

## **T. N. Khoshoo Memorial Endowment Fund**

### **Nomination for the Khoshoo Award 2008**

In honour and memory of Dr T. N. Khoshoo, a distinguished environmentalist of India, the T. N. Khoshoo Memorial Endowment Fund has been established to promote, encourage and recognize studies on conservation and the sustainable use of natural resources in the country. Among the various programmes, the Endowment Fund has established a T. N. Khoshoo Award for excellence in environmental studies since 2004. The past awardees are Dr R. Sukumar, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore for his work on Asian elephant conservation (2004), Dr Anil Joshi from HESCO, Dehradun for work on conservation of the Himalayan biodiversity and Ms Nafisa, Utthan, Ahmedabad for work on rural livelihoods and water conservation (2005), Mr Anupam Mishra from the Gandhi Peace Foundation for his documentation of traditional water harvesting system in India (2006) and Dr B. R. Ramesh of the French Institute at Pondicherry for his work on vegetation ecology, vegetation mapping and conservation.

The Fund now solicits nomination of candidates for the Khoshoo Award for 2008. The candidates should have contributed substantively to studies related to ecology and the environment in India. The potential nominees for the award should be less than 55 years old (as on 31 December 2007), and should have evidence for their accomplishments either in the form of research publications in peer-reviewed journals, or conservation action in the field. The award will recognize candidates from a range of backgrounds, social to biological sciences, with an appreciation for multi-disciplinary approach to problem solving or for conservation activities that foster partnerships and reconciliation. Candidates may either nominate themselves or be nominated. Nominee(s) selected will be invited to receive the award at the Annual T. N. Khoshoo Memorial Award Function to be held at New Delhi. The awardee will be presented a citation and a cash award of Rs 1 lakh. Additionally this year we would also like to solicit nominations of young scientists/conservationists (less than 40 years as on 31 December 2007) for the Khoshoo Award for young scientist/conservationist. Apart from a younger age criteria all other criteria for selection of the winner will be the same as detailed above.

The nominations/applications for both awards should provide a CV of the nominee and a nomination letter (300 words) outlining the most significant contributions made by the nominee. The nominations should reach the Endowment Fund office before **31 January 2008**, preferably electronically ([info@atree.org](mailto:info@atree.org)) or mailed to Director, ATREE, No. 659, 5th 'A' Main, Hebbal, Bangalore 560 024, India.

## **DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICS BOMBAY COLLEGE OF PHARMACY Mumbai 400 098**

Applications are invited on plain paper for two posts of Senior Research Fellows (SRF) under the Department of Atomic Energy, Board of Research in Nuclear Sciences (DAE-BRNS), Mumbai, research project of Dr (Mrs) M. D. Menon entitled '**Development and Gamma Scintigraphic Evaluation of Targeted Delivery Systems for Anticancer Drugs**'.

The appointment will be initially for the period of one year and may be extended further on the basis of the progress of the fellows.

#### **Educational qualification:**

M. Pharm. (Pharmaceutics/Pharmaceutical Chemistry) with first class + at least One year professional experience.

#### **Monthly emoluments:**

SRF: Rs 12,000 p.m.

Interested candidates who possess the above mentioned qualifications may send their applications with biodata to the following address on or before **25 January 2008**.

**The Principal, Bombay College of Pharmacy, Kalina, Santacruz (East), Mumbai 400 098.** Mark the envelope with 'Attn: Dr (Mrs) M. D. Menon'. Selected candidates may be allowed to register for Ph.D. subsequently. No TA/DA will be paid to the candidate if called for the interview or on joining the post.