

**INDIAN NATIONAL SCIENCE ACADEMY
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Information for the applicants seeking partial assistance for participation in ICSU sponsored
International Conferences abroad.

International Council for Science (ICSU) is a non-governmental organization formed during 1931 to promote scientific activities in Science and their applications for benefit of humanities. Being an adhering organization to ICSU, Academy provides partial financial support for attending International scientific conferences sponsored by the International Council for Science (ICSU) and its affiliated bodies.

Scientists who has specific role in the International Conference i.e. invited to deliver plenary lecture/ invited talk/ preside over a session or whose paper has been accepted for presentation, and who will also be provided maintenance allowance during his/her stay abroad and partial travel by some agency, will be given preference over others. INSA's financial support, in case of selection is limited to a maximum of half International travel, half maintenance allowance for the duration of the conference and registration fee, wherever necessary.

Application should be sent to the Academy three months before the commencement of the conference. Applications received without sufficient notice may not be considered. Please note that no assistance is provided for training programmes/courses/ joining post doctoral Fellowships and for higher studies abroad.

BODIES AFFILIATED TO ICSU:

International Unions of: (1) Astronomy (IAU), (2) Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (IUBMB), (3) Biological Sciences (IUBS), (4) Pure & Applied Chemistry (IUPAC), (5) Crystallography (IUCr), (6) Geodesy & Geophysics (IUGG), (7) Geological Sciences (IUGS), (8) History & Philosophy of Science (IUHPS), (9) Theoretical & Applied Mechanics (IUTAM), (10) Nutritional Sciences (IUNS), (11) Pure & Applied Physics (IUPAP), (12) Pure & Applied Biophysics (IUPAB) (13) Microbiological Societies (IUMS), (14) Pharmacology (IUPHAR), (15) Radio Science (URSI), (16) Physiological Sciences (IUPS), (17) Geography (IGU), (18) Mathematical Science (IMU), Scientific/Special Committees on: (19) Lithosphere (SCL), (20) Oceanic Research (SCOR), (21) Solar-Terrestrial Physics (SCOSTEP), (22) Space Research (COSPAR), (23) Data for Science and Technology (CODATA), (24) World Climate Research Programme (WCRP), (25) Antarctic Research (SCAR), (26) International Geosphere Biosphere Programme (IGBP), (27) Quaternary Research (INQUA), (28) Food, Science & Technology (IFoST).

Important: Applicant may please note:

- 1. Applicant should hold minimum Ph.D. degree (except the scientists from medical stream) with five years research experience.**

2. Applicant should have atleast five research papers in peer reviewed journals.
3. Applicant should hold regular position in a recognized S & T institutes / universities (or atleast attached to any institute / universities) in India.
4. Applicant should not have availed any grant from INSA (ICSU / Bilateral Exchange Programme) in past three years.

Documents to be submitted:

1. Biodata with complete list of publications.
3. A copy of the letter of invitation by the organizer.
3. A copy of the abstract of the paper to be presented.
4. A copy of letter of acceptance of paper by the organizers.
1. Evidence of partial support from other sources. In absence of this, Academy will not be able to consider your request since Academy's assistance is only partial.
2. Letter of grant of hospitality / registration fee.

For International Conferences sponsored by other agencies, the applicant may send their application to:

Dr. B. Babuji Scientific Officer, Centre for International Co-operation in Science (CICS), #2 Gandhi Mandapam Road, Guindy, Chennai-600025. Phone: 24419466/24430228/24901367 Fax: 044-24914543 Email: cics2010@vsnl.net, ccstds@vsnl.net.



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**Application form for seeking financial assistance for participation in
ICSU Sponsored international conferences/Meetings abroad**

NOTE: Applicant should hold minimum Ph.D. degree (except scientists from medical stream) with five years research experience in any recognized S & T institutions/ universities in India.

**Name of Union/Committee of ICSU:
(As per the list given)**

Title, Date & Venue of the Conference:

1. Name & Address of Correspondence of the applicant (in capital letters) with phone, fax and email.
2. Date of Birth & Age:
3. Name & Address of the Employer :
4. Biodata with recent publications:

5. If holding membership of National/ International bodies, please specify:

6. Whether INSA Young Scientist Medal Awardee. Yes/No
Year of Award:

7. The role of applicant in the present Conference
 - (a) Presiding/Chairing over session(attach a copy of the letter of invitation)

 - (b) Delivering a plenary lecture/invited talk (if yes, give title and attach a copy of the letter of invitation. Attach a copy of summary of the lecture/talk also)

 - (c)
 - (i) Presenting a paper(if yes,give the title and attach a copy of the abstract)

 - (ii) Has the paper been accepted?(If yes, please attach a copy of the acceptance letter)

 - (d) Any other role (please specify). State, if the applicant is holding an office, such as membership of Executive Body etc. in the Conference.

8. Proposed date of Departure.

9. Impact of proposed visit in the Indian context within 250 words (attach separate sheet)

10. Are you planning to undertake any scientific visit with the Conference. If so how that is being financed. Please give details.

Country	Duration of visit	Purpose of visit	Quantum of financial assistance and the name of the Agency/Agencies providing the same (give details).
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11. Mention the previous overseas visits in the last three years and how these were financed. Please also indicate if anytime you have received financial assistance of INSA and for what purpose.

S.No.	Name of the Conference/ Collaborative Exchange Programme	Place & Date of Conference/Visit	How financed Name of the Agency & Amt.	Financial assistance from INSA if any
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12. Please give details of the financial assistance Applied/offered by parent Institute/National or International Agency for the proposed Conf. to be attended.

Any other support /facility provided by the Organisers(Registration/Local Hospitality)

13. Please indicate specific amount required from INSA. Give rough estimate:

a) Airfare:

b) Perdiem:

c) Registration (if required):

Place:

(Signature of Applicant)

Date:

Forwarded through

Signature & designation of the forwarding authority

Seal

Date

Please return the form along with enclosures in DUPLICATE in appropriate order to: The Executive Secretary, Indian National Science Academy, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi

Note: For other than ICSU conferences, please contact: ccstds@vsnl.net, cics2010@vsnl.net , www.cics.tn.nic.in
