



## National Awards for Science and Technology Communication for the year 2007

**Rashtriya Vigyan Evam Prodyogiki Sanchar Parishad** instituted national awards to stimulate, encourage and recognize outstanding efforts in the area of science popularization and communication. There are Six Awards in this field.

1. **SAURASHTRA EDUCATION FOUNDATION, RAJKOT AND DR. DINESH MISHRA'S, RAIPUR** Efforts Have Been Recognized For Special National Award For Commendable Efforts In Science & Technology Communication. (Without Cash)

The award consists of a certificate of appreciation and a memento.

2. **National Award for Outstanding Effort in Science & Technology Communication through Books and Magazines** This award is presented to an individual or an institution for outstanding efforts in popularization of science & technology and/or promoting scientific temper through books, magazines, Internet, etc, during the past five years. The award comprises Rs.1,00,000/= (Rupees One Lakh), a memento and a citation.

This Year Honor Has Been Awarded To **Shri Kali Shanker, Lucknow And Ms. Sreemathi Hariprasad, Karnataka**

3. **National Award for Outstanding Effort in Science & Technology Popularization among Children:** This award is presented to an individual or an institution for outstanding work in popularization of science & technology and/or promotion of scientific temper among children which has had the widest impact in the country during the past five years. The award consists of Rs.1,00,000/- (Rupees One Lakh), a memento and a citation.

This Year The Honour Goes To: **Dr. Ransing Nirmalendu Ray, Bhubaneswar And Shri Neerad, Patna**

4. **National Award for Outstanding Effort in Translation of Popular Science & Technology Literature:** This award is presented to an individual journalist or an institution for outstanding work in translating popular science and technology literature in and from regional languages during the past five years. The award consists of Rs.1,00,000/- (Rupees One Lakh), a memento and a citation.

**Note: (CAT-IV) - No candidate was found suitable**

5. **National Awards for Outstanding Effort in Science and Technology Communication in the Print Medium** : This award is presented to an individual correspondent or an institution for outstanding efforts in communication of science & technology and/or promotion of scientific temper through print media during the past five years. The award comprises Rs.1,00,000/= (Rs. One Lakh), a memento and a citation.

This year the honour goes to: **DISCOVERY(SCIENCE MAGAZINE) and REEMA NARENDRAN, Thiruvananthpuram**

6. **National Award for Outstanding Effort in Science and Technology Communication in Electronic Medium**: This award is presented to an individual correspondent or an institution for outstanding efforts in communication of science & technology and/or promotion of scientific temper through radio and/or television media during the period under consideration. The award comprises Rs.1,00,000/= (Rs. One Lakh), a memento and a citation.

This year the honour goes to: **Smt. Sumangala S Mummigatti, Bangalore And Dr. Jagdeep Saxena, New Delhi**