

Government of India
Department of Atomic Energy
BOARD OF RESEARCH IN NUCLEAR SCIENCES

DAE YOUNG SCIENTIST RESEARCH AWARD

Applications are invited for the above award from exceptionally brilliant scientists below the age of 35 years. This award has been instituted to grant financial assistance to young scientists in their initial years of settling down in a career of research and development in Universities and Institutions of higher learning.

The Award carries a maximum research grant of Rs 5.00 lakh in a block of three years. This amount can be utilized for expenditure on equipment, consumable, travel and other contingent expenditure in connection with his/her programme.

Scientists/Engineers working and holding a regular position in universities/academic institutions of higher learning/research organizations are **ONLY** eligible to apply for this Award. The Award is given to those who have not received till the date of application any research grant from any agency.

Those working in the laboratories and institutions fully supported by government departments like DAE, DST, ICMR, CSIR and ICAR and in R&D organizations of Private Industry or fully supported by Private Industry are not eligible for the Award. Applicants who had earlier applied for the Award against our advertisement will not be considered for the Award.

Research projects/programmes in the following areas of interest to DAE will be considered for the award.

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| 1. Physics | 2. Chemistry |
| 3. Life and Medical Sciences | 4. Engineering Sciences |
| 5. Material Science | 6. Electronics and Instrumentation |
| 7. Food and Agricultural Sciences | 8. Radiation and Environmental Sciences |
| 9. Radioisotope Applications. | |

There is no prescribed Application Form and no last date for the receipt of application.

Applicants are requested to send complete details along with their curriculum vitae, proposed research programme, names of possible referees who are conversant with the applicant's work and all other necessary information for proper evaluation of the applicant. The application should contain the following declaration: 'I hereby certify that I have never received any research grant from any funding agency as on date of application for this award.'

The application must be duly forwarded by the Head of the Institution along with the following certificate: 'This is to certify that Dr/Prof./ ----- is holding a regular position in our University/Institution. This University/Institution agrees to undertake the financial and other management responsibilities for the part of the research work which will be conducted in our University/Institution. We are also aware that 'No Overhead' charges will be paid to the University/Institution for carrying out this programme'.

15 copies of the completed application should be forwarded to:

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