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Announcement

Call for BRSI Annual Awards Nominations for 2014 and Fellows for 2015

Nominations are invited for the following BRSI Annual Awards and election of Fellows:

- 1. Young Scientist Award:** Members of BRSI of 35 years or below as on 31st December 2014 involved in Biotech R&D for his/her outstanding contributions would be eligible. Award carries a silver medal, certificate, citation and memento.
- 2. Woman Scientist Award:** Women members of BRSI below the age of 45 years as on 31st December 2014 involved in Biotech R&D for her outstanding contributions would be eligible. Award carries a silver medal, certificate, citation and memento.
- 3. Life Time Achievement Award:** Members of BRSI above the age of 55 years as on 31st December 2014 involved in Biotech R&D for his/her life time contribution to the field of Biotechnology would be eligible. Award carries a silver medal, certificate, citation and memento.
- 4. Industrial Medal Award:** Members of BRSI involved in Biotech R&D for his/her outstanding contribution, which has resulted in commercialization of a product/process. Award carries a silver medal, certificate, citation and memento.
- 5. Fellow of BRSI:** Eminent members of BRSI having long-standing and significant contribution to the field working in various areas of biotechnology shall be considered to be elected as Fellow of BRSI (*FBR*).
- 6. Honorary Fellow of BRSI:** Eminent persons who have rendered distinguished service to the nation in Biotechnology shall be considered to be conferred as Honorary Fellow of BRSI. Award carries a citation and a memento. Nomination can be made by the members of the Board of BRSI. For this, the nominee may or may not be member of BRSI.
- 7. AU-CBT Excellence Awards for Research Scholars (Two awards):** Members of BRSI registered for PhD studies in any Indian university/institute below the age of 30 years as on 31st December 2014 involved in Biotech R&D for his/her outstanding performance. Award carries a citation and cash award of Rs. 5000 for each.
- 8. SBC-MKU Genomics Award:** Members of BRSI below the age of 40 years as on 31st December 2014 involved in R&D in the area of Genomics Sciences for his/her outstanding contribution. Award carries a silver medal, certificate, citation and memento.
- 9. Malaviya Memorial Awards for Teaching Faculties (Two awards – one for Young Faculty below the age of 40 years and one for the Senior Faculty above the age of 40 years as on 31st December 2014):** Members of BRSI working as teachers involved in Biotech R&D for his/her outstanding contribution. Award carries a silver medal, certificate, citation and memento.

Details for the general terms and conditions and nomination form can be found at www.brsi.in or can be obtained from Dr P Binod (binodkannur@gmail.com).

The last date to receive the nominations is **31st July 2015**.