



**Government of India
Ministry of Science & Technology
Department of Science & Technology**

**WISE-KIRAN Division
WISE-SCOPE Fellowship**

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Recognizing women talents towards providing scientific solutions for societal challenges through 'WISE-SCOPE' programme of WISE-KIRAN division of this department, DST invites proposals from women scientists and technologists who wish to utilize their scientific knowledge and temperament for the benefit of society. Women scientists and technologists are encouraged to address a well-identified societal challenges and deliver S&T based solutions by way of development of viable technology/technique/tool, lab-to-land technology transfer, its adaptation and scaling up.

Broad theme areas

1. Energy, Water and Waste Management (EWWW)
2. Engineering and Technology Development (ETD)
3. Environment, Climate and Sustainable Development (ECSD)
4. Agriculture and Allied Sciences (AAS)
5. Health, Food and Nutrition (HFN)

Eligibility

1. **Employment:** Candidates in regular employment are not eligible for WISE-SCOPE. However, women scientists who are temporarily employed in research or academics may apply in this programme but they have to leave earlier assignment, if selected in WISE-SCOPE programme. The applicant position as research staff in any project, Post-Doctoral Fellow, Research Associate, etc. will be considered as temporary assignment.
2. **Age:** The minimum age to apply is 27 years and maximum is 60 years as on date of submission.
3. **Educational qualification:** Women Scientists who have completed Ph.D. in Basic or Applied Sciences or having equivalent degree like M.D./M.S./M.D.S. are eligible to apply.

Nature of support: This programme provides the basic fellowship of the applicant @Rs 55,000 and HRA (as per norms) per month, Research Grant of Rs 2.0 lakh per year, Field Demonstration, etc. of Rs 1.0 lakh (for project tenure) and cost of small equipment (up to a maximum of Rs 2.0 lakh) alongwith Institutional overhead charges as per DST norms.

When to apply: The call for submission of new proposal under WISE-SCOPE will be opened throughout the year. Detailed guidelines can be seen at DST website **www.dst.gov.in** or online-wosa.gov.in. For application and more details, please visit **<https://onlinedst.gov.in/Projectproposalformat.aspx?Id=2323>**

Where to submit proposals: The proposals should be submitted at DST portal **<https://onlinedst.gov.in>**

For further clarification: enquiry-wosdst@gov.in.