Call for Nominations
INSA Medal for Young Scientist – 2007

Since 1974, the Academy has instituted INSA Medal for Young Scientist with the aim of recognizing young scientists of extraordinary promise and creativity who have made notable research contributions in Science and Technology. This award, considered to be the highest recognition of promise, creativity and excellence in a young scientist, is made annually to those distinguished for these attributes as evidenced by their research work carried out in India. Only those born on or after 1 January 1972 are eligible for consideration in the year 2007.

The awardee shall receive a certificate, a bronze medal and cash award of Rs 25,000 and incentives in research work and further overseas training.

A candidate may be proposed by a Fellow of the Indian National Science Academy or by earlier recipients of this award. Scientific societies of national standing, university faculty, post-graduate department or research institutions may also make nominations of eligible candidates.

The last date for receiving nominations in the Academy is 16 October 2006.

Nomination proforma can be downloaded from website: www.insaindia.org or obtained from Deputy Executive Secretary (Council) at Indian National Science Academy, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi 110 002 by sending a self addressed envelope of 25 cm × 12 cm size.

Indo-French Research Collaboration

A two-year postdoctoral position is available as part of an integrated project between France and India, granted by the Indo-French Centre for the promotion of Advanced Research (IFCPAR/CEFIPRA). The project is devoted to theoretical studies of wave dynamics in models of cardiac tissues, in various configurations of biological and/or clinical relevance. The candidate will be working in France, and will participate in numerical or analytic studies of solutions of simplified models of heart dynamics.

The candidate should have a theoretical background in physics or applied mathematics, good experience with numerical methods, and a genuine interest to work on fields related to life sciences. The salary is about 1700 euros per month.

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