

YOUNG SCIENTIST AWARD

Purpose of the award is to promote innovative ideas and excellence in research work in the field of plant pathology by the young researchers PAN India for the outreach of technologies developed. This award shall be conferred for significant basic or applied research leading to outcome of practical importance in the field of plant pathology.

Name of the award: YOUNG SCIENTIST AWARD

Administration of the Award

The Society shall have the sole right of selection of the recipient of the award and of the formulation of rules governing such selection.

Value of the Award

An amount of Rs. 11000/- citation, shawl and cap to be given by the Himalayan Phytopathological Society.

Periodicity of the Award

The award shall be given annually.

Eligibility of the award:

The award proposed to be given to any individual in recognition of his/her professional contribution in plant pathology and is open to the members of the society who are not more than 40 years of age as on 31st December of the year.

The applicant has to submit his/her biodata on all aspects of academic/professional contributions.

The work done for any degree or diploma shall not be considered for this award. Applicant should be an annual member of the society.

Procedure for selection of recipients:

Applications for the award will be invited from the members of the society. Applications shall be accompanied by a bio-data indicating attainment of the candidature.

Applications received will be scrutinized by a screening committee (SC) of three members constituted by E.C. of the society. If any member of the EC or SC is to be considered for the award, he/she shall cease to be a member of these committees.

Screening committee will recommend one name to the Secretary in a sealed envelope.

Secretary will place the result before the EC for approval and subsequently in GB for declaration.

Applicant can receive this award only once.

The awardee will be felicitated in the Symposium organized by the Society.

Proforma for Young Scientist Award

(Please fill the below mentioned particulars)

Name: _____

Age: _____

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Others

Father's/ Spouse's Name: _____

Permanent Address: _____

Contact No.: _____

Email: _____

S. No.	Particular	Max. Marks	Marks obtained	Details of marks
1.	Academic Background			
	B.Sc	05		To be calculated on pro rata basis, e.g., if a candidate has 70 % marks in B.Sc., score will be: $70/100 \times 10 = 7.0$ marks Note: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Master's Degree without thesis will have 80% weightage i.e. Max marks shall be 20 for calculating absolute percentage on pro rata basis.M. Phil. With thesis will be treated at par with Master's degree with thesis (however, marks will be calculated on the basis of percentage obtained in M.Sc.)Doctoral Degree without coursework or with coursework having less than 20 credit hours (major/minor subjects) will get 70% weightage i.e. $0.7 \times 15 = 10.5$ marks
	M.Sc. in the concerned subject (with thesis)	10		
	Ph.D in the concerned subject	20		

Note: If the University mentions OGPA/CGPA without equivalent percentage, then the candidate must provide the conversion formula duly attested by the competent authority of the concerned University, failing which the candidate shall not be awarded any mark in the concerned degree.

Pre-Job Experience (Time spent for obtaining Ph.D. degree will not be counted as experience)		05		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research Associate, Senior/Junior Research Fellow, Research/Project Fellow, Post Doctoral Fellow or equivalent (0.5 mark for completion of each six months experience) in ICAR/UGC recognized Institutes • Teaching experience (0.5 mark for each completed semester of minimum 4 months) in ICAR/UGC recognized Institutes
2.	Academic Awards	05		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 02 marks each for Gold Medal in Graduation/Post Graduation, Jawaharlal Nehru Award of ICAR
		05		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 02 mark for Best Paper/Best Poster Award by a recognized professional society, Overall First Rank in Graduation/Post graduation.
3.	Participation in Conference/Symposium/Training etc.	05		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 0.5 mark for participation and presenting paper in National/1.0 mark for participation and presenting paper in International Conference/Symposium • 0.5 mark for attending advance Training (minimum duration of at least 7 days)
4.	Publications	25		<p>20 Best Research Papers</p> <p>a) NAAS rating >6 journals:</p> <p>i. For first and corresponding author : 2 marks</p> <p>ii. For others: 1 mark</p> <p>b) NAAS rating \leq 6 journals:</p> <p>i. For first and corresponding author: 1 mark</p> <p>ii. For others: 0.5 mark</p> <p>c) Book Chapters/Bulletins/Popular articles:</p> <p>i. For first and corresponding author: 1 mark</p> <p>ii. For others: 0.5 mark</p>
5.	Projects Handled	20		<p>i) 20.0 marks for PI for a project having budget outlay of Rs. 10.0 lakh and above (50% for Co-PI)</p> <p>ii) 15.0 marks for PI for a project having budget outlay less than Rs. 10.0 lakh (50% for Co-PI)</p>

6.	Innovative interventions and outcomes (upto 500 words in the space given below)
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7.	Practical Applicability of the Innovation/ technology generated:

Submit applications to the Secretary, Himalayan Phytopathological Society, Department of Plant Pathology, Dr YS Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nauni, Solan – 173230 (HP). Email: secretaryhps2018@gmail.com