



## Institute of Quantity Surveyors Sri Lanka

### **IQSSL LOGO DESIGN COMPETITION 2025 LEADING TO PAQS ANNUAL CONGRESS 2026**

**15<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

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Institute of Quantity Surveyors Sri Lanka (IQSSL) is the apex body for governing the Quantity Surveying practice and education in Sri Lanka. IQSSL has been a member of the Pacific Association of Quantity Surveyors (PAQS) from 2011. PAQS is an international association representing quantity surveyors across the Asia and Western Pacific regions. Established in 1994, PAQS fosters collaboration among quantity surveying organizations throughout the Asia-Pacific area.

PAQS Annual Congress is an international event which creates and interaction with more than 500 foreign delegates and professionals. As IQSSL we have been privileged to host the PAQS Annual Congress 2026 in Sri Lanka after 15 years. This occasion will create invaluable opportunity for Sri Lankan Quantity Surveying Students to have international exposure and interactions with international Quantity Surveying professionals.

This time the governing council of IQSSL has decided to give an opportunity for the creativity of Sri Lankan Quantity Surveying Students to showcase their creativity and gain recognition by creating a novel event logo for the 2026 PAQS Annual Congress in Sri Lanka. This is a rare and exciting chance for young QS professionals to demonstrate their skills, gain international exposure, and be part of a globally recognized event. Experiences like this can be life-changing and may not come again. The competition is open from 15<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> May 2025.

### **Logo Design Competition – Guidelines**

#### **Eligibility Criteria:**

1. Participants must be students currently enrolled in a Quantity Surveying program at a recognized educational institution in Sri Lanka.
2. Participants must hold an **IQSSL Student Membership** and provide their **IQSSL Student Membership number**.
3. Participants must be **under the age of 30**.
4. Applications may be submitted **individually or in groups** (maximum of 3 members per group).

## Design Criteria

Participants are required to adhere to the following design specifications

- **Shape of the logo –** The logo should be adaptable to both circular and rectangular formats to ensure versatility in various applications (e.g., banners, stationery, digital media).
- **Size of the logo –** The design must be scalable, with a preferred original size of 1000 x 1000 pixels (or higher) to maintain quality when resized.
- **Color theme –** The color palette must reflect professionalism and cultural identity, ideally incorporating elements of the Sri Lankan heritage and the international nature of PAQS. Use of vibrant yet formal tones is encouraged.
- **File format –** Submit the final logo in high-resolution PNG and vector format (AI or EPS) to ensure compatibility across platforms and print media.
- **Resolution –** A minimum resolution of 300 DPI is required to ensure clarity and print quality.
- **Content –** The logo must align with the official PAQS 2026 Congress theme ***“Constructing the Evolution: Unleashing Human Intelligence in the Digital World”***

## Competition Timeline:

All the designs shall be submitted complying to following,

- **Competition Period:** 15<sup>th</sup> May – 28<sup>th</sup> May 2025
- **Deadline for the Submission:** 28<sup>th</sup> May 2025 at 12:00 PM
- **Shall be Submit To:** All designs to be submitted in soft copies complying to the above given design criteria via email to [logoc.iqssl@gmail.com](mailto:logoc.iqssl@gmail.com)

## Awards & Recognition:

Winners of the competition will receive:

- ❖ A Cash Price of Rs. 25,000/-
- ❖ Free admission to the Young QS Conference 2026 in Sri Lanka
- ❖ An IQSSL Certificate of Recognition

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**We encourage all eligible students to participate and showcase their creativity in designing a logo that will represent Sri Lanka on an international platform.**



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### **APPLICATION**

Candidates can apply for this competition as individuals or groups  
(maximum of 3 members per group).

***Contestant 1 –***

Name : .....

IQSSL Registration No : .....

Date of Birth : .....

Contact Phone No : .....

Email Address ; .....

***Contestant 2 –***

Name : .....

IQSSL Registration No : .....

Date of Birth : .....

Contact Phone No : .....

Email Address ; .....

***Contestant 3 –***

Name : .....

IQSSL Registration No : .....

Date of Birth : .....

Contact Phone No : .....

Email Address ; .....

Description of the design and Slogan of the design : (please provide in separate sheet)

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**Disclaimer :**

***By submitting this design to IQSSL Logo competition, I / We hereby affirm that the submitted work is my / our original creation and does not infringe upon any existing intellectual property rights or violate any applicable laws. I confirm that I am / We are the sole creator / creators and owner of all rights, title, and interest in the submitted design.***

***I acknowledge and agree that, upon submission, all rights, including but not limited to intellectual property rights, in and to the submitted design are irrevocably transferred to Institute of Quantity Surveyors, who shall have the full right to use, reproduce, modify, publish, distribute, and otherwise exploit the design in any form and for any purpose, without further permission or compensation to me.***

***Furthermore, I / We understand and accept that the decision of the Competition's selection committee shall be final and binding, and I / We also understand and accept that by entering this competition, I / We waive any right to claim ownership, royalties, or compensation related to the submitted design now or in the future.***

***By participating in this Competition, I / We agree to all terms stated in this disclaimer.***

**Signature/s of Contestant/s**

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