

TIATR ACADEMY OF GOA
(A Government of Goa Undertaking)
Josephine Dias Puroskar-2026

In order to promote young talents who have contributed and still continue to work for the development of tiatr, its song and music, Tiatr Academy of Goa has recognized and constituted an award named 'Josephine Dias Puroskar' annually. The award has been sponsored by Josephine's son Arvind Dias.

The norms of the scheme are: -

1. The award will be given to a male or a female artiste every year.
2. The artiste applying for 'Josephine Dias Puroskar' should not be more than 16 years of age on the last day of submission of application i.e 22/06/2026.
3. His/Her selection should be done by considering not only years of service to the cause of tiatr, but, following aspects should also be taken into consideration at the time of selection: -
 - a) Applicant's contribution as an actor, script writer, director, singer, lyricist, set designer, etc.
 - b) Whether he/she received/won any awards/merit certificates in his/her field.
 - c) Whether he/she has done any innovation on the tiatr stage.
 - d) If a singer/musician, are there any of his/her songs recorded on CDs, DVDs, AIR, Doordarshan, online, etc.
 - e) Besides tiatr, has he/she acted/directed/sung/composed music/ composed lyrics/designed sets/provided background music/designed light effects, etc. for dramas in other languages or in films.
4. Selection for Josephine Dias Puroskar award will be done on the criteria stated above through recommendation from individuals/institutions and also through advertisements in local newspapers. However, the Executive Board/Jury Panel may also select the deserving artistes from outside the recommended list.
5. The applicant should be an Indian National.
6. Duly certified birth certificate/self-attested copies of Aadhar Card and passport (if available) should be submitted along with the application.
7. Typed copy of bio-data with achievements details (not less than 500 words) and documentary evidence should be submitted along with the application.
8. The selection shall be done strictly on merit.
5. The selected artiste should compulsorily be present in person to receive the award.
6. The Award will consist of a memento and Cash/cheque amount of Rs. 10000/-.
7. The award will be presented at a special function.
8. Last day for submission of the application is on 22/06/2026 during office hours.
9. TAG reserves the right to make any changes in the rules.

President

Vice President

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Details of the Recommender

(1) Name of the recommender: _____

(2) Address : _____

(3) Contact Number : (landline) _____ (Mobile) _____

(4) Aadhaar Card No. (Enclose copy) : _____

(5) Details of the recommender:

Signature

Details of the Nominee

1. Name: _____

2. Stage Name if any : _____

3. Address : _____

4. Contact no.: _____ Email Id: _____

5. Aadhaar Card No. (Enclose copy) : _____

Photo

6. Date of Birth: _____

7. Number of years in the field: _____

8. Contribution to the Tiatr stage: _____

For the last few years _____

*attach proof

9. Other Cultural hobbies of the applicant. _____

10. Any prizes/awards/merit certificates won by the applicant for singing, music, etc:

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

d. _____

- I have read and understood the rules of the scheme and I abide by it.
- I hereby state that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of the Applicant

Date: _____

***Documents of proof of age (attested copies of birth/school leaving certificate or passport) original should be produced for verification.**

*** The details of achievement such as Year and Organizers details should be enclosed.**