American Society for Microbiology (ASM) in partnership with the Indo-US Science & Technology Forum (IUSSTF) announces the ASM-IUSSTF Indo-US Professorship in Microbiology. This program is open to ASM members and non-members alike. The program seeks to broaden collaboration between microbiologists in India and the US through scientific exchange.

**Visiting Teaching Professorships**

Provides microbiologists in India and the United States with an opportunity to visit institutions in the other country to teach an interactive short course on a topic in any of the microbiological disciplines.

**Eligibility**
- Researchers and faculty members scientifically recognized in the area of microbiology.
- Actively engaged in teaching at post-secondary level.

**Duration:** 1-2 weeks.
*This is not for Teaching Professors only.*

**Visiting Research Professorships**

Provides microbiologists in India and the United States with an opportunity to participate in an interactive short course on a topic in any of the microbiological disciplines, or conduct a research project in partnership with a colleague at a research facility in either country.

**Eligibility**
- Researchers actively involved in microbiological sciences.
- Preference given to applicants who have obtained within the past 5 years, or are in the process of obtaining, a PhD, or equivalent academic degree.

**Duration:** Minimum 6 weeks.

It is strongly recommended that the course include a hands-on component, such as a wet lab or other practical activity.

**FUNDING**

Grant up to USD 5000 is provided to cover travel costs, visa and contingencies. Funds must be matched by the host institution. Matching funds provided by the host institution may be in-kind contributions such as housing and board for the visiting professor, supplies, facilities, administrative support, etc.

For program details visit:
- [www.indousstf.org](http://www.indousstf.org)
- [www.asm.org/international/indo-us](http://www.asm.org/international/indo-us)

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