

Joint NAM S&T Centre-ICCBS Fellowship

Announcement

for 2015-16

The Centre for Science & Technology of the Non-aligned and Other Developing Countries (NAM S&T Centre) and the International Centre for Chemical & Biological Sciences (ICCBS) of the H.E.J. Research Institute of Chemistry and Dr. Panjwani Center for Molecular Medicine and Drug Research, University of Karachi, Pakistan are implementing a Joint NAM S&T Centre-ICCBS Fellowship Scheme to provide opportunities to the scientists and researchers from the developing countries to work in the ICCBS laboratories in the areas of Natural Products Chemistry, Herbal Medicines, Drugs, Pharmaceuticals and Neutraceuticals, Molecular Medicine, Medicinal Chemistry, Computational Chemistry, Structural biology, Nanotechnology, Proteomics and Genomics, Drug Research, Clinical Research etc. in order to enhance their research skills, facilitate exchange of information and contacts and create a network among the scientists and researchers from Pakistan and other developing countries.

The NAM S&T Centre invites applications from the deserving scientists and researchers from its member countries or the members of its NAM S&T–Industry Network [Lists of the member countries and the members of the NAM S&T–Industry Network are available in the Centre’s website www.namstct.org] for award of the above Fellowship for the year 2015-16. The scientists and researchers from those member countries or NAM S&T–Industry Network members, which have outstanding dues towards the annual membership subscription to the Centre are not eligible to apply for this Fellowship.

Under this Joint Fellowship Scheme, the Centre will sponsor up to five scientists during the year for short-term affiliation at ICCBS for a period of up to ~3 months. Only one scientist each from a particular developing country can be selected strictly on a competitive basis and based on the applicant’s academic and professional background, the plan of work and the mutual research interests of the applicant and ICCBS. The ICCBS will provide free furnished accommodation and a monthly subsistence allowance of US\$200 to the selected Fellows for the duration of the Fellowship. The NAM S&T Centre will pay the return international airfare from the home country to Karachi, Pakistan to the selected Fellows.

Applicants from Pakistan are not eligible to apply for this Fellowship.

Copies of the guidelines for the Fellowship and the application form are **attached**. Completed applications recommended by the parent institutions of the applicants may be submitted directly to the NAM S&T Centre. There is no last date for submitting the application and selection will be made in consultation with ICCBS on a first-cum-first basis depending upon the availability of the seats and based on the professional details supplied and the Plan of Work submitted by the applicants.