

# 2nd Online Incredible Chess Academy Tournament 2021

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**Rs 1,20,000/-**



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Incredible Chess Academy  
founded by Fide Instructor  
Atul Dahale is really happy to  
invite all the players from all  
over the world to participate  
in

2nd Online ICAT 2021!

<https://incrediblechess.com/>

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# Tournament Fees:

For Indian residents:

Early bird discount: Rs 250/- till 7th November 2021

Rs 350/- From 8th November onwards.

For non resident Indians and foreign players: USD \$ 7.

All Titled players: Free entry

(GM/WGM/IM/WIM/FM/WFM/CM/WCM)

**Last date to enter the tournament: 6:00 p.m. IST, 12<sup>th</sup> November**

# Tournament Details:

Date: 13th & 14th November, 2021

Website/ Platform: [www.chess.com](http://www.chess.com)

Eligibility: Open to all players of all nationalities.

Format: Tournament will be played in 2 formats.

Where to register:

For untitled players: <https://incrediblechess.com/tournament-registration>

Or on <https://easypaychess.com/>

For titled players: Send an email to [incrediblechessacademy@gmail.com](mailto:incrediblechessacademy@gmail.com) with your name, chess.com Id, FIDE Id, FIDE Title, WhatsApp number, Date of Birth.

Country.

# Day 1 details:

13th November 2021

Format: Swiss League

No. of Rounds: 9 (Automatic pairings will be done by Chess.com)

Time Control: 3 mins + 1 sec increment per move.

Time: 7 pm IST

**Top 8 players will qualify to play the knock-out stage of the tournament on Day 2 i.e. on 14th November 2021.**

# Day 2 details:

14th November 2021

Format: Knock out (2 game match format)

Time Control:

QF and SF: 3 mins + 2 sec increment per move.

Finals: 5 mins + 2 sec increment per move.

Time: 7 pm IST

More details of Day 2 knock out rounds on next slide.



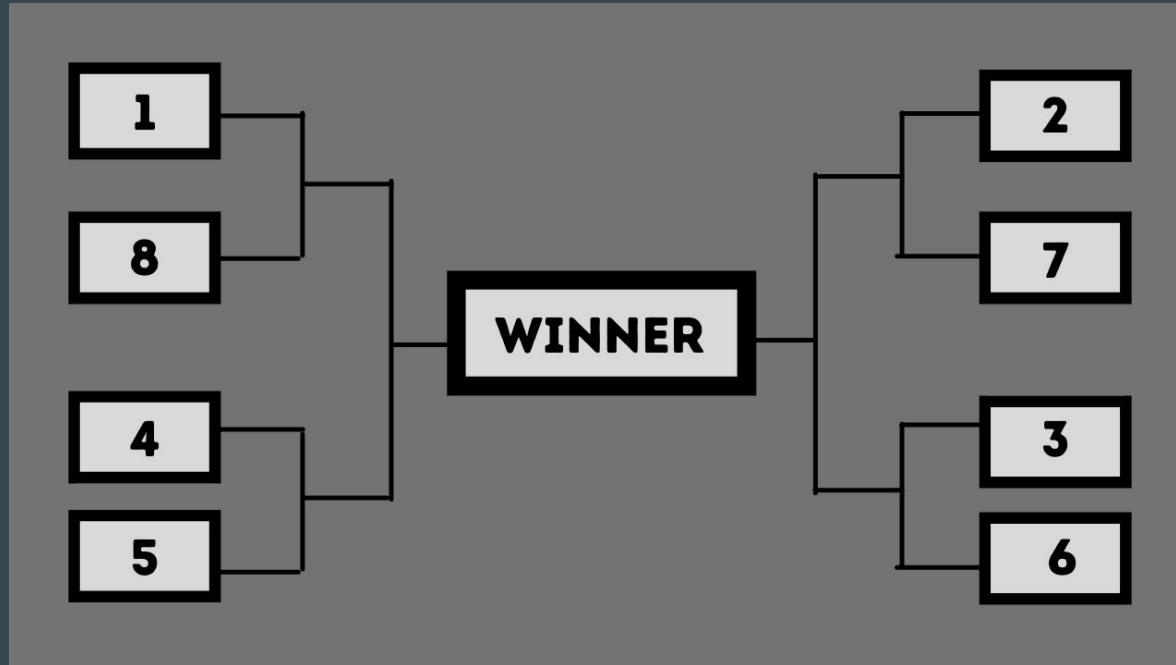
# Knock-out format rules:

- Top 8 players will play Quarter finals.
- Losers from the Quarter finals will be given the rankings 5, 6, 7 and 8 in descending order of their opponent's standard Fide rating.
  - For example: The player who loses to the highest rated player will be ranked 5th.
- **The Quater finals** and **Semifinals** will be played in 2 game match format with 3 min + 2 sec increment from move 1 with alternate colors. If the score gets tied then the tie will be resolved with Armageddon game.
- There will not be any increment in an Armageddon match.
- **The Finals** will be played in 2 game match format with 5 min + 2 sec increment from move 1 with alternate colours. If the score gets tied then the tie will be resolved with Armageddon game.

**Armageddon game** will be played with 5 mins to player playing with white pieces and 4 minutes to the player playing with black pieces and with Black odds. (Draw is sufficient for the player playing with back pieces to advance to the next stage. Player playing with white pieces must win in order to advance.)

# Knock-out format pairing:

The pairing for the knock out stage will be as follows:



\*Ranking from Day 1 will be considered!

# Important points to note:

- 1) Filling up the registration form is mandatory to claim the prizes.
- 2) One player will get only one prize.
- 3) Foreign players must have PayPal account in order to claim the prizes. We will send you the prize money through PayPal (in USD equivalent to INR prize money). The PayPal commission must be borne by the respective players.
- 3) Prizes will be announced/confirmed only after the approval of Chess.com Fair Play Committee (FPC). It may take up to 72 hours after the completion of the tournament.
- 4) Tournament is open to players of all nationalities.
- 5) Organizers decision will be final and binding on all.
- 6) Top 8 players must join the livestream and should be available in post game analysis/interview.

# Fair Play Committee:

1) The decision of Chess.com FPC is final and binding. No appeal can be made against the decision of FPC at any forum/court. If any player found violated fair play regulation, he/she will be expelled from the championship.

2) Neither Incredible Chess Academy, nor the hosting Internet Platform claims that the determination of a suspected fair play violation is proof of actual cheating or an admission of guilt by the disqualified player.

3) No external help or cheating will be entertained. Cheating will lead to forfeiting of PRIZE, if any and the player will be BANNED from future ICA tournaments!

# Video Conferencing System (Zoom) Arbiters:

1. Players must be present in designated Zoom video call and Zoom conferencing platform will be recorded by the organizer.
2. Assigned arbiters will be monitoring the players!
3. The organizer will appoint a team of arbiters including chief arbiter.  
**Chief Arbiter : International Arbiter Vivek Sohani.**
4. We will send you the necessary details about Zoom links one day before the tournament i.e. on 13th November, 2021 (By 2pm IST) through email. Kindly Check for the updates.
5. Top 8 players must have 2 cameras, 1 Front camera, 2nd Rear camera.

# Step by step guide to register for the tournament. (For untitled players)

- Step 1 - Pay the entry fee with your details @ <https://incrediblechess.com/tournament-registration>

In order to register follow these instructions step by step! (INDIAN PLAYERS)

- 1) Entry fee needs to be paid to register for the tournament from the link given below.  
Early Bird Rs 250/- (Till 7th November) and Rs 350/- from 8th Nov onwards.
- 2) After paying the Entry fee a player must request to join the tournament club, after confirmation we will add you in tournament club where the tournament will be held!  
Tournament club: <https://www.chess.com/club/2nd-online-incredible-chess-tournament-2021>
- 3) Free entry to all titled players (GM/WGM/IM/WIM/FM/WFM/CM/WCM)  
To confirm your entry contact us on [incrediblechessacademy@gmail.com](mailto:incrediblechessacademy@gmail.com)
- 4) For claiming age group prizes players need to send their age certificate on [incrediblechessacademy@gmail.com](mailto:incrediblechessacademy@gmail.com)
- 5)

ENTRY FEE FOR INDIAN PLAYERS

In order to register follow these instructions step by step! (FOREIGN PLAYERS)

- 1) Entry fee needs to be paid to register for the tournament from the link given below.  
USD \$7.
- 2) After paying the Entry fee a player must request to join the tournament club, after confirmation we will add you in tournament club where the tournament will be held!  
Tournament club: <https://www.chess.com/club/2nd-online-incredible-chess-tournament-2021>
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ENTRY FEE FOREIGN PLAYERS

\* Choose the right category (Indian / Foreign player)

## Step by step guide to register for the tournament. (For titled players)

- Step 1 – Send an email to [incrediblechessacademy@gmail.com](mailto:incrediblechessacademy@gmail.com) with your details
  - Name
  - www.chess.com Id
  - FIDE Id
  - FIDE Title
  - Contact Number (WhatsApp)
  - Country
  - Date of Birth

## Step by step guide to register for the tournament. (For all players)

- Upon verifying and confirming your registration form and entry fee we will add you in the 2nd ICA Tournament club, where the tournament will be played.
- We will add every registered player in tournament club after all the registrations are closed.
- 2nd Online ICA Tournament Club link :  
<https://www.chess.com/club/2nd-online-incredible-chess-tournament-2021>
- Tournament link will be live 1 hr before the start of the event i.e at 6 pm. IST. You must click on Join button once the tournament link is live. Then only you will be able to play the tournament.
- Once you are added in the club you can find the tournament link in "Upcoming Events"
- You can check the Confirmed player's list on our website which will be updated every 24 hours.

Link: <https://incrediblechess.com/confirmed-players-list>



# Cash Prizes : Total of Rs 1,20,000/-

Rank	Open Category	Rank	Open Category
1st	Rs 25,000/-	11th-16th	Rs 500/-
2nd	Rs 15,000/-	17th-18th	Rs 400/-
3rd	Rs 10,000/-	19th-20th	Rs 350/-
4th	Rs 7,000/-	21st-25th	1 month Chess.com Diamond Membership
5th	Rs 3,500/-		
6th	Rs 3000/-		
7th	Rs 2500/-		
8th	Rs 2000/-		
9th-10th	Rs 1000/-		

# Best Women Players

<b>Rank</b>	<b>Prize Money</b>
<b>1st</b>	<b>Rs 5,000/-</b>
<b>2nd</b>	<b>Rs 2,500/-</b>
<b>3rd</b>	<b>Rs 2,000/-</b>
<b>4th</b>	<b>Rs 1,000/-</b>
<b>5th</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>

# Rating Category Prizes (Standard Fide Rating)

Rank	Below 1900	Below 1600	Below 1300
1st	Rs 1500/-	Rs 1500/-	Rs 1500/-
2nd	Rs 1000/-	Rs 1000/-	Rs 1000/-
3rd	Rs 500/-	Rs 500/-	Rs 500/-
4th	Rs 500/-	Rs 500/-	Rs 500/-
5th	Rs 500/-	Rs 500/-	Rs 500/-
6th	1-month Chess.com Diamond Membership	1-month Chess.com Diamond Membership	1-month Chess.com Diamond Membership

# Age Group Prizes:

<b>Rank</b>	<b>Under 9 (Born on or after 1.1.2012)</b>	<b>Under 11 (Born on or after 1.1.2010)</b>	<b>Under 13 (Born on or after 1.1.2008)</b>	<b>Under 15 (Born on or after 1.1.2006)</b>
<b>1st</b>	<b>Rs 1500/-</b>	<b>Rs 1500/-</b>	<b>Rs 1500/-</b>	<b>Rs 1500/-</b>
<b>2nd</b>	<b>Rs 1000/-</b>	<b>Rs 1000/-</b>	<b>Rs 1000/-</b>	<b>Rs 1000/-</b>
<b>3rd</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>
<b>4th</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>
<b>5th</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>
<b>6th</b>	<b>1-month Diamond Membership</b>	<b>1-month Diamond Membership</b>	<b>1-month Diamond Membership</b>	<b>1-month Diamond Membership</b>

# Special Prizes!

<b>Rank</b>	<b>Best Unrated Players</b>	<b>Rank</b>	<b>Best Veteran Players (Age 55+)</b>
<b>1st</b>	<b>Rs 1500/-</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>Rs 1500/-</b>
<b>2nd</b>	<b>Rs 1000/-</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>Rs 1000/-</b>
<b>3rd</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>		
<b>4th</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>		
<b>5th</b>	<b>Rs 500/-</b>		

## Contact details and other Notes :

1. Age proof certificate to be sent to [incrediblechessacademy@gmail.com](mailto:incrediblechessacademy@gmail.com) for claiming a relevant age group prize.
2. For below rating category prizes standard FIDE rating will be considered.
3. For any questions contact us on our email @ [incrediblechessacademy@chess.com](mailto:incrediblechessacademy@chess.com) or
4. WhatsApp number **+91 8010965927**
5. If needed we will communicate necessary details through email. Stay updated.

## Live Streaming on YouTube Channel

The Tournament will be Live streamed on my YouTube Channel :  
Incredible Chess

Do Join me and Subscribe to Channel :

Channel Link : <https://www.youtube.com/c/IncredibleChess>