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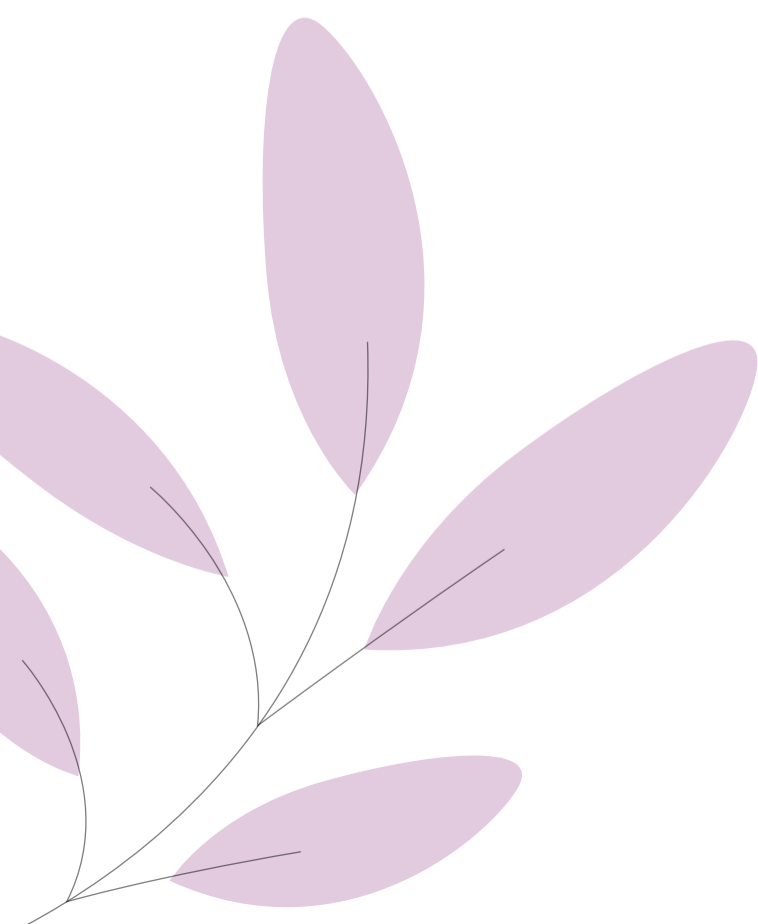
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From the Chairman's Desk



Dear Readers,

It gives me immense pleasure in sharing the August edition of E-Newsletter of Guwahati Branch of EICASA.

The month of July began with celebration of Chartered Accountant's Day which had events like flag hoisting, eye screening camp and a fun filled get together.

The month was full of knowledge and learning for the students. A series of Webinar named as E-Gurukul has been initiated by the managing committee of EICASA Guwahati where several speakers shall present an enriching session on Artificial Intelligence. Account Tech-1, a session on various aspects of AI was also conducted by eminent speakers physically at ICAI Bhawan for the students. The month

witnessed collaborative webinar with CICASA on Savings and Spendings. Workshop of Public Speaking was also conducted physically at the branch.

Friends, Guwahati Branch had a glorious year this year with two students, Mr. Rithik Bajaj and Mr. Utsav Singhania, of the branch winning the National Level of Quiz Contest, who shall represent ICAI at SAFA. Guwahati Branch also witnessed all India rank in CA Final Examination with Ms. Nishtha Bothra securing AIR-2. I congratulate all the students shining bright and bringing glory to the Branch.

The upcoming months will witness events like Industrial Visit to Campa Cola, Guwahati, National Talent Search etc. I urge the students to take part in huge numbers.

"If four things are followed - having a great aim, acquiring knowledge, hard work, and perseverance - then anything can be achieved." quoted Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam. The examination for the month of September is also approaching. And it's time to set the seat belt tight and prepare hard for the same and give it a best shot. I wish all the luck to the students preparing and appearing for the same.

We also have a quiz section in the newsletter which has various amazing questions. Students are requested to go through the same and submit their responses in due course. We look forward to your participation in the future events.

Happy Reading

Regards

CA Vikash Kumar Choudhary

Chairman, Guwahati Branch of EICASA



From the Editor's Desk



"We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, then, is not an act, but a habit." – Aristotle

Dear Readers,

July has been a month of energy, achievement, and purposeful learning for EICASA Guwahati. Each week brought new opportunities to grow, connect, and inspire, making it a truly memorable chapter in our journey.

We began on a high note with the felicitation of Ms. Nishtha Bothra, who secured All India Rank 2 in CA Final – May 2025. Already an achiever with AIR 2 in CA Intermediate, Nishtha's journey is a shining example of how discipline, focus, and self-belief can turn aspirations into reality.

Her success was not only celebrated but also served as a spark to inspire students to aim higher.

We then marked CA Day with pride and purpose—commemorating the foundation of our profession with the hoisting of the ICAI flag and reflecting on the values that guide us. The E-Gurukul series brought powerful learning with Episode 1 guiding students on Industrial Training vs. Articleship and Episode 2 simplifying Power Query for smarter data transformation.

Technology took the spotlight with Account-Tech 1.0, where CA Lokesh Agarwal and CA Naveen Bhartia showcased how Tally, Excel, and AI can transform accounting workflows. On the personal development side, CA Neha Gaggar led a Public Speaking Workshop that turned hesitation into confidence and strengthened students' ability to communicate with impact.

The Mock Test Series gave aspirants a real-time exam experience, while the Savings & Spendings Webinar empowered them with practical financial planning skills.

We closed the month with our Annual General Meeting, reflecting on the year's achievements and mapping the way forward. Adding to the celebrations, we proudly felicitated our National Quiz Champions, Mr. Utsav Singhanian and Mr. Rithik Bajaj, whose stellar performance brought national recognition to our branch. Year after year, our students excel at the NTS Competition, and despite our smaller student base compared to bigger branches, these wins highlight the unmatched quality, talent, and determination of EICASA Guwahati.

July has shown us that progress is built step-by-step, fueled by dedication and the will to keep going. Let's carry this same unstoppable energy into the months ahead—showing up, learning, winning, and inspiring together.

Warm regards,

Mudit Surana
e-Newsletter Editor,
EICASA Guwahati



BOS Announcements

1. Expression of Interest – Reviewers / Subject Experts

The Board of Studies (Academic) has invited Expressions of Interest from Chartered Accountants and professionals with at least 5 years of relevant experience for empanelment as reviewers or subject experts for developing and reviewing Study Material for Foundation, Intermediate, and Final courses.

<https://www.icai.org/post/bos-ac-eoi-22072025>

2. Subject-Wise Guidance Webinars

BoS conducted subject-wise guidance webinars for Intermediate and Final students to help them prepare effectively for upcoming exams.

Final Students: 15–16 July 2025, 11:00 AM to 12:30 PM

Intermediate Students: 15–16 July 2025, 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM

https://boslive.icai.org/bos_announcement.php

3. Invitation for Chapter-Wise Feedback on Study Material

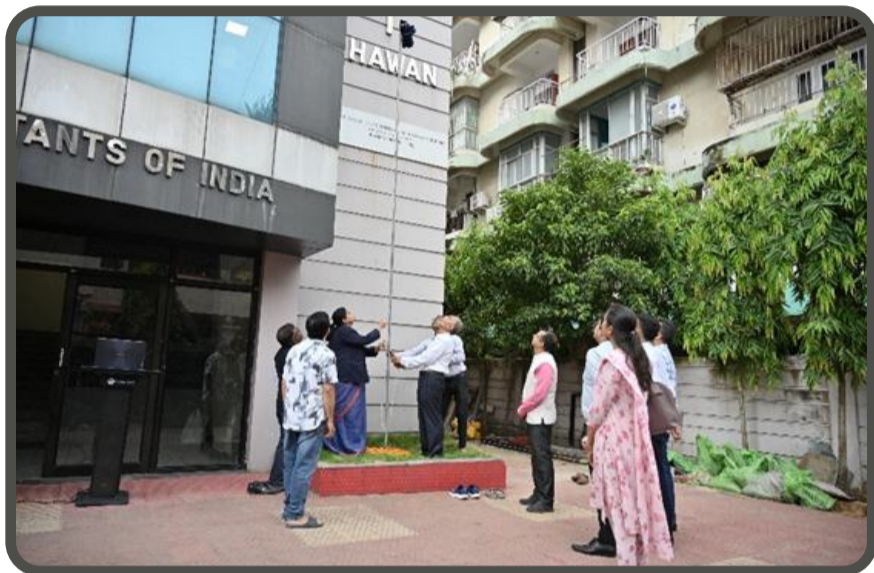
ICAI has invited chapter-wise feedback for Study Material across Foundation, Intermediate, and Final levels to ensure accuracy and relevance.

<https://www.icai.org/category/bos-important-announcements>



Activities of the Month

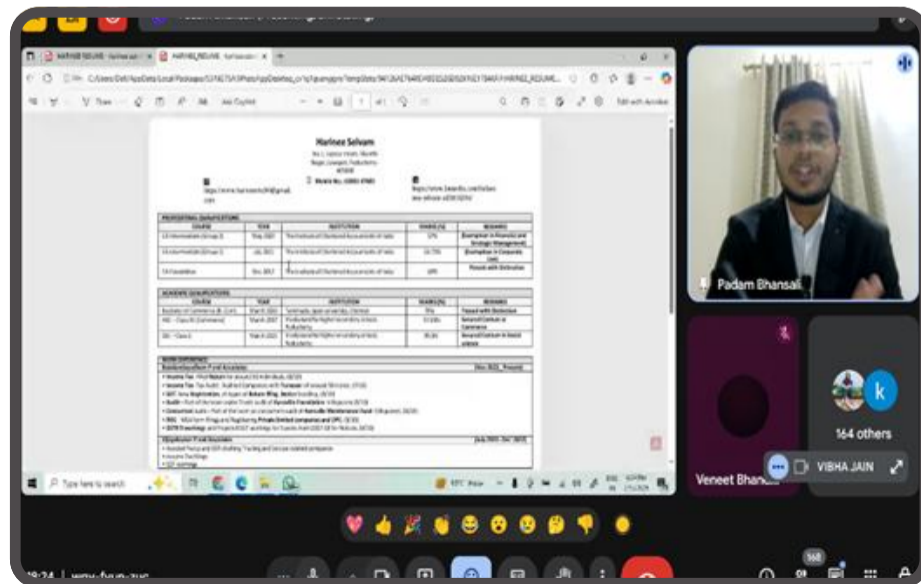
CA Day Celebration



On 1st July 2025, the Guwahati Branch of EIRC and EICASA celebrated Chartered Accountants Day with a flag hoisting ceremony attended by managing committee members, senior CAs, and students. The event highlighted patriotism, the profession's legacy, and a renewed commitment to ethical excellence, with active student participation.

E-Gurukul | Episode 1 – Industrial Training vs. Articleship: What's Best for You?

On 13th July 2025, EICASA Guwahati, in collaboration with 22 CASA branches, hosted the first episode of its virtual knowledge series “E-Gurukul” on Google Meet. CA Padam Bhansali discussed “Industrial Training vs. Articleship,” covering pros and cons, application processes, and career strategies. The session drew nationwide student participation, providing clarity to those at a career crossroads and advancing EICASA Guwahati's goal of fostering informed, career-ready students.





Activities of the Month

Workshop on Public Speaking

On 15th July 2025, EICASA Guwahati held a Public Speaking Workshop at ICAI Bhawan, conducted by CA Neha Gaggar to help students build confidence, enhance communication, and overcome stage fear. The full-day session featured stage practice, feedback, group exercises, and a focus on verbal and non-verbal skills. With enthusiastic participation, the event reinforced EICASA Guwahati's commitment to soft-skill development.



Mock Test Series – I for CA Final & Intermediate

From 21st July 2025, EICASA Guwahati held Mock Test Series – I for CA Intermediate and Final students at ICAI Bhawan, helping them assess readiness and build exam confidence.





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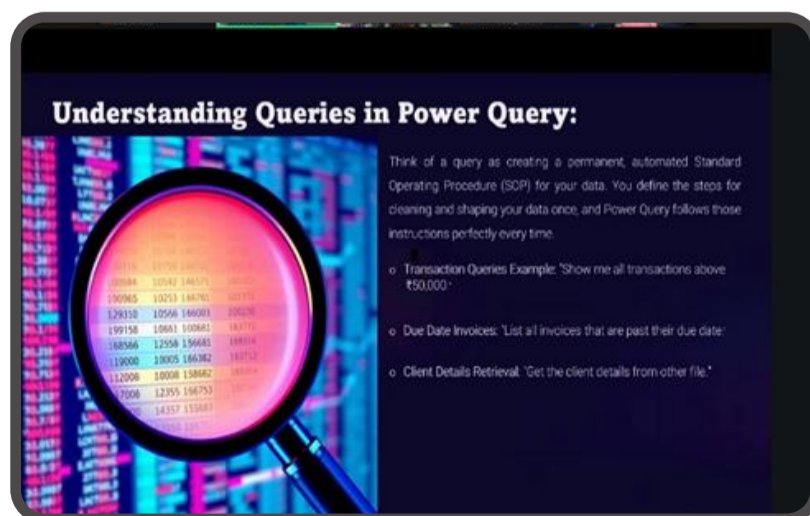
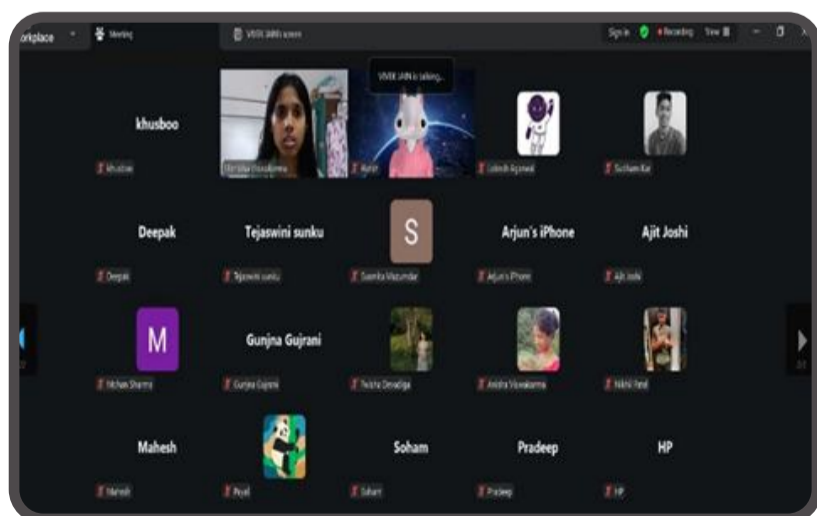
Account-Tech 1.0 – Seminar on Enhancing Accounting Capability Using Technology



On 26th July 2025, EICASA Guwahati hosted "Account-Tech 1.0", a seminar at ICAI Bhawan on emerging tech tools in accounting. Expert sessions by CA Lokesh Agarwal and CA Naveen Bhartia covered Tally, Excel with AI, and AI prompting, offering hands-on exposure and highlighting technology's growing role in the profession. The event drew enthusiastic participation and supported EICASA's goal of promoting skill-based learning.

E-Gurukul | Episode 2 – Power Query Basics: Transforming Data, Simplified

On 27th July 2025, EICASA Guwahati held the second episode of its virtual series "E-Gurukul" on Power Query in Excel, led by CA Vivek Jain. The session, open to CA students nationwide, covered practical tools and real-life applications, earning praise for its hands-on approach in enhancing data handling and analysis skills.





Activities of the Month

Webinar on Savings & Spending

On 29th July 2025, EICASA Guwahati joined CICASA Agra's webinar "Savings & Spendings," where CA Harsh Bansal shared practical tips on budgeting, saving, and financial planning for students, promoting inter-regional learning and early financial awareness.



Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Guwahati Branch of EICASA

On 30th July 2025, EICASA Guwahati held its AGM at ICAI Bhawan with active student participation. The meeting reviewed the year's activities, adopted the Annual Report and audited accounts, shared a vision for the future, and gathered student feedback, reaffirming the branch's commitment to transparency and engagement.





Achievements to Celebrate!

Felicitation of CA Final AIR 2



On 7th July 2025, the Guwahati Branch (EIRC) and EICASA Guwahati felicitated Ms. Nishtha Bothra for securing All India Rank 2 in the CA Final – May 2025 Examination. Having also achieved AIR 2 in CA Intermediate, she was honoured for her consistent excellence and dedication, serving as an inspiration for the branch's members and students.

Felicitation of National Level Quiz Competition Winners

On 30th July 2025, the Guwahati Branch of EIRC and EICASA felicitated Mr. Rithik Bajaj and Mr. Utsav Singhania for winning the National NTS Quiz Competition 2025. Their achievement brought pride to the branch, highlighting the academic excellence, teamwork, and subject expertise of EICASA Guwahati students, and inspiring peers to pursue active participation and strive for excel..





Quiz!

1. From January 2025, what is the annual turnover threshold for mandatory e-invoicing?
2. Under new tax regime from FY 2025-26, the basic exemption limit for individuals is?
3. Under the five-step revenue recognition model of Ind AS 115, revenue should be recognized when performance obligations are _____?
4. Audit documentation must be retained for ___ years from the date of the audit report.
5. What is the exemption limit for long-term capital gains on listed equity shares and equity mutual funds for AY 2025-26?
6. What is the holding period required for unlisted shares, land, and buildings to qualify as long-term capital assets??
7. Which sections of the Income Tax Act govern the computation of business income?
8. Companies with net worth of ₹250 crore or above must follow which standards?
9. As per the provisions of AS 26, Intangible Assets should be valued at each Balance Sheet Date to verify if there is any _____?.
10. Which cities are connected by NH-1?

RULES

1. Response to be submitted latest by 20th August, 2025 at eicacsaactivities@gmail.com
2. Mention your Name, Registration Number, Level of CA and contact number. Also attach your passport size photograph.
3. 1st three winners will be featured in the next edition of E-newsletter.
4. Winners will be selected on the basis of maximum correct answers within the given deadline.
5. If there are more than one response, then the 1st response would be considered as final.

Winners for June!



Khushi Sharma
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Rinku Sunil Agarwal
WRO0668189



Bidita Haldar
ERO0264559

Answers for June: 1. 25%, 25%, 10% 2. Adjusting Events 3. Cost, Nil 4. Operating Lease 5. Fair Value 6. Earlier of a.) Date of issue of invoice or last date on which invoice to be issued or b) Date of Receipt of Payment 7. No 8. 39 9. Non Current Assets 10. From 3CEB



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