



**DEEPIKA PHUKAN ONCOLOGY RESEARCH GRANT AWARD OF DR B BOROOAH
CANCER INSTITUTE**

(Application Form)

Title of the research project:

Name of the applicant:

Names of Guide and Co-Guide:

Email address:

Phone number:

City:

State:

Institution / Affiliation:

1. Structured Synopsis of the Research Project (Not more than 1000 words)

Aims/Objectives

Material and methods

Subject group

Disease

Duration of study

Scope and impact

2. **Write an essay to describe why the research project should be considered for the award? (not more than 300 words)**

Enclosures

- A. Letter of recommendation from Guide, Supervisor, or institutional head in letter head
- B. Copy of certificate of University registration (for PhD applicants)
- C. Copy of approval certificate of ethics committee/IRB
- D. Signed (in all 4 pages) the Rules and Regulations

*Hard Copy by post to (*Deepika Phukan Oncology Research Grant Award* must be mentioned on envelope cover)

The Director,
Dr B Borooah Cancer Institute,
A K Azad Road, Gopinath Nagar
Guwahati 781016 (Assam)

Last Date of Receipt of Hard Copy Application: 15.01.2024 (Monday) till 3PM

**Awards Management may not consider / be responsible/ held liable for application forms which are in incorrect format / without declaration / received late / corrupt etc*

DEEPIKA PHUKAN ONCOLOGY RESEARCH GRANT AWARD OF DR B BOROOAH CANCER INSTITUTE

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. Definitions

Award: Late *Deepika Phukan Oncology Research Grant Award* of Dr B Borooah Cancer Institute will be referred to as the “Award”

Applicant/Nominee: An individual that sends in an application to participate in the Award as per these rules

Award Management: The committee headed by the Director of Dr B Borooah Cancer Institute, Guwahati as its Chairman is responsible for the conduct of the “Award”

Jury: Individuals appointed by Award Management to evaluate the applications

2. Objective of the Awards

To promote cancer research and provide financial support to cancer researchers. A grant of INR *one lakh each year for 3 consecutive years will be awarded to young meritorious and promising scholars for research in the field of cancer. Researchers will be selected every three years for the grant. Submission of utilization certificate is mandatory under the following heads:

Consumables, travel (to workshop and conference), publication, and contingency. Financial disclosure of additional funding is must by the applicant at the time of receiving the award and non-utilized funds shall be refunded (An MoU will be signed in this regard)

* Subject to satisfactory progress of research work

3. Award categories and definitions

The Award and the parameters for evaluation may be changed / modified / split / merged / increased or cancelled by the Award Management and / or Jury from time to time. The decision in this regard will be final and non-contestable. The Award management will not entertain any queries in this regard.

4. Call for application & participation

The call for entries for the Award will be announced on the BBCI website and through local newspaper announcement. The Award Management and / or Jury have the right to reject any application if false/misleading information is found to have been submitted in the nomination process.

5. Eligibility Criteria

The Award is open for citizens of India pursuing PhD in basic or translational cancer research from any UGC recognized University or post-doctoral research or MD/MS in-service researcher in recognized institutions. Preference will be given to applicants with proposals in translational and clinical research. The Award Management holds the right to disqualify any application which does not meet the eligibility criteria without assigning any reason whatsoever.

6. Receipt of entries

Participation in the Award in any manner will be construed as an acceptance to the Rules and Regulations stated herein. An applicant can apply for the Award by submitting the completed nomination/application form in the following manner:

A. In the nomination form, applicants should fill in the following details

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Names of Guide and Co-Guide:

Email address

Phone number:

City

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7. Screening of received nomination/application forms

Award Management will appoint experienced personnel to screen application forms to ensure adherence to the eligibility criteria and rule and regulations.

8. Completeness of entries/disqualification

Entry forms must be filled in English only. Nomination/application forms that are received incomplete in any manner may be disqualified by the Award Management. Applications may be disqualified if they do not follow any of the rules & regulations stated here-in. Disqualification of entries received is at the sole discretion of Award Management, on a case by case basis.

9. Application Information

If at any time, any information provided by any applicant/nominee is found to be false/misleading/incorrect in any manner, then the applicant/nominee will not be permitted to continue participation in the Award. The Award Management has the right to ask for proof of information provided. If such a request is made and the applicant/nominee does not comply, the applicant/nominee could be disqualified from participation at the Award.

10. Determination of Winner

The Final Score will be 100. Five-member jury with one subject expert will provide maximum (max) 80 marks and max 20 marks will be from Award Management. Of max 80 marks of the jury, subject expert will provide max 40 marks and rest max 40 marks by the four jury members. In absence of subject expert, the meeting shall stand cancelled. In the absence of one or more (non-subject expert) jury member, the marks will be redistributed among jury members present during the meeting. The jury may also decide, in order to adhere to the standards of the award that there could be no winner.

11. General

Applicants/nominees understand and agree that merely by applying for the Award does not entitle the applicant/nominee to any other form of consideration. Decision of Award Management on all matters is final and binding on all applicants/nominees and no correspondence will be entertained on the same. Annual report (SAT) must be presented at the end of year's receipt of award for next year's fund to be released. In case of unsatisfactory performance, the award may be withdrawn midway and there will be fresh call for applications.

12. Acknowledgement

Awardee shall acknowledge the funding support as *Deepika Phukan Oncology Research Grant Award* of Dr B Borooah Cancer Institute in the thesis/dissertation and in scientific research publications where findings of the research are published.

13. Rules

The Award Management reserves the right to withdraw or amend the terms of the Award at any time, and does not take the responsibility for any loss or damage that any person / organization / Applicant / Nominee may suffer as a result of the Award being withdrawn or its terms amended. The filing of the nomination form by the nominees/applicants would signify their acceptance of these Rules and Regulations.

14. Jury Members

The award management shall select jury and frame rules for the jury from time to time

15. Amendment or rules

This shall be decided by the Award Management in its meeting