**INSA DISTINGUISHED LECTURE SERIES**

The Academy has instituted ten **INSA Distinguished Lecture Series**, one in each of the following subject areas:

1. Mathematical Sciences

2. Physics

3. Chemistry

4. Earth & Environmental Sciences

5. Engineering & Technology

6. General Biology

7. Molecular and Cellular Biology

8. Biomolecular, Structural Biology and Drug Discovery

9. Health Sciences

10. Agricultural Sciences

Sub areas of these subjects will be as per the INSA Sectional Committees.

The recipients will be called as **INSA Distinguished Lecture Fellows**.

**Periodicity**

Annually

**Eligibility**

The Lecture Fellowships shall be made in recognition of notable contributions to specified subject areas in science and technology.

Self-nomination is not allowed.

**Nominations and Last Date**

A notification inviting nominations from the entire fellowship of INSA for the lecture fellows will be issued in 1st week of June (for the year 2023 only).

The nomination shall be made in the prescribed format in soft copy only and sent to fellowship@insa.nic.in.

All the nominations shall be valid only for one year.

The last date for receiving nominations will be 30th June (for the year 2023 only).

**Search-cum-Selection Committee**

The regular INSA Sectional Committees will work as Search-cum-Selection Committee for these Lecture Fellows. All the valid nominations, based on the subject area of the work, will be considered by the respective sectional committees of the Academy. Sectional Committee shall send its recommendations to the Council in writing, duly signed by all members present. The recommendations shall contain, strictly in order of priority, not more than two names for each of the Lecture Fellows. The main criteria for selection will be the originality of the candidate’s research contributions and his/her understanding as evidenced by publications.

**Selection by the Council**

The Council will select Lecture Fellows at the meeting to be held in September (for the year 2023 only). Where joint Lecture Fellows are announced, each of the Lecture Fellows will receive the full honorarium.

**Announcement**

The name(s) of the recipient(s) shall be announced to the Fellowship during the Annual General Meeting (for the year 2023 only).

**Presentation of Lecture Fellowship**

The Lecture Fellowship will be made after the recipient delivers the lecture at the Anniversary General Meeting of the Academy. The summary of the Lecture Fellowship will be included in INSA News and the full text in *Proceedings* of the Academy.

TA/DA will be paid to the recipient for delivering the lecture.

**Value**

Each INSA Distinguished Lecture Fellow will be presented with a citation and honorarium of Rs. 25,000/-.

****

**INDIAN NATIONAL SCIENCE ACADEMY**

## Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi - 110 002

**Nomination Form for INSA Distinguished Lecture Series**

**for the year 2023**

**Subject Area (Sectional Committee**): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Nominee's Detail:**

1. Full Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. Date of Birth (in dd/mm/yy format) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. Field of Specialization \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

4. Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

5. Academic and Professional Qualifications and positions held.

6. A brief statement of major scientific achievements of the nominee on which

 the recommendation is based (not more than 300 words).

7. A list of titles and links of up to 10 most significant published works.

 Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Proposer's Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_