to the public for rating.

The contest carries a total cash prize pool of Rs. 30,000, distributed among the ten highest-ranked artworks according to the public polling results.

Contest Format

Live art contest

A maximum of 50 registered contestants will participate in the live art competition on 1 November 2026 at Prinitha Mini Hall, Urapakkam, near Kilambakkam Bus Terminus.

Each participant must create an original artwork during the live competition. Miraqls will provide a 14x18 inches pre-stretched canvas and easel/stand required for the competition.

Participants must bring their own art and colouring materials suitable for their chosen medium, including, but not limited to, pencil, pen, ink, watercolour, acrylic, oil colours and pastels.

The completed artwork will be photographed on the same day and uploaded to the Miraqls online platform for the public polling stage.

Public Polling

The public polling period will begin on 2 November 2026 at 12:00 PM and closes on 8 November 2026 at 12:00 PM.

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All participating artworks will be displayed on the Miraqls website. Members of the public may view the artworks and submit a rating using the five-star rating system.

★★★★★ – 5 Stars, ★★★★ – 4 Stars, ★★★ – 3 Stars, ★★ – 2 Stars, ★ – 1 Star

Only one work of each contestant will be submitted for the public polling process. Once a rating has been submitted, the same person may not submit another rating.

Participants may share their artwork link with friends, family and the public. The final ranking will be determined from the public polling results recorded through the Miraqls website.

Eligibility

The contest is open to anyone residing in India.

Participants must be 13 years of age or older on the date of entry.

Each contestant can submit only one entry.

Employees, trustees, judges and immediate family members of Miraqls Gallery and its partner organizations are not eligible to participate.

CreatAura 2026 is a single-category contest. All eligible participants compete in the same pool without separate age categories or divisions.

Registration

All registrations must be completed online at <https://www.miraqls.events>. No other method of registration will be accepted.

After successful registration, the participant must download and print the entry pass and carry the same when attending the live art competition on 1 November 2026.

Entry Fee: Rs. 2,000 per contestant.

Registration closes on 30 October 2026 or earlier if all available participation slots are filled.

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Themes

Ten themes. Ten different worlds. One canvas.

CreatAura invites artists to interpret a theme through their own imagination, emotions, memories, and visual language. There is no single way to approach a theme — what matters is the story, feeling, and perspective behind your work.

1. The Power of Silence

Not everything that matters needs to make a sound.

Paint a moment, feeling, place, or experience where silence plays a meaningful role. Your work may express peace, solitude, reflection, mystery, longing, or any emotion hidden within stillness.

2. Dreams

Some worlds exist only because we dare to imagine them.

Bring an imagined dream, fantasy, memory, or impossible world to life through your painting. Let reality bend, disappear, or transform. Your artwork should invite us into a world that exists through your imagination.

3. Transformation

Nothing remains exactly as it was.

Show a meaningful change or evolution through your painting. It may explore growth, healing, destruction and rebirth, identity, nature, time, or the transformation of something ordinary into something unexpected.

4. Inner Universe

There is an entire universe inside every human being.

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Visualize your thoughts, emotions, memories, imagination, or inner experiences. Your painting does not need to show the outside world as it appears — it can show the world as it feels within you.

5. The Invisible

Some of the most powerful things in life cannot be seen.

Give visual form to something that cannot be directly seen but can be felt, experienced, or imagined. It could be emotion, energy, time, connection, memory, atmosphere, or something entirely personal to you.

6. Balance

Life exists somewhere between two extremes.

Explore a relationship between two or more contrasting forces. Your painting may show harmony, conflict, coexistence, contrast, or the delicate point where one force meets another.

7. Freedom

What does it feel like when nothing is holding you back?

Interpret freedom without boundaries or limitations. Your painting may express physical, emotional, personal, or creative freedom — or an imaginary world where nothing stands in the way.

8. The Journey

Every journey changes something along the way.

Depict a physical, emotional, spiritual, personal, or imaginary journey. Your painting may focus on the beginning, the path, the destination, the obstacles, the discoveries, or the transformation that happens along the way.

9. Light & Shadow

Where there is light, there is something waiting in the shadow.

Use light and shadow to explore contrast, mystery, hope, darkness, emotion, or hidden meaning. Your painting may be realistic, abstract, symbolic, or imaginative.

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10. A New Beginning

Every ending carries the possibility of a beginning.

Express hope, renewal, awakening, birth, rebirth, recovery, or the courage to start again. Your painting may portray a literal beginning or something deeply personal — a new chapter, a new possibility, or the first moment of change.

Artwork requirements and Originality

Each participant must create an original artwork during the live competition. The artwork must be created by the registered participant and must comply with the originality requirements of CreatAura 2026.

The artist must sign the reverse side of the canvas on the day of the competition as part of the originality verification process.

Each artist must provide the title of the artwork and a short-written description. The title and description may be displayed together with the artwork on the Miraqls website.

Miraqls may collect photographs, videos and other documentation created during the live competition for the purpose of verifying originality and administering the contest.

Public Voting and Final Ranking

Following the live competition, the artworks of the participating artists will be uploaded to the Miraqls website.

The public may view and rate the participating artworks during the published polling period. Participants are permitted to share their artwork links to invite members of the public to participate in the polling.

The final ranking will be determined by the public polling results recorded through the Miraqls website.

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Participation in the live competition does not guarantee a prize. Prize positions are determined by the final public polling results.

In the event of a tie between two or more artists for a prize position, the applicable prize amount for that position will be shared equally among the tied artists.

Prizes

Public Poll Rank	Award title	Cash Prize
1st place	Platinum Award	Rs. 10,000.
2 nd place	Gold Award	Rs. 6,000
3 rd place	Silver Award	Rs. 4,000
4 th place	Bronze Award	Rs. 3,000
5 th place	Excellence Award	Rs. 2,000
6 th to 10 th place	Merit Award	Rs. 1,000

Total prize pool: Rs. 30,000.

Prize payment

Prize amounts will be paid to the respective winners by cheque or online bank transfer, subject to submission and verification of the required bank documentation.

Prize distribution will be completed on or before 15 November 2026.



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Photos, Videos and Promotions

By participating in CreatAura 2026, participants permit Miraqls to use photographs captured as part of the contest, including photographs showing the participant, for contest administration, verification, publicity and promotional purposes.

Work-in-progress photographs and videos may be collected primarily to verify that the artwork is original and handmade. Miraqls may use portions of such footage for contest-related promotional purposes.

A participant who does not wish their work-in-progress video to be used for promotional purposes may notify Miraqls in writing at the time of entry. Such a request will not affect the participant's eligibility or entry.

Personal information and privacy

For the administration of the contest, Miraqls may collect participant information including name, contact details, address, contestant photographs, artwork photographs, work-in-progress photographs or videos, artwork title and description, written statements, proof of identity, proof of eligibility and bank details of prize winners.

Participants information will be used for administering the contest, verifying eligibility and originality, communicating with participants, processing prizes, contest publicity and promotional activities, and meeting applicable legal obligations.

Participant information will not be sold to third parties.

Miraqls will take reasonable measures to store participant information securely and limit access to persons who require the information for contest administration.

Verification materials, including work-in-progress videos, handwritten notes and identity documents, will be retained only for as long as reasonably required to administer the contest or address complaints or disputes, except where longer retention is required by law or otherwise permitted.

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Participants may request access to, correction of, or deletion of their personal information after the contest, subject to applicable law and any information that must be retained for legitimate administrative or legal purposes.

Changes, postponement and Force Majeure

Miraqls reserves the right to modify, suspend, postpone or cancel the contest where circumstances beyond its reasonable control make such action necessary. Participants will be informed of significant changes.

Such circumstances may include natural disasters, government action, internet or technical failures, strikes, pandemics or other force majeure events.

Miraqls shall not be liable for delays, suspension or cancellation caused by circumstances beyond its reasonable control.

Limitation of liability

To the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, Miraqls, its trustees, officers, employees, judges and partners shall not be liable for indirect, incidental, consequential or special damages arising from participation in the contest, exhibition or felicitation ceremony.

Participation in the live competition does not create an entitlement to selection, ranking or receipt of a prize. Prize positions are determined through the public polling system described in these rules.

General terms

1. By registering for CreatAura 2026, the participant confirms that they have read, understood and accepted these Rules & Terms and Conditions.



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2. Miraqls may disqualify any participant or entry that violates these rules at any stage of the contest.
3. Miraqls may make reasonable administrative changes to the contest rules where necessary and will communicate material changes to participants.
4. The final public polling result will be treated as final for determining the contest ranking and prizes, subject to verification of eligibility and compliance with these rules.
5. The contest and these rules are governed by the laws of India.
6. Any dispute arising in connection with the contest shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the courts specified by the organizer.

Contact and Support

For any queries or support, feel free to get in touch with Miraqls through,

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Website: <https://www.miraqls.events>

WhatsApp: 9150 20 1610



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