

Indo-U.S. Fellowship for Women in STEMM

Department of Science and Technology (DST), Government of India and Indo-U.S. Science and Technology Forum (IUSSTF) jointly announce the "Indo-U.S. Fellowship for Women in STEMM" (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics and Medicine) with an aim to provide opportunities to Indian Women Scientists, Engineers & Technologists to undertake international collaborative research in premier institutions in U.S.A, to enhance their research capacities and capabilities.

Qualification and Eligibility

I. Women Overseas Student Internship

Indian women applicant currently pursuing Ph.D. degree in Basic Sciences, Engineering or Technology including Agricultural and Medical Sciences (M.D./M.S.) on a full-time basis at any recognized academic institution/R&D institute/university in India. Unemployed Women applicants who have completed Ph.D./M.D./M.S. are also eligible to apply.

- **Age:** 21-35 years (as on 28.02.2018)

Program is envisaged to:

- Provide opportunity to bright Indian women students and scientists to gain exposure and access to world class research facilities in U.S. academia and labs.
- Promoting research and capacity building for Indian women students and scientists in different frontline areas of Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics and Medicine (STEMM).
- Pave way for the next generation Women Scientists and Technologists from India to interact with American peers, thus helping to build long-term R&D linkages and collaborations.
- Encourage, motivate and provide opportunity to outstanding women with break in research career to gain grounds again in their respective research areas.

II. Women Overseas Fellowship

Indian women applicant having Ph.D. degree in Basic Sciences, Engineering or Technology including Agricultural and Medical Sciences (M.D./M.S.) and holding a regular position at any recognized academic institution/R&D institute/university/college in India.

- **Age:** 27- 50 years (as on 28.02.2018)

Duration : For a period of 3-6 months

Proposed Area of Work:

- Agricultural Sciences
- Atmospheric and Earth Sciences
- Chemical Sciences
- Cognitive Sciences
- Engineering and Technology
- Life Sciences
- Mathematical and Computational Sciences
- Medical Sciences
- Physical Sciences

Internship/Fellowship Includes:

- Monthly Stipend
- Return Airfare
- Health Insurance
- Contingency
- Conference Allowances (applicable for Module II)

Last date of Submission: 28th February 2018

For online application submission, guidelines and formats; visit www.iusstf.org or write to wistemm@indousstf.org
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