

## WORKSHOP ON GRANTSMANSHIP IN INDIA

**6–16 September 2004**

To carry out research activities, it is critical to have financial assistance from extramural sources. The financial assistance can be obtained from various Indian Government agencies. In addition, there are exciting opportunities to obtain research funding from International Agencies. One such organization is National Institutes of Health (NIH), Bethesda, Maryland, USA.

An Indo-US Workshop is being organized to acquaint applicants with NIH Organization and Funding Mechanism through the aegis of Department of Biotechnology, Government of India and the Embassy of the United States of America. The Workshop will cover various facets of grant writing such as Preparing a Grant Application, NIH Grant Application Review Process, Preparing a Revised Grant Application and Improving Review Process of Collaborative Grants.

Dr Zakir Bengali, Chief Biochemical Sciences Review Group, Centre for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, USA has kindly agreed to conduct this Workshop. The Workshop is meant for mid-career scientists, public health professionals and clinicians who are considering submitting a grant proposal to NIH. The candidates who are desirous of attending the above Workshop are requested to forward their brief bio-data to the coordinator identified below in their region. In addition, candidates are also requested to send a brief note on how this Workshop will be useful in furthering their scientific career. Preference will be given to professionals holding permanent position.

The last date of receipt of application is **31 July 2004**.

The selected candidate will be provided TA/DA as per the Government Rules by Department of Biotechnology, Government of India.

Date	Location	Venue	Coordinator
6–7 September	Delhi	All India Institute of Medical Sciences Ansari Nagar, New Delhi 110 029	Dr S. Sinha Head, Department of Biochemistry
8–9 September	Hyderabad	Centre for DNA Fingerprinting and and Diagnostics ECIL Road, Nacharam Hyderabad 500 076	Dr Seyed E. Hasnain Director
10–11 September	Bangalore	Indian Institute of Science Bangalore 560 012	Dr A. J. Rao Department of Biochemistry
13–14 September	Pune	National Centre for Cell Science Ganeshkhind, NCCS Complex Pune 411 007	Dr G. C. Mishra Director
15–16 September	Mumbai	Jaslok Hospital and Research Centre Mumbai	Dr D. Saranath Department of Molecular Medicine