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Submission of Abstracts & Full Length Papers

The abstract(s) of paper(s) (not exceeding 250 words), for presentation in the scientific session should reach the Office of the Academy at 5, Lajpatrai Road, Prayagraj, Prayagraj – 211 002, Uttar Pradesh, India, latest by 15 November 2019. An author can submit up to a maximum of three papers, including papers having more than one author. The copy of the abstract may also be sent by email to nasi.annuals89@gmail.com.

Bonafide research scholars are required to get their abstract(s)/research paper(s) forwarded by the Supervisor and/or the Head of the Department/Institution.

Publication of full length Papers

In case it is desired that a paper presented at the Annual Session be considered for publication in the journals of the Academy, viz. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, India- Part A (Physical Sciences) or Part B (Biological Sciences)/National Academy Science Letters, it must be submitted online as per the prescribed procedure of submission. For details please see the website of the Academy- www.nasi.nic.in or www.nasi.org.in. These manuscripts will undergo the usual processing and refereeing as per rules of the Academy. Papers sent for the Session will not be automatically considered for publication in the journals of NASI.

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The National Academy of Sciences, India- Swarna Jayanti Puruskars, each comprising Rs.5000/= and a citation, will be awarded to young scientists (below the age of 35 years as on 1.1.2020) presenting the best research paper(s) in the Sections of Physical and Biological Sciences. Another prestigious award, ‘NASI-Springer Young Scientist Award’ has also been started from the year 2015, for the young bright researchers and is given as per the norms of NASI and Springer.
Students studying at Std. XI from various schools/colleges will meet and interact one-to-one with the eminent scientists. This event will be organized on the third day of the Session, i.e. on 23 December 2019. The students of such schools/colleges in and around Hyderabad will be invited by the host institution (NAARM) for this event.

Reimbursement

NASI would pay, on production of the xerox copy of railway tickets, III AC class rail fare, by shortest route (both ways) only, to the author who would present the paper provided his/her travel has not been subsidized by any other agency.

Accommodation

Accommodation will be provided on first-come-first-serve basis in the Academy Guest House on twin-sharing basis, at the standard rates applicable, based on the profile of the guests. Accommodation in private hotels will be facilitated, on request as per the details provided in the registration form.

How to Reach NAARM

Hyderabad is well connected with all major cities in India by air, rail and road. The distance from key alighting points in the City, through the taxi network (Uber, Ola and Meru) to the venue, along with approximate time and taxi fare, are provided below:

- Rajiv Gandhi International Airport: 20 km, 25 minutes
  - Rs. 500-650

- Kacheguda Railway Station: 17 km, 60 minutes
  - Rs. 350-500

- Secunderabad Railway Station: 23 km, 75 minutes
  - Rs. 300-450

- Nampally/Hyderabad Railway Station: 18 km, 50 minutes
  - Rs. 300-450

- Mahatma Gandhi Bus Station: 15 km, 50 minutes
  - Rs. 250-400

About ICAR-NAARM

ICAR-National Academy of Agricultural Research Management (NAARM), Rajendranagar, Hyderabad, India, was established by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research in 1976, to address issues related to agricultural research and education management, in India. It is a vibrant Academy, with the mandate to serve as a Think Tank of ICAR for Agriculture and Food Systems and enhance individual and institutional competencies in managing innovation through capacity development, research and policy advocacy.

We extend a very cordial invitation to you to participate in the 89th Annual Session of the National Academy of Sciences, India and Symposium on ‘Science and Technology based Entrepreneurship Development’ to be held during 21-23 December 2019 at ICAR-NAARM, Hyderabad.
The Pearl City, Hyderabad, located on the banks of the Musi River, is the capital of southern India's Telangana state. A major center for the technology industry, it's home to many upscale restaurants and shops. Its historic sites include Golconda Fort, a former diamond-trading center that was once the Qutb Shahi dynastic capital. The Charminar, a 16th-century mosque whose 4 arches support towering minarets, is an old city landmark near the long-standing Laad Bazaar. From historical monuments to natural getaways to mouth-watering world famous cuisine to appealing shopping places and thrilling entertainment parks, this city has it all to keep anyone glued. This city is a place worth visiting at least once in a lifetime. In fact, it is impossible for anyone to soak in the multifarious charms which the city has to offer in a limited time span. It is also a hub of modern temples of state of art institutions of science & technology, as CCMB, CDFD, NGRI, IICT, NIN, and many more, apart from NAARM.

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