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Secretary, Ministry of Health,

Chairman, University Grants Commission,

Director General, Health Services,

Commissioner of Ayurveda, Department of Ayurveda,

Chairman, State Pharmaceutical Corporation,

Director, Medical Research Institute,

Dear Sir/Madam,

BAB Date 6 DEC 2023

Joint NAM S&T Centre - ICCBS Fellowship in Natural Products Chemistry, Drugs and Pharmaceuticals - 2024 National Science and Technology Commission (NASTEC) is the focal point of the Center for Science and Technology of Non-Aligned and other Developing Countries (NAM S&T Center), India. NASTEC provides fellowship opportunities for the scientists and technologists in Sri Lanka with the respective announcement released by the NAM S&T Centre to its member countries.

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The ICCBS will provide free furnished accommodation and a monthly subsistence allowance for the duration of the fellowship to each scientist selected under the Fellowship Programme. The selected applicant may have to bear the international airfare expenses.

NASTEC is pleased to circulate this fellowship announcement by inviting the interested individuals to apply. Please be kind enough to circulate the fellowship details among the necessary parties of your organization. Copies of the fellowship notice, guidelines for the Fellowship and the application form are attached. - Attachment

Yours sincerely,

Geethani S. Kannangara

Actg. Director/CEO

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Centre for Science and Technology of the Non-Aligned and Other Developing Countries (NAM S&T Centre)

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International Center for Chemical & Biological Sciences (ICCBS), H.E.J. Research Institute of Chemistry and Dr. Panjwani Center for Molecular Medicine and Drug Research

<u>Joint NAM S&T Centre – ICCBS Fellowship in Natural Products</u> Chemistry, Drugs and Pharmaceuticals

Background

The NAM S&T Centre is implementing a Joint NAM S&T Centre – ICCBS Felloy Programme in association with the International Centre for Chemical and Biological Sc (ICCBS), H.E.J. Research Institute of Chemistry and Dr. Panjwani Centre for Molecular Medicine and Drug Research, University of Karachi, Pakistan to provide opportunities to the scientists/researchers from the developing countries for working in the ICCBS Laboratories in the areas of Drugs Research and Development including Natural Products Chemistry and Herbal Medicines; Drugs, Pharmaceuticals and Neutraceuticals; Molecular Medicine, Medicinal Chemistry, Computational Chemistry, Structural Biology, Nanotechnology, Proteomics and Genomics, Clinical Research.

Objectives

The objectives of the Joint NAM S&T Centre – ICCBS Fellowship Programme are:

- To provide opportunities to the scientists and researchers from the developing countries to work with senior researchers and faculty members in the ICCBS for upgrading their research skills in the fields related to Natural Products Chemistry; Computational Chemistry; Herbal Medicines and Drugs; Medicinal Chemistry; Nanotechnology; Proteomics and Genomics; Pharmaceuticals and Neutraceuticals; Molecular Medicine; Structural Biology; Drug Research; Clinical Research & Practices; or any other subjects agreed upon by ICCBS authorities.
- To facilitate the scientists and researchers from the developing countries to undertake short-term joint research projects at ICCBS.
- To provide a mechanism to the scientists and researchers from the developing countries to use the equipment and facilities available at ICCBS for their own research activity on mutually agreed terms and conditions.
- To facilitate exchange of information and contacts and create a network between the scientists and researchers from Pakistan and other developing countries.

Number of Fellowships

Up to five scientists and researchers from the developing countries are sponsored each year by the NAM S&T Centre to work at ICCBS under the "Joint NAM S&T Centre - ICCBS

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Fellowship Programme". ICCBS may increase the number of Fellowships based on its requirement, but without any financial implication for the NAM S&T Centre.

Duration of Fellowship

The maximum duration of Fellowship is **upto 3 months**. However, it may be extended by ICCBS based on actual research requirements.

Eligibility

- The applicant must hold at least a Master of Science (M.Sc.) or equivalent degree and should be engaged in R&D or management of scientific programmes on the identified subjects.
- There is no upper age limit, but younger scientists would be preferred, whenever possible. Preference will also be given to female candidates.
- Selection is made strictly on merit based on the scientific quality of the proposal submitted by the applicant.
- Only scientists and researchers from the Member Countries and S&T-Industry Network Members of the NAM S&T Centre will be eligible. Only one scholar from any country/organization will be selected each year for the Fellowship award.
- Scientists from Pakistan are not eligible to apply for this Fellowship.

Financial and Other Terms

- ICCBS would provide local hospitality, e.g. free furnished accommodation and an allowance @PKR 35,000/- per month to each Fellow sponsored by the NAM S&T Centre.
- o The NAM S&T Centre will cover the international airfare of the selected candidates from those Member Countries or Members of the NAM S&T- Industry Network, which have no outstanding dues towards the annual membership subscription to the Centre. Lists of Member Countries and Members of the NAM S&T- Industry Network are available in the Centre's website- www.namstct.org.
- ICCBS would provide all possible facilities and access to various instruments and equipment in its constituent laboratories that may be required by the fellows for implementing their agreed upon research activity.
- Individual fellows or their governments/institutions will be required to bear the following costs:
 - All expenses in the home country incidental to travel abroad, including expenditure for passport and visa, required medical examinations and vaccinations and miscellaneous expenses such as internal travel to/from the airport of departure in the home country.
 - Salary and other related allowances for the Fellows during the Fellowship period.
 - Cost towards medical insurance to cover the period of Fellowship in Pakistan.
- o The NAM S&T Centre and ICCBS will not assume responsibility for the following expenditure in connection with the Fellowship of a particular scientist/researcher:
 - Insurance, medical bills or hospitalisation fees

- Compensation in the event of death, disability or loss of personal belongings or compensation for damage caused by climatic or other conditions
- Travel or other costs incurred by the dependents, who might accompany the Fellows.

Submission and Selection of Applications

- Filled in Application Form duly endorsed by the Focal Point of the NAM S&T Centre in the Member Country or the NAM S&T – Industry Network Member should be submitted to the NAM S&T Centre.
- A "Statement of Purpose" giving a brief write-up on the work to be carried out during the proposed visit should be attached with the application (2-3 pages).
- Applicants will be selected on the basis of their professional experience and the statement outlining the purpose of visit/scope of work.
- o In matter of selection, the decision of NAM S&T Centre and ICCBS shall be final.





Centre for Science and Technology of the Non-Aligned and Other Developing Countries (NAM S&T Centre), New Delhi, India

and

International Center for Chemical & Biological Sciences (ICCBS),
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JOINT NAM S&T CENTRE – ICCBS FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMME-2024

APPLICATION FORM

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(To l	pe filled in by the Applicant)
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2.	Designation (Position held):
3.	Nationality:
4.	Date of Birth: Place of Birth (City) (Country)
5.	Passport No:Place of issue:
	Date of Issue:Valid up to:
	(Please enclose a copy of your Passport)
6.	Name of the Parent Organisation/Employer:
	Full Address (Office):
	Phone (With Country/Area/City Code): Mobile:
	Fax: E-mail:
7.	Full Address (Home):

	Phone (With Country/Area/City Code):	Mobile: E-mail:
8.	Educational Qualifications:	
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9.	Brief Curriculum Vitae (including Professional and Research Exp List of Papers Published, if any)	erience and a
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10.	What in your opinion qualifies you for the Fellowship?	
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11.	Plan of Work	
	(To be attached on a separate sheet)	
12.	Duration of Visit	
13.	Name and Designation of the Person in ICCBS, Karachi whom you lefor joint work or supervising your project (please enclose a copy letter from ICCBS)	
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ENDORSEMENT BY NOMINATING AUTHORITY

(The Candidate may get the application endorsed by the Focal Point of the NAM S&T Centre or the concerned Scientific Ministry / Government Agency in his/her country, if he/she wishes to receive the support of his/her air travel to-from Karachi, Pakistan. For name / address of the Focal Points please visit Centre's website www.namstct.org)

	(Signature)
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Check List for Enclosures to be attached:

- i) Brief Curriculum Vitae (in enclosed Format and a list of papers published, if any)
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India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road

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- 5. Administrative Experience: Not more than 100 words
- 6. Experience with respect to the title of the programme:
- 7. Details of Awards/Recognitions (if any):
- 8. Any other information: Not more than 50 words
- 9. Recent Publications: Only five recent publications to be mentioned
- 10. Recent Photograph: A recent passport size colour photo to be attached

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To receive the endorsement from NASTEC which is the focal point of NAM center, please send us your filled application and other relevant documents to nastecnam@gmail.com.

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There is no last date for submitting applications and selection will be made on first-come-first basis strictly based on the professional details of the applicant, plan of work to be carried out and mutual research interests of the applicant and ICCBS. Copies of the guidelines for the Fellowship and the application form are attached (also available at the Centre's Website www.namstct.org).

Centre for Science and Technology of the Non-Aligned and Other Developing Countries (NAM S&T Centre)

India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road New Delhi, India

Curriculum Vitae

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1. Personal Details:

Name: (Prof./Dr./Mr./Mrs./Ms.)

Date of Birth: DD/MM/YYYY

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Permanent Address: Full Address (Home)

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