

Research Funding Agencies in India

[1] Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) (<http://www.icmr.nic.in/>)

- **Junior Research Fellowships (JRFs):** The ICMR conducts a national level examination for candidates with a postgraduate degree (MSc/MA) in basic science or a postgraduate degree (MSc/MA) in a professional course with a maximum age limit of 28 years.
- **Senior Research Fellowships (SRFs):** SRFs enable bright young men and women to pursue research and training that will invariably lead to a PhD or MD, etc., Master's degree candidates with 2 years of research experience are eligible with a 35-year age limit.
- **Extramural Research Programme:** Under its extramural research programme, the ICMR provides financial assistance to promote research work in the fields of medicine, public health and allied areas.
- **Research Associateship (RA):** RAs are awarded to encourage young researchers who already have high-quality published work to pursue post-doctoral fellowships (PDFs) in biomedicine on specific research programmes. Candidates who have a doctorate degree in medicine with a 40-year age limit are eligible.
- **Emeritus Scientist Scheme:** The Council offers the position of Emeritus Scientist to retired medical scientists and teachers for them to continue or begin research on specific biomedical topics. The application is open at any time, and the ICMR Emeritus Scientist (IES) Selection Committee will meet twice a year, in January and July.

[2] Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO): (www.drdo.gov.in/)

DRDO is the research and development (R&D) arm of the Ministry of Defence, Government of India, with the goal of empowering India. The DRDO is now a network of more than 50 laboratories dedicated to the development of defence technology in a number of sectors including aeronautics, weaponry, combat engineering, electronics, life sciences, materials and naval systems.

- **JRF:** The candidate should have a graduate degree in engineering and technology, postgraduate research degree in science or postgraduate degree in Fellow Psychology; first division or (JRF) equivalent grading is awarded.
 - The age limit is 28 years.
 - The emolument (per month) is Rs. 16000/-+HRA
- **SRF:** The candidate should have a degree in medical science (MBBS), dental science/research surgery (BDS) or postgraduate in engineering and technology; first division, both at the graduate and SRF postgraduate levels, wherever division or equivalent grading is awarded.
 - The age limit is 32 years.
 - The emolument (per month) is Rs. 18000/-+HRA
- **RA:** PhD in science subjects, or MD/MS in medical science, research or MTech/ME with 2 years experience in research, associate teaching, design and development. Wherever division or equivalent grading is awarded, the degree should be in (RA) first division.
 - The age limit is 30 years.
 - The emoluments (per month) is Rs. 24000/-+HRA

[3] Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) (<http://www.serb.gov.in>):

The SERB was established in 2008 with the mission of promoting basic research in science and engineering and matching the best global practises in the areas of basic research promotion and funding.

- **Core Research Grant (CRG) (Individual Centric):** The scheme offers active researchers with core research funding to conduct research and development in science and engineering frontier areas. The CRG scheme can benefit a single researcher or a group of researchers working at a recognised academic institution, national laboratory or other recognised R&D institution in India. The financing is usually offered over a 3-year term. The announcement of the call for applications will be made on the websites 'www.serbonline.in' and 'www.serb.gov.in'.
- **Start-up Research Grant (SRG):** The SRG is a one-time research grant designed to help researchers get started in a new institution. It is a 2-year grant designed to help scientists and engineers working on the cutting edge of science and engineering establish themselves before moving on to a mainstream CRG. The applicant's track record and the proposed research plan would be used as selection criteria. For a period of 2 years, a research grant of Rs. 30 lakhs plus overheads would be provided.
- **Scientific and Useful Profound Research Advancement (SUPRA):** SUPRA is a programme that rewards high-quality ideas that include a novel premise, innovative solutions, new domains and concepts. The applicant must have completed at least 5 years of regular academic or research experience in an Indian academic institution, national laboratory or other recognised R&D institution.
- **J C Bose National Fellowship:** The fellowship will cover all areas of science (in the broadest sense). Nominations can be sent by the heads of the institutions, and nominations are accepted online only throughout the year (www.serbonline.in).
- **Ramanujan Fellowship:** The scheme assists active researchers/scientists/engineers who want to return to India from abroad and contribute to the country's efforts. The Ramanujan Fellowship accepts nominations at any time during the year.
- **National Post-Doctoral Fellowship:** This fellowship was created with the aim of identifying and supporting motivated young researchers to conduct research in frontier areas of science and engineering. The fellows will be supervised by a mentor, and it is hoped that this training will provide them with a foundation for future independent research. The fellowship is purely temporary and is initially available for a period of 2 years.
- **Early Career Research Award:** The Early Career Research Award programme aims to provide immediate research support to young researchers in their early careers in frontier areas of science and engineering. It is a one-time award that includes a research grant of up to Rs. 50 lakhs (excluding overheads) for a 3-year period.
- **SERB Women Excellence Award:** The SERB Women Excellence Award is a one-time award given to female scientists under the age of 40 who have received recognition such as the Young Scientist Medal, Young Associate and so on. These female researchers will receive a research grant of Rs. 5.00 lakhs per year for the next 3 years.
- **SERB-POWER: (Promoting Opportunities for Women in Exploratory Research):** This programme is designed to reduce gender disparities and in order to ensure equal access and weighted opportunities for Indian women scientists engaged in research and development activities.

- SERB empowers females in two areas:
- SERB – POWER fellowship
- SERB – POWER research grants.

Women scientists are not permitted to hold both a POWER fellowship and a POWER grant at the same time.

[4] Department of Science and Technology (DST) (<https://dst.gov.in>):

The DST was established in May 1971 with the goal of promoting new areas of science and technology (S&T) and serving as a nodal department for organising, coordinating and promoting S&T activities throughout the country.

- **Women Scientist Programme:** The scheme is intended to encourage women in the S&T domain, preferably those who have taken a career break and are not currently employed, to consider re-entering the profession.

For Indian citizens, the following three categories of fellowships with research grants are available:

- **Women Scientist Scheme-A (WOS-A):** Research in basic/applied science
- **Women Scientist Scheme-B (WOS-B):** S&T interventions for societal benefit
- **Women Scientist Scheme-C (WOS-C):** Internship in Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) for the self-employment
- **Innovation of Science Pursuit for Inspire Research (INSPIRE):** The DST has developed an innovative strategy to encourage young people to pursue careers in science. Every year, INSPIRE Fellowship awards fellowships to researchers between the ages of 22 and 27 to pursue doctoral degrees in both basic and applied sciences, while INSPIRE Faculty Scheme awards postdoctoral fellowships to scholars between the ages of 27 and 32.
- **Science and Technology of Yoga and Meditation (SATYAM):** It supports ideas that take an integrative approach to neuroscience, medicine and psychology in order to conduct a thorough study of yoga and meditation.

[5] Department of Biotechnology (DBT) (<https://www.dbtindia.gov.in>):

DBT's mandate is to promote and support biotechnology development in India. Basic research, medical biotechnology, agriculture technology, food and nutrition, bioresources, environment and bioenergy, animal biotechnology, aquaculture and marine biotechnology, bioinformatics, international collaborations and human resource development are some of the topics covered by the DBT.

- **JRF:** The department offers fellowships to biotechnology students who want to pursue doctoral studies at universities/research institutions across the country. The students are chosen through the Biotechnology Eligibility Test (BET), which is now overseen by the National Centre for Cell Sciences.
- **RA:** The department offers PDFs in frontier areas of biotechnology and life sciences at premier Indian institutions. The Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, is in charge of implementing the research associateship programme. The fellowship is initially granted for 2 years, but it can be extended for another 1–2 years based on a review of progress.
- **Khorana Programme for Scholars:** This scholarship programme is a joint Indo-US effort to foster effective scientific contact between biotechnology students in India and biotechnology students in the United States of America. The scholarship enables Indian

BTech, MTech and MSc students to complete a research internship at Wisconsin-Madison University in the United States. The programme has now been expanded to include universities in the United States such as Minnesota, Michigan, Iowa, Indiana and Georgetown.

[6] Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) (<https://www.csir.res.in>):

The CSIR has several verticals that support science technology and innovation. The Human Resource Development Group (HRDG), a division of the CSIR, achieves this goal through various grants, fellowship schemes and so on.

- **JRF:** BS 4 years programme/BPharm/MBBS/Integrated BS/MS/MSc/BE/BTech is the minimum qualification.
The stipend is Rs. 12, 000 per month for the first and second years. In the third year, the monthly stipend is Rs. 14, 000.
- **SRF:** MSc, BE, BTech, BVSc, BPharm, ME, MTech or equivalent degree in engineering/technology are required (Under research scheme only).
The stipend is Rs. 14,000 per month for the first, second and third years.
- **RA:** The minimum qualification is a doctorate (PhD/MD/MS/MDS).
The stipend is Rs. 36,000 per month for the first year, Rs. 38,000 per month for the second year and Rs. 40,000 per month for the third year.

[7] Department of Health Research (DHR): (<https://dhr.gov.in>)

The mission of the DHR is to bring modern health technologies to people through research and innovations in diagnosis, treatment methods and vaccines for prevention; to translate these innovations into products and processes; and to introduce these innovations into public health in collaboration with concerned organisations.

- **Grant-in-aid scheme:** The DHR has a Grant-In-Aid (GIA) scheme for Inter-Sectoral Convergence and Coordination for Health Research Promotion and Guidance. The goal of GIA is to support research that identifies knowledge gaps and converts health leads into deliverables.
- **Human Resource Development (HRD) Fellowship Programme:** Full-length proposals may only be submitted online at www.dhrschemes.in. Details of the scheme's eligibility, application format, terms and conditions and guidelines are available on the DHR website at <https://dhr.gov.in/schemes/humanresource-development-health-research-hrd>.

[8] Trained Nurses Association of India (TNAI) (<https://www.tnaionline.org>)

The TNAI is a national organisation of various levels of nurse professionals. It was founded in 1908 under the name Association of Nursing Superintendents. In 1950, the Government of India designated TNAI as a service organisation. Dr. S. Radhakrishnan laid the foundation stone for the TNAI headquarters, which was inaugurated by Smt. Indira Gandhi.

- **National Nurses Research Grant (TNNRG):**
Eligibility Criteria:
 - Life membership (s) in TNAI is/are required.
 - BSc, MSc or PhD in nursing.
 - Prior experience conducting independent research is preferred.
 - Prior experience directing research is preferred.

If a research team of professionals includes non-nursing members, the primary researcher must be a TNAI member; however, all nurse researchers in the team must be TNAI members.

The investigator (s) must submit a Research Grant Application in the prescribed Performa format, along with a detailed proposal and budget.

TNAI has the authority to decide whether a research grant should be fully or partially funded.

[9] The Nursing Research Society of India (NRSI): (<http://www.nrsindia.org>)

- **Post-Doctoral Fellowship Programme:** NRSI established the PDF programme to encourage outstanding nursing research. Following NRSI's advertisement, candidates should submit their application on the prescribed form, along with an updated resume, a list of publications, full-length articles from two important papers, copies of certificates (BSc (N)/PBSN, MSc (N)) and two letters of recommendation (academic), among other things.
 - Eligibility: A doctorate (PhD) or an equivalent degree is required. The fellow's maximum age shall be 45 years as of the day the application is made.
 - Stipend and benefits: A fellow's consolidated emoluments will be Rs. 50000/- per year while working with the NRSI.



Research Funding Agencies in India with Contact Information and Website Link

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| 1 | Ministry of Environment & Forests | – The Secretary, Govt of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Paryavaran Bhawan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi 110 003 – Email: ef@vsnl.net.in , sv.godavarthi@nic.in – Website: moef.nic.in – Fax: 011-258586422, 011-24364594 – Tel: 011-258586422, 011-24364594 |
| 2 | Forest Research Institute | – Group Coordinator (Research), Forest Research Institute, Post Office New Forest, Dehradun – Email: hooda@icfre.org , groupco_fri_icfre.org – Website: fri.icfre.gov.in – Fax: 0135 – 2756865 – Tel: 0135 – 2752670 – EBPAX No. 2757021-26 Extn. 4316 |
| 3 | Department of Science and Technology (DST) | – The Secretary, Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India, Technology Bhawan, New Mehrali Road, New Delhi. 110016 – Email: dstinfo@nic.in – Website: dst.gov.in – Fax: (+91)011-23016857, 26567373, 26962819 – Tel: (+91)011-23012312,23017660,26864570, 26862418 |
| 4 | Department of Atomic Energy (DAE) | – The Scientific Secretary (BRNS), Department of Atomic Energy, Directors office, Ist Floor, Central Complex, BARC, Mumbai- 400 085 – Email: brns@barc.gov.in – Website: dae.nic.in/brns – Fax: 91-22-25505050 / 25592000 – Tel: 91-22-25590813 |
| 5 | Department of Biotechnology (DBT) | – The Director (R&D), Department Biotechnology, Block no. 2, Floor 7, Room no. 12, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi 110 003. – Email: Shaila@dbt.nic.in – Website: dbtindia.nic.in – Fax: 011-24362884 – Tel: 011-24363748 |
| 6 | Department of Education (DOEd) | – The Deputy Education Adviser (T), Division TD, VI, Department of Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi. – Email: dhe-mhrd@nic.in – Website: mhrd.gov.in – Fax: 011-2382365/23011097/2384093 – Tel: 011- 23782296/23383936-44 |
| 7 | Department of Food Processing Industries | – Govt. of India, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Food Processing Industries, Panchsheel Bhawan, August Karanti Bhawan, New Delhi 110049. – Email: jsjpm-fpi@nic.in – Website: mofpi.nic.in – Fax: 011-26492863 – Tel: 011-26492476 |
| 8 | Department of Non-Conventional Energy Sources (DNES) | – The Secretary, Department of Non-Conventional Energy Sources, Block No. 14, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi, 110003 – Email: aktripathi@nic.in – Website: mnre.gov.in – Fax: 011-24362772/24361298 – Tel: 24361481/24362772 |
| 9 | National Information System for Sci. & Technology (NISSAT) | – The Joint Adviser, National Information System for Sci.& Technology, Department of Scientific & Industrial Research, Technology Bhawan, Mehrauli Road, New Delhi – Email: sunilag@alpha.nic.in – Website: dsir.gov.in – Fax: 26567373 – Tel: 011-26567373 |

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| 10 | Technology Absorption and Adaptation Scheme (TAAS) | – The Joint Adviser (TAAS), Department of Scientific & Industrial Research, Technology Bhawan, New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi 110 016 – Email: taas@alpha.nic.in – Website: dsir.gov.in – Fax: 26567373, 26864570 – Tel: 011-26567373, 26864570 |
| 11 | Department of Space (DOS) | – The Scientific Secretary, ISRO Headquarters, F-Block, Antariksh Bhavan, New BEL Road, Bangalore. 560 094 – Email: scientificsecretary@isro.gov.in – Website: dos.gov.in – Fax: (+91)80 23511984 – Tel: (+91)80 23415275 |
| 12 | Science and Engineering Research Council (SERC) | – The Adviser & Member – Secretary, SERC Secretariat, Department of Science & Technology, Technology Bhawan, New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi 110 016 – Email: venkatesh@alpta.nic.in , bghari.nic.in – Website: dst.gov.in – Fax: 011-26963695 – Tel: 011-26963695, 26590370 |
| 13 | Science and Society-Related Programmes | – The Adviser, STP, Department of Sci. & Technology, Technology Bhawan, New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi.-110 016 – Email: sunilag@alpha.nic.in – Website: serb.gov.in – Fax: 26864570, 26863847 – Tel: 011-26567373 |
| 14 | Science and Society Related Programmes | – The Head, Sci.& Society Division, Dept. of Sci. & Technology, Technology Bhawan, New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi. 110 016 – Email: sunilag@alpha.nic.in – Website: scienceandsociety-dst-org – Fax: 011-26964793 – Tel: 011-26567373 Extn. 208 |
| 15 | Science and Technology Application for Rural Development (STARD) | – The Head, Sci.& Society Division, Dept. of Sci. & Technology, Technology Bhawan, New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi. 110 016 – Email: sunilag@alpha.nic.in – Website: scienceandsociety-dst-org – Fax: 011-26964793 – Tel: 011-26567373 Extn. 208 |
| 16 | Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) | – The Director General, CSIR, Anusandhan Bhawan, 2, Rafi Marg, New Delhi 110 001 – Email: dgcsir@csir.res.in – Website: csir.res.in – Fax: 011-23710618 – Tel: 011-23710472, 23710618, 23710411 |
| 17 | Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) | – The Director General, Indian Council of Agricultural Research, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi-110 001 – Email: icar@icar.org.in – Website: icar.org.in – Fax: 91-11-23384773, 23385350 – Tel: 91-11-23382629, 23386711 |
| 18 | Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) | – The Director General, Indian Council of Medical Research, V. Ramalingaswami Bhawan, Ansari Nagar, Post Box.4911, New Delhi – Email: icmrhqds@sansad.nic.in – Website: icmr.nic.in – Fax: 011-23742303 – Tel: 011-26588895, 26588980, 26589794 |

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| 19 | National Council for Science and Technology Communication (NCSTC) | – The Head, NCSTC, Department of Science & Technology, Technology Bhawan, New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi. 110 016 – Email: sanjayb@alpha.nic.in – Website: ncstc-dst.org – Fax: 011-26516087 – Tel: 011-26863847, 26862580 |
| 20 | Indian Council of Philosophical Research (ICPR) | – The Director, Indian Council of Philosophical Research, Darshan Bhawan, 36, Tuglakabad Institutional Area, M.B. Road, New Delhi 110062 – Email: icpr@bol.net.in – Website: icpr.in – Fax: 011-29964717 – Tel: 011-29964715, 29964718 |
| 21 | National Board for Higher Mathematics (NBHM) | – The Chairman, National Board for Higher Mathematics, Department of Atomic Energy, Government of India, Anushakti Bhavan, C.S.M. Marg, Mumbai 400001 – Email: chairman.nbhm@daef.gov.in – Website: nbhm.dae.gov.in – Tel: 022-22804751, 22804752, 22804753 |
| 22 | Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) | – The Director, Public Relations, ISRO Headquarters, Antariksh Bhavan, New BEL Road, Bangalore – 560 231 – Email: prao@isro.gov.in – Website: isro.gov.in – Tel: 080-22172465, 22172296, 22172298 |
| 23 | Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) | – The Member Secretary, Indian Council of Social Science Research, Aruna Asaf Ali Marg, New Delhi 110067 – Email: icssr@icssr.org – Website: icssr.org – Fax: 011-26742132 – Tel: 011-26742197, 26742160 |
| 24 | National Institute of Fashion Technology (NIFT) | – The Director General, National Institute of Fashion Technology, NIFT Campus, Hauz Khas, Near Gulmohar Park, New Delhi – 110016 – Email: director@nift.ac.in – Website: nift.ac.in – Tel: 011-26542000, 26542003, 26542004 |
| 25 | National Institute of Design (NID) | – The Director, National Institute of Design, NID Paldi, Ahmedabad – 380 007, Gujarat – Email: director@nid.edu – Website: nid.edu – Tel: 079-26623692, 26623462, 26629500 |
| 26 | National Institute of Technology (NIT) | – The Director, National Institute of Technology, Tanjore Main Road, National Highway 67, Tiruchirappalli – 620015, Tamil Nadu – Email: director@nitt.edu – Website: nitt.edu – Tel: 0431-2501801, 2501802 |
| 27 | Indian Council of Historical Research (ICHR) | – The Member Secretary, Indian Council of Historical Research, 35 Ferozeshah Road, New Delhi – 110001 – Email: membersecretary@ichr.ac.in – Website: ichr.ac.in – Tel: 011-23382321, 23386973 |

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| 29 | Indian Council of World Affairs (ICWA) | – The Director General, Indian Council of World Affairs, Sapru House, Barakhamba Road, New Delhi – 110001 – Email: dg@icwa.in – Website: icwa.in – Tel: 011-23371004, 23371014, 23371029 |
| 30 | Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER) | – The Chairman, Board of Governors, IISER, Pune, Dr. Homi Bhabha Road, Pune – 411008 – Email: chairmanbog@iiserpune.ac.in – Website: iiserpune.ac.in – Tel: 020-25908100, 25908101 |
| 31 | Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) | – The Director, Indian Institute of Technology |
| 32 | Indian Statistical Institute (ISI) | – The Director, Indian Statistical Institute, 203, B.T. Road, Kolkata – 700108 – Email: director@isical.ac.in – Website: isical.ac.in – Tel: 033-25752001, 25752002, 25752500 |
| 33 | Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) | – The Director General, Indian Council of Agricultural Research, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi – 110001 – Email: dg.icar@icar.gov.in – Website: icar.org.in – Tel: 011-23382629, 23383370 |
| 34 | Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education (ICFRE) | – The Director General, Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education, P.O. New Forest, Dehradun – 248006, Uttarakhand – Email: dg.icfre@icfre.gov.in – Website: icfre.gov.in – Tel: 0135-2752677 |
| 35 | Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) | – The Chairman, Indian Space Research Organisation, Antariksh Bhavan, New BEL Road, Bangalore – 560231, Karnataka – Email: isro@isro.gov.in – Website: isro.gov.in – Tel: 080-23415275 |
| 36 | Indian Institute of Management (IIM) | – The Director, Indian Institute of Management |
| 37 | National Institute of Fashion Technology (NIFT) | – The Director General, National Institute of Fashion Technology, NIFT Campus, Hauz Khas, Near Gulmohar Park, New Delhi – 110016 – Email: director.general@nift.ac.in – Website: nift.ac.in – Tel: 011-26542000, 26542001, 26542002 |

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| 38 | Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) | – The Member Secretary, Indian Council of Social Science Research, Aruna Asaf Ali Marg, New Delhi – 110067 – Email: icssr@icssr.org – Website: icssr.org – Tel: 011-26741671, 26741672 |
| 39 | Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) | – The Director, Indian Institute of Technology |
| 40 | Indian Institute of Management (IIM) | – The Director, Indian Institute of Management |
| 41 | University Grants Commission (UGC) | – The Chairman, University Grants Commission, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi – 110002 – Email: ugc@ugc.ac.in – Website: ugc.ac.in – Tel: 011-23604446, 23604200, 23604204 |
| 42 | Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) | – The Director General, Indian Council of Medical Research, P.O. Box No. 4911, Ansari Nagar, New Delhi – 110029 – Email: icmrhqds@sansad.nic.in – Website: icmr.nic.in – Tel: 011-26588895, 26588980, 26589794 |
| 43 | Indian Council of Philosophical Research (ICPR) | – The Member Secretary, Indian Council of Philosophical Research, 36 Tughlakabad Institutional Area, M.B. Road, New Delhi – 110062 – Email: icpr@icpr.in – Website: icpr.in – Tel: 011-29901544, 29901545 |
| 44 | Indian Council of Historical Research (ICHR) | – The Member Secretary, Indian Council of Historical Research, 35 Ferozeshah Road, New Delhi – 110001 – Email: icpr@icssr.org – Website: icpr.ac.in – Tel: 011-23382321, 23386973, 23385819 |
| 45 | National Institute of Fashion Technology (NIFT) | – The Director General, National Institute of Fashion Technology, NIFT Campus, Hauz Khas, Near Gulmohar Park, New Delhi – 110016 – Email: director.general@nift.ac.in – Website: nift.ac.in – Tel: 011-26542000, 26542001, 26542002 |
| 46 | Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) | – The Director, Publicity & Public Relations, Antariksh Bhavan, New BEL Road, Bangalore – 560 231 – Email: director@isro.gov.in – Website: isro.gov.in – Tel: 080-22172264, 22172296, 22172261 |
| 47 | Department of Science and Technology (DST) | – Secretary, Department of Science & Technology, Technology Bhavan, New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi – 110016 – Email: dstsec@nic.in – Website: dst.gov.in – Tel: 011-26567373, 26864570, 26864570 |

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| 48 | Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) | – The Member Secretary, Indian Council of Social Science Research, JNU Institutional Area, Aruna Asaf Ali Marg, New Delhi – 110067 – Email: icssr@icssr.org – Website: icssr.org – Tel: 011-26741849, 26741850 |
| 49 | Department of Atomic Energy (DAE) | – Secretary, Department of Atomic Energy, Anushakti Bhavan, C.S.M. Marg, Mumbai – 400001 – Email: secydae@dae.gov.in – Website: dae.nic.in – Tel: 022-22023071, 22024611, 22025611 |
| 50 | Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR) | – Director General, Indian Council for Cultural Relations, Azad Bhavan, I.P. Estate, New Delhi – 110002 – Email: dg.iccr@nic.in – Website: iccr.gov.in – Tel: 011-23379309, 23379310, 23379311 |
| 51 | Indian Council for Medical Research (ICMR) | – Director-General, Indian Council for Medical Research, V. Ramalingaswami Bhawan, Ansari Nagar, Post Box No. 4911, New Delhi – 110029 – Email: icmrhqds@sansad.nic.in – Website: icmr.nic.in – Tel: 011-26588895, 26588980, 26589794 |
| 52 | Indian National Science Academy (INSA) | – Executive Director, Indian National Science Academy, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi – 110002 – Email: insa@insa.nic.in – Website: insaindia.res.in – Tel: 011-23221931, 23221932, 23221934 |
| 53 | Indian Academy of Sciences (IASc) | – Executive Director, Indian Academy of Sciences, C.V. Raman Avenue, Post Box No. 8005, Sadashivanagar, Bangalore – 560080 – Email: executive@ias.ac.in – Website: ias.ac.in – Tel: 080-22662301, 22662303, 22662304 |
| 54 | Indian National Academy of Engineering (INAE) | – Executive Director, Indian National Academy of Engineering, 6th Floor, Unit No. 604-609, SPAZE-I, Tech Park, Tower A, Sohna Road, Sector 49, Gurugram – 122018 – Email: inaehq@inae.in – Website: inae.in – Tel: 0124-4239480 |
| 55 | Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR) | – Director, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, 1, Homi Bhabha Road, Navy Nagar, Colaba, Mumbai – 400005 – Email: director@tifr.res.in – Website: tifr.res.in – Tel: 022-22782000, 22804500, 22804600 |
| 56 | Indian Statistical Institute (ISI) | – Director, Indian Statistical Institute, 203, B.T. Road, Kolkata – 700108 – Email: director@isical.ac.in – Website: isical.ac.in – Tel: 033-25752910, 25752971, 25752500 |
| 57 | Indian Institute of Astrophysics (IIA) | – Director, Indian Institute of Astrophysics, Koramangala, 2nd Block, Sarjapur Road, Bangalore – 560034 – Email: director@iiap.res.in – Website: iiap.res.in – Tel: 080-22541022, 22541023, 22541024 |

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