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INSA Visiting Scientist Programme FY-2023-24 (Last date: 01/05/2023)

Applications are invited for the following year from Indian citizens for the awards of INSA Visiting Fellowship for conducting advanced research or undergoing specialized training at Indian Research Institutes/Laboratories.

Details of Awards

These Fellowships will be awarded on a competitive basis to the **scientists/faculty** for furtherance of their research and/or research capabilities for carrying out collaborative research, undergoing training in specific techniques, or utilizing facilities not available in their own institutions. The Fellowship will be for a minimum period of one month to a maximum of 6 months in a laboratory or research institutions of his/her choice anywhere within India. Fellowships to be awarded each year will be a maximum of 120 man months per annum.

Value

During the fellowship period, awardees will be paid consolidated amount of Rs.30,000/- (maximum) per month to cover their expenses related to boarding, lodging, and incidental etc. The travel expenditure from parent to the visiting institute will be reimbursed on production of ticket as per the entitlement of the Visiting Scientist from FY 2023-24 as per central govt. TA rules.

Application Procedure

Applications will be invited once a year. The applicants would be required to provide a concise account of their plan of work/ study besides their bio-data highlighting their achievements. It would be desirable that the applicant should have approached the host institution and the scientist concerned to ascertain their concurrence to accept him/ her.

The applicant should be a **Scientist/Faculty** in any R&D organisation including Universities or Affiliated Colleges in India. Applicants should not have availed INSA Visiting Fellowship in **last one year**.

Candidates should apply online on prescribed application form available on Academy website. The decision of the Academy will be communicated during April / May in the following year.