

Dear All,

St. Xavier's College, XRCVC -Viviana extension is happy to announce an online workshop on the theme "**Optimizing Audacity sound editor with NVDA Part-1**" under its Tech Roshni series – A step at bridging the digital divide for blind and low vision persons. This Workshop is supported by the **Dhun Pestonji Parakh Discretionary Trust**.

Audacity is a free open source and very old sound editing program. Since March 2015 the most popular has taken over 111 million downloads.

Features of Audacity include Record live sound and audio playback, convert music tapes and save them to modern files format, Edit multiple audio formats such as MP2, MP3, WAV, etc. FLAC, take different sound documents and cut, copy paste and amalgam them and many more. It works on cross platforms such as Linux, Mac, and Windows.

In this multi part of the series, on Audacity will learn some basics features of the program with hands on experience.

Eligibility: participants should have good knowledge of screen reader, cursor movements, Keyboard and internet browsing.

Limited seats are available for the session.

Those interested should kindly register by using the link appended below.

<https://forms.gle/fGLEvHNL1qYcdPam9>

Resource Persons: Vikas Dabholkar and Keshavan Nadar

Criteria: Persons with print disabilities such as blindness and low vision. Participant should be a screen reader user.

Date: 28th January 2023, (Saturday).

Time: 4.30 pm to 5.30 pm.

Venue: Online Session (Zoom conferencing platform)

The registration link will close at 6.00 pm. On Wednesday 25th January 2023.

Important Note:

1. Instructions to login will be sent by email on 27th January 2023, Friday to the registered participants only.
2. After clicking the above given link, fill in the form. Please do not click on the Request Edit Access button. If you click on it the form will not get submitted. Once the form is filled then click on the Submit button only.
3. Participants are requested to use their personal earphones/headphones during the session.
4. After successful form submission, you will receive acknowledgement email from Google.

Thanks,

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