

Late Dr. M. N. Kulkarni Memorial Award

The Indian Association of Veterinary Microbiologists, Immunologists and Specialists in Infectious Diseases (IAVMI) has instituted “**Late Dr M N Kulkarni Memorial Award**” to encourage young scientists for presenting best research paper during IAVMI Conference. The eligibility for the award is any scientist who is below 35 years as on 1st January of that particular year. The candidates fulfilling the eligibility should submit an application clearly indicating their willingness to be considered for the award while submitting the abstract. The application should consist of full text of the scientific work, a brief biodata along with supportive evidence of his age and work. The work need to be carried out during the last 5 years. The work should have been done in India only.

How to apply

1. The application (Hard copies 03 nos.) should be submitted to **Dr. Ashok K. Tiwari, General Secretary IAVMI, Head, Division of Biological Standardization, Indian Veterinary Research Institute, Izatnagar 243122, Bareilly (Uttar Pradesh)**; along with the soft copy at email: **aktiwari63@yahoo.com**.
2. The application should clearly mention on **TOP RIGHT HAND SIDE “Application for Late Dr. M. N. Kulkarni Memorial Award”**.
3. The Format should comprise a brief biodata including
 - a. Name of the applicant
 - b. Date of birth (self-attested copy of 10th class or equivalent marks sheet/certificate indicating the date of birth to be enclosed)
 - c. Present designation and affiliation
 - d. Place of posting
 - e. Place of work done (which is to be presented for the Award)
 - f. Contact details including Email ID and Mobile No.
 - g. Three copies of scientific text
 - h. Supportive evidence for the work
4. The scientific word text should comprise of Title, authors, a brief introduction about the work, Materials and Methods, Results, Discussion and Conclusion. The total words should not exceed 6000.
5. The candidate should also give his/her consent on separate page for publication of this work in IJCMID forthcoming issues. The Editor-in-chief is having sole right to publish this work in IJCMID journal
6. A self-attested certificate should be given by the applicant on a separate page about the Month & year of starting and end of work done.

Pre-requisite:

1. The applicant should be a *bona fide* life member of the association (IAVMI).
2. He/ she has attained the age of not more than 35 yrs as on 01.01.2023
3. The last date for submission of application (both hard and soft copies) is **15.02.2023 (by 05:00 PM)**.
4. Applications received after the due date will not be considered for the award. However, these may be forwarded to the Organizing Secretary for consideration as oral or poster presentations for various sessions of conference, if not otherwise indicated by the author.

Short-listing and presentation

1. The applications and the work done will be duly screened by a Committee to be constituted by the President, IAVMI and **2-3** applications will be short-listed based on merit for presentations during the conference.
2. The author(s) should cast their final presentation in the time frame of 20 min. (15 min. presentation and **5** min. discussion).
3. The final decision will be based on the outcome of the presentation to be evaluated by the Committee to be constituted by the President, IAVMI.
4. The decision of President, IAVMI shall be final and binding on the applicants in respect of any doubt in the process and any matter incidental to the Award.