



CENTRE FOR SPONSORED RESEARCH AND CONSULTANCY

(Formerly Centre for Technology Development and Transfer)

ANNA UNIVERSITY, CHENNAI - 600 025



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PROFESSOR AND DIRECTOR

Lr. No: 2223IN0066/CSRC

Date: 20.12.2023

Dear Professor,

Sub: CSRC – Applications are invited for various Faculty awards of Anna University – Regarding

Centre for Sponsored Research and Consultancy, Anna University invites applications for various categories such as Distinguished Researcher Award, Active Consultant award / Innovation Award / Technology Transfer Award / Research Excellence Award / Excellence in Intellectual Property Rights from the University Departments (CEG, MIT, ACT & SAP), Constituent colleges and Regional Campuses of Anna University.

These awards aim to acknowledge exceptional achievements in research, innovation, and other areas that significantly contribute to the success of our academic community. CSRC, Anna University encourages all the faculty members to participate in the nomination process to seize this opportunity to highlight their achievements and contribute to the recognition of excellence within the academic community.

In order to know more about the guidelines, submit a nomination, please complete the online nomination form available on the CSRC website at <ctdt.annauniv.edu/auawards2023>. The deadline for submissions is 11th January 2024. Late nominations will not be considered.

This may be circulated among the faculty members to submit the application duly recommended by the Head of the Department / Director of the Centre / Dean of the campuses to the **Director, Centre for Sponsored Research and Consultancy, Anna University, Chennai 600025** at the earliest.


DIRECTOR, CSRC

To

1. Heads of Department / Directors of Centre / Institutes
2. Deans of all campuses (CEG / MIT / ACT / SAP / Constituent Colleges / Regional Offices)
3. Director, RCC (with a request to communicate to all staff members through University mail and to scroll in the Anna University website)
4. PA to Registrar
5. PS to Vice-Chancellor
6. Stock file

About Anna University Faculty Awards:

In addition to the academics, the faculty members of Anna University are at the forefront of innovation, research, developing technologies, publish outstanding scholarly publications / patents. Anna University takes pride in honoring their excellence to foster a culture of continuous improvement and academic distinction. The Anna University Faculty awards contribute to nurture a positive academic environment, promote excellence, encourage research, innovations, start-ups and technology transfer activities. These awards serve to acknowledge the importance of research output and serve to inspire and motivate faculty members to continue making valuable contributions to their respective fields.

Important instructions:

Last date to apply : 11.01.2024

Register through : ctdt.annauniv.edu/auawards2023

Contact number : 044 – 2235 7930 / 7927

Contact E-mail : directorctdt@gmail.com

Contact address : Centre for Sponsored Research and Consultancy, CEG campus, Anna University, Chennai.



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Applications are invited for

ANNA UNIVERSITY FACULTY AWARDS 2023



Need for the Faculty awards:

Anna University is dedicated to fostering a vibrant atmosphere for students and faculty members. Anna University is keen to create an environment of origination in the research innovations, where faculty members are encouraged to push boundaries and explore new frontiers in their respective fields. The faculty member's commitment to creativity and ingenuity sets apart Anna University as a hub of progressive learning and discovery. Their multifaceted roles contribute not only to the advancement of knowledge in society but also bring out the technological breakthroughs.

Hence, recognition through awards not only serve as a powerful motivator but also reinforces the idea that hard work, dedication, and excellence are valued by the institution which will create a sense of camaraderie among the faculty members to increase the interdisciplinary research activities.



About Centre for Sponsored Research and Consultancy, Anna University

Centre for Sponsored Research and Consultancy (CSRC), the erstwhile known as Centre for Technology Development and Transfer (CTDT), Anna University has been actively involved in facilitating the internal processes for effective implementation of Sponsored research projects, Consultancy, testing and training programmes for the faculty members of Anna University. CSRC is also playing a vital role in liaising with stake holders including public funding agencies and private players investing into the research at Anna University. The centre plays the critical function of “playing one stop centre” for not only building relations with external stakeholders but also in facilitating smooth transactions among the internal shareholders for all activities relating to research, consultancy and training. CSRC has also been promoting the research activities by conducting seminars, conferences, workshops and exhibitions.

In addition, CSRC provides fund to the faculty members, especially to the ones who joined newly and the pre-final year students through Research Support Scheme of Young Faculty projects and Student Innovative Projects respectively. Last but not the least, CSRC honors the faculty members with awards for their excellence in research, consultancy, innovations, technologies transferred, patents, research publications etc.



INNOVATION AWARD

Cash prize : Rs. 50,000/- per team

Eligibility

- Faculty member(s) who are regular employees of the University / Scientist(s) employed in projects / PPP Centers and who have carried out the work leading to Innovation and subsequent **grant of patent are eligible** to apply for Innovation award.
- Applicant(s) can be a single member or a team of members.
- The period of claim for the award will be from **01.04.2017 to 30.09.2023**
- The work should have been carried out at the University with or without the support from industry or sponsoring agency.
- In case of multiple products / processes, applicant(s) can file more than one nomination.
- The details of the Innovation (either the process / technology / product alongwith the granted patent details and the lead role played by the applicant for Innovation through Interdisciplinary / inter institutional projects, if any, to be highlighted with evidence.

Apply through <https://ctdt.annauniv.edu/auawards2023/innovation>

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TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AWARD

Cash prize : Rs. 75,000/- per team

Eligibility

- Faculty member(s) who are regular employees of the University / Scientist(s) employed in projects / PPP Centers and who have carried out the work leading to Technology Transfer are eligible to apply for Technology Transfer award.
- Applicant(s) can be a single member or a team of members.
- The period of claim for the award will be from **01.04.2017 to 30.09.2023**
- The work should have been carried out at the University with or without the support from industry or sponsoring agency.
- In case of multiple products / processes, applicant(s) can file more than one nomination. Applicant should fill up the format and present one Technology Transfer that has been made to industry before the selection committee.
- The Technology Transfer should have been made to industry / community and documented / certified by the industry or user community.
- The details of technology transferred to the industries / firms etc, revenue generated (one time / recurring), validity and the lead role played by the applicant for Technology Transfer through Interdisciplinary / inter institutional projects are to be furnished.
- Information about Patent(s) filed / granted for the Technology to be presented with evidence.

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DISTINGUISHED RESEARCHER AWARD

Cash prize : Rs. 25,000/-

Eligibility

- Distinguished Researcher award will be given for those who have proven their research capabilities by undertaking intensive research during the period **01.04.2017 to 30.09.2023**
- Nominations can be made based on self-nomination or by a Professor of Anna University having more than ten years of experience. The nominations should be sent to Director CSRC through proper channel (Head of the Department / Director of the Centre or Institute / HOD and Dean of Regional offices / Constituent colleges).
- The faculty members who were presented with the Distinguished Researcher award earlier (previously called Active Researcher Award) are not eligible for the nomination again in the same category.
- Only projects sanctioned / received in the individual capacity as faculty members, based on the proposal submitted or request received should be included in the list of projects. Projects like FIST, DRS, RUSA, UGC-SAP etc. which were sanctioned to the Departments / Centres / University in which the faculty members were appointed as Coordinators need not be included.

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ACTIVE CONSULTANT AWARD

Cash prize : Rs. 25,000/-

Eligibility

- Active Consultant Award will be shortlisted facultywise by CSRC based on the revenue generated through consultancy work in the period between **01.04.2017 and 30.09.2023**.
- Top two consultants from each faculty will be awarded subjected to minimum consultancy amount as decided by the Steering and Screening Committee.
- The faculty members who were presented with the award earlier are not eligible for the nomination again in the same category.

The shortlisted candidates will be displayed in the CSRC website.



RESEARCH EXCELLENCE AWARD

➤ Silver Category - Rs. 20,000/- cash prize

Minimum **100 publications** with Anna University Affiliation in Impact factored journals or publications with Anna University Affiliation with **total Impact factor of 300**.

➤ Gold Category - Rs. 30,000/- cash prize

Minimum **150 publications** with Anna University Affiliation in Impact factored journals or publications with Anna University Affiliation with **total Impact factor of 450**.

➤ Platinum Category - Rs. 40,000/- cash prize

Minimum **200 publications** with Anna University Affiliation in Impact factored journals or publications with Anna University Affiliation with **total Impact factor of 600**.

Note:

- The faculty members who have already obtained Research Excellence award in one category may also apply for next higher category but after two years. However, only one application against one category can be made at a time.
- Impact factor is to be calculated on or after 30.09.2023
- Provide the list of publications with Impact factor in the format "Title of the paper, Authors name, Affiliation, Name of the Journal, Vol.no, Year, Page number" (as per format given below) with the first page reprint of research publication highlighting the title, author name, Affiliation, abstract and publisher details

Sample format:

Performance of InGaN based cascade quantum solar cells
R. Ramesh, M. Gupta, S. Meena and K. Bala,
Department of Electronics Engg., College of Engineering Guindy,
Anna University, Chennai 600025, India.
IEEE Journal of Electron Devices Vol.28,(2019), PP221-225

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EXCELLENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

➤ Silver Category - Rs. 20,000/- cash prize

Minimum **5 patents** (National / International) granted with Anna University Affiliation.

➤ Gold Category - Rs. 30,000/- cash prize

Minimum **10 patents** (National / International) granted with Anna University Affiliation.

➤ Platinum Category - Rs. 40,000/- cash prize

Minimum **15 patents** (National / International) granted with Anna University Affiliation.

Note:

The faculty members may also apply for next higher category but after two years. However, only one application against one highest category can be made at a time.

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