

Nominations are invited for G N Ramachandran Gold Medal for Excellence in Biological Sciences and Technology – 2015

The Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) invites nominations for the **G N Ramachandran Gold Medal for Excellence in Biological Sciences and Technology** for the year 2015. The award is bestowed every year to an outstanding Indian scientist, who has made conspicuously important contributions, applied or fundamental, in the inter-disciplinary subject/field of Biological Sciences and Technology. The award would be given for the work done primarily in India during 10 years preceding the year of the award.

Nominations addressed to **The Scientist Incharge**, SSB YSA Unit, Human Resource Development Group, CSIR Complex, Library Avenue, Pusa, New Delhi 110 012 should be sent as per prescribed pro-forma (original + one copy) along with reprints of five most significant publications of the last 10-year's period by **31 May 2015**. The details of the award and the prescribed pro-forma for nomination may be downloaded from the website www.csirhrdg.res.in

Asian Mycological Congress 2015 7–10 October 2015

We welcome you to attend the Asian Mycological Congress 2015 from 7 to 10 October 2015 at Goa, India. The Asian Mycological Congress is a major biennial international event that brings together students and scientists working on various aspects of fungi from Asia and other countries and fosters learning, dissemination and promotion of mycology. AMC 2015 will cover advances in all branches of mycology. About ten different symposia and workshops, covering various topics on basic and applied studies on fungi are envisaged. The Congress will be held under the aegis of the Asian Mycological Association and the Mycological Society of India, and organized by the Goa University. Goa is a cultural and touristic delight, surrounded by the tropical forests of Western Ghats on one side and the pristine beaches on the other. Please visit: <http://www.amc2015goa.com> for further information. Interested participants may register and submit their abstracts online.

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