

Guidelines for Awards and Fellowship-2025

1. Late Dr. M. N. Kulkarni Memorial Award (01 No.)

The Indian Association of Veterinary Microbiologists, Immunologists and Specialists in Infectious Diseases (IAVMI) have instituted "Late Dr M. N. Kulkarni Memorial Award" to encourage young researchers for presenting the best research paper during the IAVMI Conference.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Any researcher below 35 years as on 1st January 2025.
- Candidates must submit an application along with the abstract of the paper to be presented.
- The application must include proof of age, a brief biodata, and recommendation from Advisor/Head of the Department/ Institute.

Application Process:

1. Submit the abstract and application as a single PDF file to Dr. Premanshu Dandapat, General Secretary IAVMI and Head, Division of Bacteriology & Mycology, Izatnagar-243122, Bareilly (Uttar Pradesh) through email on pdandapat@gmail.com and iavmij16@gmail.com
2. Mark "Application for Late Dr. M. N. Kulkarni Memorial Award" on the top right-hand side of the application.

Required Format:

- Name of the applicant
- Date of birth (attach self-attested copy of 10th class marks sheet/certificate)
- Present designation and affiliation
- Place of posting and work done
- Contact details (Email ID and Mobile No.)
- The scientific text should not exceed 6000 words, covering title, authors, introduction, materials and methods, results, discussion, and conclusion.
- A separate consent page for publication of abstract in IJCMID.
- A self-attested certificate stating the start and end dates of the work.

Prerequisites:

- Applicant must be a life member of IAVMI.
- Must be under 35 years as on 01.01.2025.
- Deadline: 30.04.2025 (by 5:00 PM).
- Late applications may be considered for oral/poster presentation but not for the award.

Selection Process:

- A committee duly constituted by the President, IAVMI will screen applications and shortlist 2-3 candidates based on merit.
- Shortlisted candidates will present their work (15 min presentation + 5 min discussion) at the conference.
- The final decision rests with the President, IAVMI.

2. Prof. P.K. Uppal Promising Young Scientist Award in Infectious Diseases (01 No.)

The Indian Association of Veterinary Microbiologists, Immunologists and Specialists in Infectious Diseases (IAVMI) has instituted the "Prof. P.K. Uppal Promising Young Scientist Award in Infectious Diseases" to encourage young researchers to present their work at IAVMI symposia and conferences.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Any researcher below 40 years as of 1st January 2025. Attach proof for date of birth.
- Candidates must submit their application enclosing the scientific text before the deadline.
- The application must include proof of age, a brief biodata, and recommendation from Advisor/Head of the Department/ Institute.
- The award includes a cash prize of Rs. 5000/-, a plaque, and a citation.

Application Process:

1. Submit the application as a single PDF file to Dr. Premanshu Dandapat, General Secretary IAVMI and Head, Division of Bacteriology & Mycology, Izatnagar-243122, Bareilly (Uttar Pradesh) through email on pdandapat@gmail.com and iavmij16@gmail.com.
2. Mark "Application for Prof. P.K. Uppal Promising Young Scientist Award in Infectious Diseases" on the top right-hand side of the application.

Required Format:

- Name of the applicant
- Date of birth (attach self-attested copy of 10th class marks sheet/certificate)
- Present designation and affiliation
- Place of posting and work done
- Contact details (Email ID and Mobile No.)
- The scientific text that should not exceed 6000 words, covering title, authors, introduction, materials and methods, results, discussion, and conclusion
- Supporting evidence for the work
- A separate consent page for publication in IJCMID.
- A self-attested certificate stating the start and end dates of the work.

Prerequisites:

- Applicant must be a life member of IAVMI.
- Must be under 40 years as on 01.01.2025.
- Deadline: 30.04.2025 (by 5:00 PM).
- Late applications may be considered for oral/poster presentation but not for the award.

Selection Process:

- A committee duly constituted by the President, IAVMI will screen applications and shortlist 2-3 candidates based on merit.
- Shortlisted candidates will present their work (15 min presentation + 5 min discussion) at the conference.
- The final decision rests with the President, IAVMI.

3. IAVMI Fellowship (02 Nos.)

The Indian Association of Veterinary Microbiologists, Immunologists and Specialists in Infectious Diseases (IAVMI) has instituted the "IAVMI Fellowship" to honour distinguished personalities in the field of Veterinary Microbiology, Immunology, and Infectious Diseases.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Candidate must possess BVSc & AH degree
- Any distinguished professional having graduate degree in Veterinary Science and specialization in the field of Veterinary Microbiology, Immunology, and Infectious Diseases.
- Candidates must submit the application through mail to the General Secretary, IAVMI on email: pdandapat@gmail.com and iavmijs16@gmail.com before the deadline.
- The application must include the full text of the scientific work (salient achievements), a brief biodata, proof of age, and evidence of contributions in the field.

Application Process:

1. Submit the application in prescribed format by email to Dr. Premanshu Dandapat, General Secretary IAVMI and Head, Division of Bacteriology & Mycology, Izatnagar-243122, Bareilly (Uttar Pradesh) on mail ID- pdandapat@gmail.com and iavmijs16@gmail.com.
2. Clearly mark "Application for IAVMI Fellowship" on the top right-hand side of the application.

Required Format:

- Name of the applicant
- Date of birth (attach self-attested copy of 10th class marks sheet/certificate)
- Qualifications
- Present designation and affiliation
- Contact details (Email ID and Mobile No.)
- Research and administrative experiences
- Awards and Fellowships
- Publications
- Patents
- Technologies developed & Commercialized
- The evidence supporting the claim made in the application

Prerequisites:

- Applicant must be a life member of IAVMI.
- Applicant must possess BVSc& AH degree
- Deadline: 30.04.2025 (by 5:00 PM).
- The applicant is required to submit at least one review/ research paper to the Indian Journal of Comparative Microbiology, Immunology, and Infectious Diseases, in the field of specialization.

Selection Process:

- A committee duly constituted by the President will screen applications and shortlist 2-3 candidates based on merit.
- The final decision rests with the President, IAVMI.

4. Student Travel Award (02 Nos.)

The Indian Association of Veterinary Microbiologists, Immunologists and Specialists in Infectious Diseases (IAVMI) has instituted the "Student Travel Grant Award" to recognize the students of excellence in the field of Veterinary Microbiology, Immunology, and Infectious Diseases.

Eligibility Criteria

- The applicant must be a life member of IAVMI at the time of application.
- The applicant should be enrolled in a postgraduate or doctoral program in Veterinary Microbiology or a field relating to any infectious diseases.
- The applicant's research work must be aligned with its focus on microbiology, immunology or infectious diseases.
- The applicant should have an acceptance letter from the Organizing Secretary for oral or poster presentation in the XXXVII Annual Convention of IAVMI and national conference on "Strengthening animal vis-à-vis human health for addressing challenges in 21st century" scheduled during 19-20 June, 2025.
- A maximum age limit of 35 years as on 1st January 2025.
- The travel grant includes reimbursement of fare limiting to AC 3-tier train fare and exemption from registration fees for the conference.

Application Process

- Submit the application as a single PDF file in prescribed format by email to Dr. Premanshu Dandapat, General Secretary IAVMI and Head, Division of Bacteriology & Mycology, Izatnagar-243122, Bareilly (Uttar Pradesh) on email ID- pdandapat@gmail.com and iavmij16@gmail.com.
- Clearly mark "Student Travel Grant Award" on the top right-hand side of the application.

Required Format

The application must include the following documents in the order specified:

- Cover letter addressed to the General Secretary of IAVMI, outlining the purpose of applying and how the travel award will support academic and professional goals.
- Curriculum Vitae (CV) that must include academic qualifications, awards, publications and other relevant achievements (maximum of 2 pages).
- A copy of the abstract submitted and accepted (acceptance letter may be attached) for the national conference on "Strengthening animal vis-à-vis human health for addressing challenges in 21st century" scheduled during 19-20 June, 2025.
- A recommendation letter from the applicant's HoD/Supervisor/chairman, advisory committee (Guide) confirming enrolment in a relevant program.
- A copy of the IAVMI membership certificate or receipt or applicant number

Prerequisites

- Applicant must be a life member of IAVMI.
- Applicant must possess BVSc& AH degree
- Deadline: 30.04.2025 (by 5:00 PM).
- Recipients must acknowledge IAVMI support in their conference presentation.

Selection Process

- A committee duly constituted by the President will screen applications and shortlist the candidates based on merit.
- The final decision rests with the President, IAVMI.

