



## **India League of America Presents Mrs. ILA Michigan 2019**

**India League of America (ILA) invites active participation in the Mrs. ILA Michigan. The winners will be announced at the INDIA Day Celebrations which will be held on August 17, 2019 at the Suburban Collection Showplace, 46100 Grand River Avenue, Novi, MI.**

**Please refer to the rules and regulations for participation. For questions, contact: [contests@ilamichigan.org](mailto:contests@ilamichigan.org)**

### **Rules and regulations for participation and consideration in the contests:**

- **Applicant must reside within Michigan in order to compete in the contests.**
- **Applicant must complete the registration form, sign the agreement form & email it to [contests@ilamichigan.org](mailto:contests@ilamichigan.org) along with supporting documents.**
- **Participant for Mrs. ILA Michigan must be married as of Aug. 01, 2019.**
- **Documentation regarding the residency status of the applicant must be submitted in order to meet the eligibility requirements.**
- **Criteria for the Contest are given below:**
  - **Indian attire**
  - **Talent**
  - **Question and Answer round that evaluates their knowledge about Indian culture and heritage**
- **Winners for both the contests will be judged from the pool of participants by an anonymous panel of ILA judges based on the same criteria mentioned above.**
- **An ENTRY FEE in the amount of \$20.00 must be paid with the submission of the contest application, which is non-refundable. Checks should be made payable to ILA.**
- **Please use attached forms to provide all the details.**
  
- **Deadline to receive the fully completed & signed Registration form along with the payment and all the requested documents is July 31, 2019 .**

**India League of America - Michigan**

**Mrs. ILA Michigan 2019**

**Registration Form**

**Full name of the applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Home phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Age:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Occupation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Goals in life:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Hobbies/Interests:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Why do you feel you should win Mrs. ILA Michigan contest?** \_\_\_\_\_

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*Feel free to attach one additional page if necessary or you need more space to write,*

**Checklist of required attachments:**

- **1 full length and 1 close up color photographs**
  - **Proof of age**
  - **Proof of residency**
  - **Check enclosed for \$20.00 made to ILA? \_\_\_\_\_ Check number: \_\_\_\_\_ or**
  - **Credit Card# (Visa or MC only): \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_**
  - Name on Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_ 3 digit Security code: \_\_\_\_\_**
  - Credit card Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_**
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### **Applicant Agreement Form**

**- The day of pageant schedule will be sent to contestants prior to the pageant. While every attempt will be made by the organizers to follow the announced schedules, plan on dedicating the entire day of the pageant for general preparation, meetings, and the competition. Contestants are responsible for their own food, transportation and lodging during the pageant, and bear the costs for such arrangements.**

**- Applicants understand that the judges' decisions and scoring are final and binding. The organizers of the pageant bear no responsibility for the judges' decision. The names of the ILA contest judges will NOT be released.**

**- Applicants understand that the ILA reserves the right to add, change, or delete any rules and regulations at any time before the competition which will be communicated to all participants.**

**- Applicant might be disqualified for non-compliance of regulations set forth herein.**

**-Contestants understand and agree that incorrect information will result in disqualification, whether discovered prior to, during or after the finals.**

**-ILA reserves the right to take decisions for the venue and segments for the competition which will be notified to the contestants before the commencement of the contest.**

**- Photos submitted as part of the application will not be returned to contestants, and become the property of ILA. These photos along with any photos or video taken during the event may be used in promotional material. All contestants are required to participate in group photos taken at the pageant. These photographs are the property of ILA and can be used without additional notification at our discretion.**

**- Sportsmanlike conduct is expected from all contestants and associated parties (family, friends, etc.). This includes, but is not limited to, suitability of clothing/lyrics/dance moves/etc. for a family audience, attendance of all meetings and information sessions before/during/after the contest, and overall timeliness. Organizers and judges reserve the right to deduct points or disqualify (without refund) any contestants who fail to meet these requirements, display disruptive behavior, or portray other unsportsmanlike behavior.**

**I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby certify that I have read and I understand and I agree to abide by these rules and regulations for the upcoming contest and that I meet these requirements. I further agree to fully honor the terms and conditions of this Agreement and agree to indemnify the contest and its organizers and sponsors against all claims and causes of action that may occur as a result of my fault. I hereby release and discharge the contest and its organizers and sponsors, its successors and persons, directors, officers, authorized representatives, individuals connected with it from any responsibility, liability or claims, demands, costs, damages, expenses.**

**Signature of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**