

Science and Engineering Research Board

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Call for establishing Inter-Institutional Centre to Develop Human Resource in Particle and Accelerator Physics and Associated Technology Areas

Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) invites proposals from interested institutions having necessary background, expertise and resources to establish Inter-Institutional Centre in Physical Sciences. The aim of the call is to invite proposals to carry out cutting edge research in particle and accelerated physics and related areas with emphasis on training manpower in this important instrument intensive field. It is expected that a pipeline of researchers required to carry out 'mega science' projects being implemented jointly by Department of Science and Technology and Department of Atomic Energy, particularly, in development of detectors and other high end instruments will be generated through this effort. More details can be seen from the advertisement published in SERB website (www.serb.gov.in).

A detailed research proposal containing specific mega science programme to be undertaken, expertise of the participating institutions, list of faculty members and their CVs, potential spin-off, etc. be submitted before the deadline. EMR format of SERB available on the web site (downloaded from www.serb.gov.in) may be used as a guide in preparing the proposal. Five hard copies of the proposal along with a soft copy in MS Word be sent to the following address latest by **31 March 2014**.

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Envelop may be superscribed 'Proposal for establishing Inter-Institutional Centre in Physical Sciences'.

Madhya Pradesh Council of Science and Technology

Announcement for Silver Jubilee Fellowship

Madhya Pradesh Council of Science and Technology (MPCST), Department of S&T, Govt of M.P. has initiated a scheme 'Silver Jubilee Fellowship'. Under this scheme selected brilliant scientists/researchers/academicians, with proven track record, are provided special assistance and support to enable them to pursue fundamental research in priority areas of science and technology and to utilize their expertise in socio-economic development of Madhya Pradesh. The fellowships are fellow specific and not institution specific and have full academic freedom with well-defined objectives and deliverables as identified by MPCST.

The duration of the fellowship will be initially for three years and may be extended for additional one year. The value of Fellowship will be Rs 50,000 per month in addition to regular income and there will be provision of Rs 5.00 lakh per annum for contingent expenditure. The nominations are invited for following Silver Jubilee Fellowship:

1. **Prof. P. C. Ray Fellow** – For research work targeted towards the development/linkage of Science and Technology inputs and efforts for the promotion of indigenous entrepreneurship and employment.
2. **Sir C. V. Raman Fellow** – For popularization and communication of Science and Technology among mass including innovative S&T communication technology.
3. **Dr Vikram Sarabhai Fellow** – For research work targeted towards exploration, management and conservation of natural resources with the use of Science and Technology.
4. **Dr R. L. Richharia Fellow** – For research work in the areas of organic/traditional agriculture and biodiversity conservation in Madhya Pradesh.

The interested candidates may approach eminent scientist/academician/institutions for forwarding their nominations. All the nominations along with complete application form and supporting documents should be sent to **The Director General**, M.P. Council of Science and Technology, Vigyan Bhawan, Nehru Nagar, Bhopal 462 003 on or before **15 March 2014**. For details please visit Council's website www.mpcost.nic.in

Executive Director