



INSA Young Historian of Science Award – 2016

Call for Nominations

INSA Young Historian of Science Award is instituted by Indian National Science Academy, New Delhi with the aim of recognizing young historians of science of extraordinary promise and creativity who have made notable research contributions in areas relating to History of Science. This prestigious award, considered to be the highest recognition of promise, creativity and excellence will be awarded annually to those science-historians who have distinguished attributes as evidenced by their research work relating to development of scientific knowledge in India. Only those born on or after **1 January 1981** are eligible for consideration in the year 2016.

The awardee shall receive a certificate, a bronze medal, cash award of Rs 25,000 and a seed amount to initiate research project and further scope for overseas training for advancement of career.

A candidate is to be nominated by a Fellow of the Indian National Science Academy and other National Scientific Societies, Vice Chancellors of Universities and Heads of Research Institutions.

Nomination proforma may be availed from The Assistant Executive Director at e-mail ijhs@insa.nic.in or be downloaded from website www.insaindia.org. One hard copy and a soft copy (in MSWord only) of the nomination duly filled in, along with all supporting documents, must reach the Academy latest by **29 February 2016**.



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