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Indian Academy of Sciences, Bengaluru  
Indian National Science Academy, New Delhi  
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**Focus Area Science Technology  
Summer Fellowship (FAST-SF) – 2019**

With a view to enhance the spread of Science and Technology in the specific regions of the country, the Inter Academy Panel has initiated the Focus Area Science Technology Summer Fellowship (or FAST-SF). The FAST-SF programme is exclusively for students/teachers studying/working in North Eastern States of India, Bihar, Chhattisgarh and Jammu & Kashmir.

Applications are invited from interested students and teachers for these fellowships from universities and colleges affiliated to UGC/AICTE/MCI/Accredited Institutions of State Universities from these states. The application should include: (a) the application form in the prescribed format; (b) scanned copies of marks sheets from class X till the last examination; (c) a write-up (in about 150–250 words) as to what the applicant wants to learn and achieve. Student applicants should provide the e-mail id of one of their teachers or HoD familiar with their work. The Academy will approach them for a recommendation letter in the prescribed format. The selected candidate should work with the assigned guide for two months any time during the calendar year, preferably during the summer.

About 200 fellowships are offered every year to students and teachers working in these states to work with scientists associated with the three Academies (IASc, INSA and NASI) anywhere in the country.

Applications should be submitted online through our websites: [www.ias.ac.in](http://www.ias.ac.in); [www.insaindia.res.in](http://www.insaindia.res.in); [www.nasi.org.in](http://www.nasi.org.in) during September–November.

**The last date for receipt of applications online is 30 November 2018.**

Information regarding selection along with concurrence of the guide will be dispatched around February–March 2019. The selected students/teachers will be provided appropriate round trip train fare and monthly fellowship to meet their living expenses at the place of work. For current year the fellowship amounts are: Students Rs 12,500 per month; Teachers Rs 18,750 per month. For more information contact:

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