

# **World Skills Competition National Selection Winners June - 2011**

# WSC National Selections – 2011 Winners



**Name:** Payal

**Age:** 21 years

**Skill Category :** Confectionery/ Pastry Cooking

**Completion Date and Venue:** May 23-24, Institute of Hotel Management, New Delhi

**No.of Competitors:** 5

**Selecting Organization :** NSDC/ FICCI

**Brief Profile:** Payal completed her schooling from Greenway Modern School and went on to do a 3-year B.Sc programme in Hospitality and Hotel Administration from the Institute of Hotel Management, Catering & Nutrition, PUSA, New Delhi – from where she competed for the national selections for the World Skills Competition to be held in London, during the first week of October, in the Pastry making category.

Her father is a businessman and mother is a home maker. Payal's passion is food and cooking and she sees herself as one of the most successful pastry chefs in the very near future. An opportunity to participate in the WSC will give her exposure to world class techniques in this field, apart from the chance to exhibit her talent.

Before she leaves for London in October, she would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** Anshul Aggarwal

**Age:** 20 years

**Skill Category :** Cooking

**Completion Date and Venue:** May 23-24, Institute of Hotel Management, New Delhi

**No.of Competitors:** 5

**Selecting Organization :** NSDC/ FICCI

**Brief Profile:** Anshul Aggarwal did his primary schooling from Ramjas Public School (a day boarding) and secondary/higher secondary from Salwan Public School, both in Delhi. His passion for preparing delicacies of various national and international cuisines and his close association with the family business of running restaurants, made him pursue a career in culinary skills.

With this mind, he joined the Institute of Hotel Management & Catering Technology, Pusa for a 3 year B.Sc. program in Hospitality and Hotel Administration and after its completion intends to do a Masters course in chain management. He plans to eventually join his family business to manage and expand the chain of restaurants his father currently runs. An opportunity to participate in the WSC will give him tremendous exposure to world class practices in his area of interest, apart from the chance to exhibit his talent. Before he leaves for London in October, he would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** Prasenjit Dari

**Age:** 21 years

**Skill Category :** Jewellery

**Competition Date and Venue:** May 25-26, Mumbai

**No. of Competitors:** 11

**Selecting Organizations :** Gems & Jewellery Export Promotion Council of India / NSDC

**Brief Profile:** Born into a family of traditional jewellery craftsmen in a village of West Bengal (Kumirmora, Chanditala, Howrah), Prasenjit was a reluctant entrant into this profession. A class X passout from a local school, he admitted that he took up his father's and brother's trade only because he was "expected to follow suit".

But what he had not bargained for was this sudden projection onto a global platform where he would get an opportunity to not only showcase his inborn talent but receive world class training in working with scales, formation (which in any case is his strong point), stone-setting and polishing. Before he leaves for the World Skills Competition in London, he would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** V Savitha

**Age:** 20 years

**Skill Category :** Beauty Therapy

**Competition Date and Venue:** May 27-29, YLG Salons, Bengaluru

**No.of Competitors:** 5

**Selecting Organization :** YLG Saloons/NSDC

**Brief Profile:** Savitha aspires to be an expert in beauty culture. She has been working now with YLG Saloons for a year and a half. Savitha finished her PUC from Bangalore University and then went on to do an advance diploma in cosmetology from ISHA. She holds a Level 2 IVQ Diploma in Hairdressing (Women's) awarded by City & Guilds and is proficient in all aspects of beauty therapy – make up, hair styling, facials, body treatments, nail art etc. The World Skills Competition will give Savitha not only a chance to showcase her talent before the world but also provide her an exposure to world class techniques in this area. Before she leaves for London in October, she would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** S Abhishek Kumar

**Age:** 19 years

**Skill Category :** Hairdressing

**Completion Date and Venue:** May 27-29, YLG Salons, Bengaluru

**No.of Competitors:** 5

**Selecting Organization :** YLG Saloons/NSDC

**Brief Profile:** Abhishek is a trained hair stylist and has worked for a year with Yash Saloons, 2 years with Bodyline and for one and a half years with Satar & Sithar after completing his PUC from Karnataka University. He completed his Xth std., from the Vijaya Bharathi Public School, Bangalore. He is now working with YLG Salons. Abhishek knows 5 languages – English, Hindi, Telugu, Tamil and Kannada.

Before he leaves for London, he would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** Sukriti Singh

**Age:** 22 years

**Skill Category :** Fashion Technology

**Competition Date and Venue:** May 30-31, Army Institute of Fashion Technology, Bengaluru

**No. of Competitors:** 11

**Selecting Organization :** FICCI/NSDC

**Brief Profile:** Sukriti recently graduated from the Fashion Design department of National Institute of Fashion Technology, New Delhi. She belongs to Himachal Pradesh and did her schooling from St. Luke's Solan. Her father is a banker and her mother is an India Post employee. Sukriti's passion for creativity and art drove her towards the field of Fashion Design. She is keen on exploring the various facets of fashion design and technology and hence did not miss out on the opportunity of participating in the selection contest. She now is keenly looking forward to an opportunity of showcasing her talent making use of this opportunity to expand her potential and making her country proud.

Before she leaves for London, Sukriti would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** Radheshyam Behera

**Age:** 17 years

**Skill Category :** Plumbing/Heating

**Completion Date and Venue:** June 2, Angul, Odisha

**No.of Competitors:** 3

**Selecting Organization :** NSDC/ FICCI/IPA

**Brief Profile:** O.P Jindal Community College's student Radheshyam Behera has stood first in an all India level trade test for plumbing, jointly conducted by NSDC/FICCI and IPA. Radheshyam belongs to Paranga village of Angul District in Odisha one of those affected by the JSPL Angul project. He completed his Xth std., from the Board of Secondary Education in Odisha and then went on to do a course in the Plumbing trade from the National Council for Vocational Training where he secured close to 90% in the last examination. Before he leaves for London, he would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** Biswaranjan Pradhan

**Age:** 21 years

**Skill Category :** CNC Turning

**Competition Date and Venue:** June 3-4, Central Tool Room & Training Centre, Bhubaneswar, Odisha

**No. of Competitors:** 4

**Selecting Organization :** NSDC/ CII

**Brief Profile:** Biswaranjan Pradhan belongs to Bhubaneswar, Odisha. He completed his matriculation from DAV Public School and Class XII from Mothers Public School, Bhubaneswar. He went on to do a 4 year diploma course in tool and die making and for the last one year has been working as a trainee in the Central Tool Room & Training Centre. He has experience in the areas of mould manufacturing and maintenance, Press tool manufacturing & maintenance, Quality monitoring & Process Improvement, CNC operations etc. He has been working under the able guidance of Mr.K Vijay Kumar who has more than 15 years of experience in this area and would be mentoring Biswaranjan for competing at the World Skills Competition in London in October. Before he leaves for the same, he would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** Sandeep Kumar

**Age:** 20 years

**Skill Category :** Car Painting

**Completion Date and Venue:** June 6-7, Greater Noida, NCR

**No.of Competitors:** 6

**Selecting Organization :** SIAM/NSDC

**Brief Profile:** Son of a poor landless farmer, leading a hand to mouth existence as a daily wage labourer, Sandeep Kumar struggled hard to get a basic education. He managed to pass Class X from a government school in the village of Barauli Jata (near Barabanki, Lucknow, UP) before being forced to start working to supplement the family income. His first job was with a Maruti dealer in Chinhat, Lucknow where he picked up the basic skills of painting a car. He's now proved to be a master at it. Sandeep now works for Stallion Honda, Lucknow as a car body painter. Before he leaves for the World Skills Competition in London he would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** M.Ashok Kumar

**Age:** 20 years

**Skill Category :** Electronics

**Competition Date and Venue:** June 7-8, Nettur Technical Training Foundation, Bengaluru

**No.of Competitors:** 3

**Selecting Organization :** NSDC/ SIAM

**Brief Profile:** Born to daily wage earning parents at a remote village called Melmanavoor, Vellore District, Tamil Nadu, Ashok Kumar completed his secondary education from his native village and went on to the Government Boys Senior Secondary School in Poigai, Tamil Nadu where he completed high school. An alumni of NTTF Electronics City Centre (he has completed a 3 year Diploma course in Electronics) Ashok Kumar stood first amongst the 3 people who competed in the Electronics category in the selection competition jointly conducted by NSDC and CII, for the World Skills Competition.

He is the first student from NTTF to be recruited by Tssolve Services P.Ltd., through a campus recruitment program as a Test Engineer. The World Skills Competition will provide Ashok not only a platform to display his technical brilliance but also an exposure to world class practices in his area of interest. Before he leaves for London, he would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

# WSC National Selections – 2011 Winners



**Name:** P. Jibi Joseph

**Age:** 20 years

**Skill Category :** Mechatronics

**Comptetion Date and Venue:** Gedee Technical & Training Institute, June 9-10 , Coimbatore

**No.of Competitors:** 4

**Selecting Organization :** CII/NSDC

## **Brief Profile:**

**JIBI JOSEPH.P**, hails from Kumbalanghy village Cochin, Kerala. He completed secondary schooling from Our Lady of Fatima High School and Higher Secondary from St.Peters Higher Secondary School, at Kumbalangi, Cochin, Kerala.

His father is a fisherman and educated till the primary level. Jibi joined the Gedee Technical Training Institute, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, in 2008 August for a Diploma in Mechatronics. After completing, he would be going in for a 1-year institutional training programme, as part of the curriculum.

Jibi, along with his partner Nikhil Raj, won the selection competition in the area of Mechatronics, from amongst 4 competitors. He is now preparing to compete on a global platform at the World Skills Competition in London, in the first week of October. Before he leaves for the World Skills Competition, he would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** K V Nikhil Raj

**Age:** 20 years

**Skill Category :** Mechatronics

**Completion Date and Venue:** Gedee Technical & Training Institute, June 9-10, Coimbatore

**No.of Competitors:** 4

**Selecting Organization :** CII/NSDC

**Brief Profile:** Nikhil Raj , 20, hails from Koyilandy village, Calicut, Kerala. He completed his High School from the Government High School in his village. He studied upto 10<sup>th</sup> Standard. Nikhil joined the Gedee Technical Training Institute, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, in 2008 August for a Diploma in Mechatronics. After completing, he would be going in for a 1 year institutional training programme. Nikhil, along with his partner Jibi Joseph, won the selection competition in the area of Mechatronics, from amongst 4 competitors. He is now preparing to compete on a global platform at the World Skills Competition in London. Before he leaves for the World Skills Competition in London, he would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** Abdul Mubash Kallan

**Age:** 21 years

**Skill Category :** Polymechnics

**Comptetion Date and Venue:** June 9-10, Gedee Technical & Training Institute, Coimbatore

**No.of Competitors:** 2

**Selecting Organization :** NSDC/ CII

**Brief Profile:** ABDUL MUBASH.K hails from a village named Kottoor at Malapuram District in Kerala. He completed his Secondary schooling at AKM High School at Kottoor and passed Higher Secondary from the Government Rajas High School at Kottakkal, Kerala with 85% marks. His father is educated till the primary level and presently employed in a supermarket. His mother is a school teacher. Abdul joined the Gedee Technical Training Institute, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, in August 2008 for a Diploma in Tool and Die Engineering. He would be completing his institutional training by July 2011 and after that would be going for a 12 month Industrial training as part of the curriculum. Having won the selection competition in the area of Polymechnics, Abdul is now looking forward to competing on a global platform at the WSC London. Before he leaves for London, he would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** Shaheer Vattamkandathil

**Age:** 21 years

**Skill Category :** Mould Making

**Completion Date and Venue:** June 9-10, Gedee Technical & Training Institute, Coimbatore

**No.of Competitors:** 4

**Selecting Organization :** NSDC/ CII

**Brief Profile:** SHAHEER.V, belongs to a village named Kunnakkavu at Malapuram District in Kerala. He completed his Secondary and Higher Secondary Schooling from the Government High School at Kunnakkavu, Kerala His father, works as Turner. He studied upto 10<sup>th</sup> Standard. Shaheer joined the Gedee Technical Training Institute, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, in 2008 August for a Diploma in Tool & Die Engineering. After completing it, he would be going in for 1 year of institutional training. Shaheer won the selection competition in the area of Mould making, from amongst 4 competitors. He is now preparing to compete on a global platform at the World Skills Competition in London. Before he leaves for the World Skills Competition, he would also be provided training in basic communication and other soft skills.

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**Name:** Priyanka Nag

**Age:** 20 years

**Skill Category :** IT/Software Application

**Comptetion Date and Venue:** June 13-14, NASSCOM, New Delhi

**No.of Competitors:** 2

**Selecting Organization :** NASSCOM/NSDC

**Brief Profile:** Priyanka Nag of Serampore, Hooghly, W.Bengal, completed her class XII from St.Joseph's Convent, Chandannagar with 84% marks and then went on to do her Bachelor's in Computer Applications (BCA) from the Symbiosis Institute of Computer Studies and Research. Her father is a government employee and mother works with LIC of India. She has one younger sister, still in school.

Priyanka, right from her school days, had been interested in Computers and aspires to become one of the most successful software developers of India. She aspires to work for software giants like Microsoft or Google, who she believes have completely changed the face of the IT industry. She strongly believes that IT is where the country's as well as her future lies. Priyanka won the selection competition jointly held by NASSCOM and NSDC for the IT trade and is now awaiting further training – both technical and soft skills – before she leaves for London.

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**Name:** Shailesh Lohia

**Age:** 21 years

**Skill Category :** Web Designing

**Completion Date and Venue:** June 13-14, NASSCOM, New Delhi

**No.of Competitors:** 3

**Selecting Organization :** NASSCOM/NSDC

**Brief Profile:** A computer science Engineering student, Shailesh Lohia of Mumbai was introduced to web designing as part of his course curriculum which gave him an opportunity to work on some of the web technologies. Shailesh has just completed his final year of BE in Computers from the VES Institute of Technology, Mumbai and has been offered a job with Microsoft IGTSC at Bangalore through a campus recruitment program. His career aspiration is to get into core development and software engineering cycles in all forms of application development and make an impact in the IT industry. His father is a Chartered Accountant. Before leaving for London, he would be undergoing another 4 days of intensive training in basic communication and soft skills.