

SHANTI SWARUP BHATNAGAR AWARDS 2012

Eleven scientist were selected for 2012 Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar Prize for science and technology on the occasion of CSIR Foundation Day celebration here today at Vigyan Bhawan. Their names discipline-wise are as under:

Biological Sciences

1. Dr Shantanu Chowdhury (CSIR Institute of Genomics and Integrative Biology (CSIR IGIB), Delhi)
2. Dr Suman Kumar Dhar (Special Centre for Molecular Medicine Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi)

Chemical Sciences

1. Dr Govindasamy Mugesh (Department of Inorganic & Physical Chemistry Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore)
2. Dr Gangadhar J Sanjayan (Division of Organic Chemistry CSIR National Chemical Laboratory (CSIR NCL) Pashan Road, Pune)

Earth, Atmosphere, Ocean & Planetary Sciences

1. No Award

Engineering Sciences

1. Dr Ravishankar Narayanan (Materials Research Centre Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore)
2. Dr Y Shanthi Pavan (Dept of Electrical Engg Indian Institute of Technology Madras, Chennai)

Mathematical Sciences

1. Dr Siva Ramachandran Athreya (Theoretical Statistics and Mathematics Division Indian Statistical Institute 8th Mile Mysore Road, Bangalore)
2. Dr Debashish Goswami (Stat-Math Unit Indian Statistical Institute 203, B T Road, Kolkata)

Medical Sciences

1. Dr Sandip Basu (Radiation Medicine Centre Bhabha Atomic Research Centre Tata Memorial Center Annexe, Mumbai)

Physical Sciences

1. Dr Arindam Ghosh (Department of Physics Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore)

2. Dr Krishnendu Sengupta (Department of Theoretical Physics Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science 2A & 2B Raja S C Mullick Road Jadavpur, Kolkatta)

The Bhatnagar Prizes are given to scientists below 45 years of age, for their outstanding scientific contributions made primarily in India during the last 5 years preceding the year of the Prize. The SSB Prize comprises a citation, a plaque and a cash award of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees five lakh only), and are given to the recipients by the Prime Minister of India.