

Prof Sushil Kumar Innovation Award (SKIA)



Nominations/applications are invited for “Prof Sushil Kumar Innovation Award” (SKIA-2022)

The Award: The Award “Prof Sushil Kumar Innovation Award” (SKIA) is founded to promote and encourage future generation leaders of science on innovation path and recognize their pathbreaking approach in R&D. The award is conferred annually to an individual who leads the innovative research in INDIA with direct impact on societal empowerment or a high end scientific breakthrough as game changer benefiting scientific community/society

Area of Award: Agriculture, Life Sciences and Applied fields including multi- and inter-disciplinary areas going beyond traditional classification of scientific research leading to inventions, discoveries and technologies.

Purpose: To bring to the forefront outstanding work and contribution of the nominee in multidisciplinary area with direct impact on societal empowerment or a high-end scientific breakthrough as game changer benefiting scientific community/society.

Eligibility: Any citizen of India engaged in Sciences, Technology and Innovation. Overseas citizens of India (OCI) and Persons of Indian Origin (PIO) working in India are also eligible. The upper age limit is 40 years as on 14 December of the year of award. The work of innovation and research submitted for recognition should have been performed in India only.

Who can nominate: Nationally recognized scientific societies and academies, Vice-Chancellors of Universities; Deemed Universities and Institutions of national importance; Directors of recognized organizations, Prof. Sushil Kumar Innovation Awardees, Heads of ‘Not-for Profit’ organizations, members of FloraFauna Science Foundation. One can also self-nominate and in that case, the person must provide contact and designation of two references (with email and mobile number) of established scientific experts having direct knowledge of the work of the candidate being submitted for award consideration.

Nomination/applications must be submitted in the prescribed format via e-mail by sending all materials in a .zip file to profskia1940@gmail.com on or before **15th September, 2022**. No hardcopy to follow. The subject line of email should be written as “Prof. Sushil Kumar Innovation Award-2022”