

"DR. VIRENDRA B. MAHESH AWARD"

1. There shall be ONE one-time award called "Dr. Virendra B. Mahesh Award" for a value of Rs.25,000/- p.a. to be awarded once every year for a period of three years to a student in the field of Organic Chemistry, payable out of the interest accruing from the endowment of US \$ 14,000, donated to the University of Delhi, by Dr.V.B. Mahesh, Department of Physiology and Endocrinology, Medical College of Georgia, 1120 15th Street, Augusta, Georgia-30912.
2. The award shall be made to a student holding at least a First Class M. Sc. for study towards a Ph.D. Degree.
3. The value of the award shall carry a lump-sum amount of Rs.25,000/- p.a.
4. The Selection for the award shall be made by the Department of Chemistry through open advertisement and by holding an Entrance Examination for the purpose. The first 10 candidates on the merit list shall be called for interview before a Committee consisting of the following :
 - (i) Dean, Faculty of Science (Chairman)
 - (ii) Head, Department of Chemistry
 - (iii) One Senior Professor in Organic Chemistry of the Department.
 - (iv) Two experts to be nominated by the V.C., one of whom should not be connected with the University.
5. The awardee shall be required to submit quarterly reports through the Supervisor and the Head of the Department, including the progress of work.
6. The evaluation of the work done by the awardee shall be made by the Dean, Faculty of Science, Head of the Department of Chemistry and the Supervisor.
7. The awardee shall be entitled for leave for a maximum period of thirty days per year. in addition to general holidays, but shall not be entitled to vacations e.g.summer, winter and Pooja. The women awardees would be eligible for the Maternity Leave for a period not exceeding three months, once during the tenure of the award.
8. ✓ The awardee shall not accept or hold any appointment, paid or otherwise, or receive any emoluments, salary, stipend etc. from any other source during the tenure of the award. The scholar with the consent of the Guide/Head of the Department, may assist the University/Institution in its teaching programme, if called upon to do so, including tutorials, evaluation of test paper, laboratory demonstration work, seminar, symposia etc. provided that such work undertaken by him/her is not likely to hamper his/her research programmes on hand.
9. If a scholar wishes to relinquish the award during the tenure it should be done with the prior approval of the University. He/She should also obtain prior permission of the University for appearing in any examination conducted by any University or Public body.
10. The award may be terminated at any time without assigning any reason, on the recommendations of the three member Committee viz. Dean of the Faculty, Head of the Department and the Supervisor.