Indian Academy of Sciences

Academy Initiative in University Science Education
Summer Research Fellowships for Students and Teachers – 2002

The Science Education Panel of the Academy offers several two-month Summer Fellowships to enable students/teachers to work with Fellows of the Academy during 2002. A list of Fellows who are willing to accept students/teachers for work on joint short-term projects is included as a supplement in the November 2001 issue of Resonance – Journal of Science education. This information is also available in the website of the Academy (www.ias.ac.in).

Proposals are invited from interested students and teachers for these Fellowships. The proposal should include a brief resume of the applicant (in the prescribed format), a one page description of the planned activity, the Fellow with whom the applicant would like to work (if possible, please give names of two or three Fellows in order of interest) and the tentative dates of the visit as convenient to the applicant. Student applicants should include a recommendation letter from a teacher familiar with their work, in a sealed envelope.

Students/teachers may take the initiative to contact individual Fellows to explore the possibility of working with them. Depending on the response, they may consult them on the proposed project. Applicants should however please note that the final selections for offer of Fellowships will be made at the Academy, keeping in mind relevant factors including the total number of Fellowships available. Intimation to selected applicants will be sent from the Academy Office. Prior contact with a Fellow does not guarantee selection for offer of a Fellowship.

Completed proposals should reach the Academy Office (The Executive Secretary, Indian Academy of Sciences, C V Raman Avenue, Post Box No. 8005, Sadashivanagar PO, Bangalore 560 080) by 30 January 2002. Information of selection along with concurrence of the Fellow will be despatched by 28 February 2002.

The selected students/teachers will be provided appropriate round trip train fare and an honorarium to meet the boarding and lodging expenses at the place of work.

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