



## INDO-US SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY FORUM

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### SECOND CALL FOR PROPOSAL – 2008

The Indo-US Science and Technology Forum (IUSSTF), established under an agreement between the Governments of India and the United States of America, is an autonomous, not-for-profit society that promotes and catalyzes the Indo-US bilateral collaborations in science, technology, engineering and biomedical research through substantive interaction among government, academia and industry.

The IUSSTF seeks to support innovative programs aimed to stimulate interactions that have a strong potential for generating follow-on activities and building long term Indo-US S&T relationships. The IUSSTF promotes program that nurtures contacts between the young and mid career scientists and technologists and fosters active public-private partnership in R&D.

The IUSSTF solicits proposals *thrice a year (submission deadline – Feb, June, Oct)* jointly submitted by the US & Indian Principal Investigators from academia, government institutions/laboratories and private R&D entities for:

1. **Knowledge R&D Networked and Public-Private Networked Indo-US Centers**
2. **Indo-US workshops, conferences, symposium**
3. **Training schools**
4. **Travel grants**
  - (i) To avail already awarded fellowship and sabbatical positions in US/India
  - (ii) For selected US participants to attend international conferences/events in India
  - (iii) For specific exploratory/planning visits aimed at large scale collaborations

**Detailed format** available at <http://www.indousstf.org>

**For further details & electronic submission:**

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**Submission deadline: 15 June 2008 & Award Announcement: mid September 2008**

## Advertisement for the post of Junior Research Fellowship (JRF)

Applications are invited for the post of **Junior Research Fellowship (JRF)** for Board of Research in Nuclear Sciences (**BRNS-DAE**) project titled: 'Studies on Selenium and its Speciation in Environmental and Biological Samples from Seleniferous Regions of Punjab' in Department of Biotechnology and Environmental Sciences, Thapar University, Patiala 147 004

**Qualifications:** M.Sc. (Biotechnology/Life Sciences/Microbiology)

**Period of project:** 3 years

**Emoluments:** Rs 10,000 per month (consolidated)

Candidates possessing the requisite qualifications may submit their applications on plain paper giving their Bio-data by post or by e-mail within 15 days from the date of this notification to:

**Dr N. Tejo Prakash**, Assistant Professor,  
Department of Biotechnology and Environmental Sciences

(or)

**Dr Ranjana Prakash**, Lecturer,  
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\*No TA/DA will be paid for attending the Interview