

## National Conference on Creative Writing in Science for Children

Children's literature has been established as a classic genre in many modern languages since mid-19th century. Non-fiction literature for children gained great importance at the beginning of 20th century. Since then Creative Science Literature for Children (CSLC) has played a historic role. To take stock of the developmental status of CSLC in India and to develop an operational strategy of bringing together seasoned professionals, creative science writers and aspiring writers with learning and mentoring mode, The National Centre for Science Communicators (NCSC), Mumbai jointly with the Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, TIFR Mumbai, is organizing a two-day National Conference on the theme 'Creative writing in science for children (CWSC) from 3–4 October 2015 at V.G. Kulkarni Auditorium at Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, V.N. Purav Marg, Mankhurd, Mumbai 400 088. The elements of supply chain include editors, illustrators, bookstores and distributors. The conference will strive to create necessary and sufficient conditions in the country to educate and inspire young readers through powerful science stories and to sensitize an effective supply chain. Interested individuals can contact **Dr A. P. Jayaraman**, Convener, Vice Chairman, NCSC; e-mail: drap.jayaraman@gmail.com.



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### Admission Notification for JRF

Applications are invited for temporary Junior Research Fellow (JRF) admission in Department of Biotechnology (DBT) funded Unit of Excellence (UOE) in Cancer Genomics/Cancer Genetics Project entitled '**Development of genomics guided novel diagnostic and targeted therapeutic strategies for gastric cancer**'. Details are available at [www.mkuniversity.org](http://www.mkuniversity.org) and [www.oncocellomics.org](http://www.oncocellomics.org). Interested candidates may send application on or before **15 May 2015**.

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