

## STOX Awards' Detail

The following are regular awards of Society of Toxicology, India offered on annual basis. Usually, awards are presented during the Annual Conference of STOX.

1. **Prof. P K Gupta Distinguished Scientist Lifetime Achievement Award in Toxicology (One):** Candidates should be 55 or above years of age with at least 25 years of experience in Toxicology or related areas. The selection will be made on the basis of nomination. The nomination(s) containing brief bio data, supportive evidence of age should be submitted directly to the President or Secretary General, STOX, India on or before August 31 of each year. The award consists of a certificate and a shawl.
2. **Fellow of Society of Toxicology [FST] (Two):** Candidates should have a minimum 15 years of experience in Toxicology related area. The application containing brief bio-data, supportive evidence of age, proof of participation in last three STOX conferences should be submitted directly to the President/ Secretary General, STOX, India on or before August 31 of each year. The award consists of a certificate.
3. **Dr. T.P. Suresh Endowment Award (One):** Senior toxicologists/ Pharmacologist/Scientists with minimum 15 years experience in GLP (Good Laboratory Practice), Environment Toxicology, Regulatory Toxicology or Toxicological or safety evaluation of chemicals/pesticides/drugs/ medical devices etc. The candidates should submit application along with brief bio-data, supportive evidence of age and full text of scientific contribution and contribution to regulatory and GLP areas, if experience is in that area. The candidate should submit application and full text of accepted abstract (i.e. full paper) directly to the President/Secretary General, STOX, India on or before August 31, 2010. The award consists of a certificate and a shawl.
4. **Dr. KS. Rao Endowment Award (One):** Young scientists who would like to present their findings as oral or poster presentation are eligible to apply for this award which will be offered in the form fellowship/grant to participate in the Annual Conference of STOX of the year. The eligibility for the award shall be any young scientist below the age of 35 years (37 years for women) as on 30<sup>th</sup> May of the year. The candidate (s) should submit application along with brief bio-data, supportive evidence of age and full text of their accepted abstract (i.e. full paper) directly to the President/Secretary General, STOX, India on or before August 31, 2010. The award consists of a certificate and to and fro train fare for the second class sleeper to destination city of the Annual Conference.
5. **Southern Tier Cancer Centre, USA Student Travel Award (One):** Young researchers who would like to present their findings as oral or poster presentation are eligible to apply for this award which will be offered as fellowship/grant to participate in the Annual Conference of STOX. The eligibility for the award shall be any young scientist below the age of 35 years (37 years for women) as on 30<sup>th</sup> May of the year. The candidate(s) should submit application along with brief bio-data, supportive evidence of age and full text of

their accepted abstract (i.e. full paper) directly to the President/Secretary General, STOX, India on or before August 31, 2010. The award consists of certificate and to and fro train fare for the second class sleeper to the destination city of the Annual Conference.

6. **Seth Roop Lal Agarwal Memorial Youth Scientist Award (One):** This award is for the best oral paper presentation. The eligibility for the award shall be any young researcher below the age of 35 years (37 yrs for women) as on 30<sup>th</sup> May the year. The candidate(s) should submit application along with brief bio-data, supportive evidence of age and full text of their accepted abstract (full paper) directly to the Organizing Secretary before the last date of abstract submission (September 30, 2010). The award consists of a certificate and a Gold Plated Medal.
7. **STOX Gold Medal for the Best Poster Presentation (One):** The eligibility for the award shall be any young researcher below the age of 35 years (37 yrs for women) as on 30<sup>th</sup> May of the year. The candidate(s) should submit application along with brief bio-data, supportive evidence of age and full text of their accepted abstract (full paper) directly to the Organizing Secretary before the last date of abstract submission (September 30, 2010). The award consists of a certificate and a Gold Plated Medal.

**Important Notes:**

- For becoming eligible for award an applicant/nominee has to be a Member of the STOX (India). If a non-member wins any of the awards, he/she will have to become member then only award will be conferred.
  - The condition of membership is not applicable to Prof. P K Gupta Distinguished Scientist Lifetime Achievement Award in Toxicology.
  - For full paper follow the style of Toxicology International (Official Journal of STOX, India) (web site: <http://toxicologyinternational.com/>).
8. **STOX/Academy of Scientists for Animal Welfare (ASAW) Surajben Jethalal Thaker Prakruti Mandir Gold Medals (Two):**

These award aimed at the enhancement of animal welfare are presented to individuals/organizations in recognition of their contribution to the advancement of animal welfare through the development and application of methods that replace, refine, or reduce the need for experimental animals. One award is for the minimum use of animals in research and development using in vitro techniques and development of models to replace the use of animals in research. The other award is for the field workers and NGOs for their efforts made in the prevention of cruelty to animals. Applicant/nominee should be a Fellow of ASAW. The awards are presented at annual STOX Conference as a Gold plated medal and a certificate. The candidates should submit their applications along with brief bio-data and supportive evidence of contribution to the above mentioned fields directly to Prof. P.K. Gupta, President, ASAW, C-44, Rajendra Nagar, Bareilly 243 122, UP; E-mail: [drpkg\\_brly@yahoo.co.in](mailto:drpkg_brly@yahoo.co.in) on or before June 30 each year.

## Special Awards for STOX2010

The following awards are specific to 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of STOX going to be held at Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi in November 2010.

- 1. Prof. Ajit Verma Award for the Best Poster Presentation by a Research Scholar (One):** This award will be presented to a young researcher, preferably a research scholar registered for Ph.D. programme in toxicology in an Indian University who will make poster presentation at the Conference. The awardee will be selected by a jury appointed by the Vice Chancellor of Jamia Hamdard. The award will be in the form of cash (Rs. 10,000) and a certificate. This award has been instituted by Dr. Bilal Bin-Hafeez who obtained Ph.D. degree from Jamia Hamdard and currently is an Assistant Scientist at the Department of Human Oncology, Wisconsin Institute of Medical Research, University of Wisconsin, Madison, USA.
- 2. Molecular Chemoprevention and Therapeutics (MCT) - University of Minnesota Research Excellence Awards (Three):** These awards will be presented to young researchers, preferably working in the area of Cancer Chemoprevention and Therapeutics and Cancer Biology who will make presentations at the Conference. The awardees will be selected by a jury appointed by the Vice Chancellor of Jamia Hamdard. These awards will be presented in the form of cash and certificates (One oral presentation award of Rs. 5000 and two poster presentation awards of Rs. 2500 each). These awards have been instituted by Dr. Mohammad Saleem Bhat who is the Program Director and Head of Division, Division of Molecular Chemoprevention and Therapeutics at The Hormel Institute, University of Minnesota, Austin, USA.

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