



JAWAHARLAL NEHRU CENTRE FOR ADVANCED SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

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VISITING FELLOWSHIPS: 2003–2004

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The Centre announces a programme to enable research scientists and engineers in educational institutions, R&D laboratories, etc. to spend up to 2–3 months in association with a member of the Faculty of the Centre. The Centre has its Faculty at Jakkur Campus, Bangalore and Honorary Faculty members located at different leading institutions of the country. The place of work of the Visiting Fellow will therefore depend on his/her research interests and the Faculty of the Centre with whom associated. The Visiting Fellow would be paid a consolidated honorarium between Rs 5000 and Rs 8000 per month during the period in addition to round trip train fare by the shortest route between his/her place of work and the institution of the Faculty member.

Research scientists and engineers in educational institutions, R&D laboratories, etc. with an interest in the broad areas of **life sciences** (molecular and developmental biology, chronobiology, evolutionary biology, biotechnology, genetics, ecology, behaviour, biomedical research and parasitology), **chemical sciences** (solid state chemistry, inorganic and physical chemistry, organic chemistry), **physical sciences** (theoretical physics, mathematical physics, astronomy and astrophysics, experimental areas), **engineering sciences** (chemical, metallurgical, computer sciences, fluid mechanics), **mathematics** or **atmospheric sciences** are invited to apply.

Applications forms may be obtained by writing to **The Coordinator of the Centre for Fellowships during 2003–2004**. Awardees will be notified by **30 September 2003**.

Last date for receipt of completed application form: **30 August 2003**

CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENT

7TH NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF PRENATAL DIAGNOSIS AND THERAPY (ISPAT)

Political will, socioeconomical commitments together with professional excellence will bring the health and happiness among all human sufferings. The 7th ISPAT conference and workshop for antenatal genetic procedures is planned to provide time and space to the demand of current, past and future of genetic disorders and its management in the cause and care of human sufferings. The conference would be of interest to the obstetricians, gynecologist, pediatricians, geneticists, molecular biologists and to the medical fraternity at large. The conference would be credited for CME equivalent to 18 hours.

Place : Ahmedabad

Date : 23 January to 25 January 2004

Venue : Sheth V.S. Hospital (For Workshop) and FRIGE, Genetic Centre (23 January 2004),
Hotel Grand Bhagwati (For Conference: 24–25 January 2004)

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Topic of the conference : Chromosomal disorders; Inborn errors of metabolism; Molecular basis of inherited disorders and thalassemia; Molecular cytogenetics; Ethics in genetics/Genetic counseling; Pre-implantation genetic diagnosis; Imaging techniques in prenatal diagnosis; Non-invasive biochemical markers for PGD; Cloning and stem cell research; Human genome diversity; Gene therapy

Registration: Please contact the Secretariat by email only