

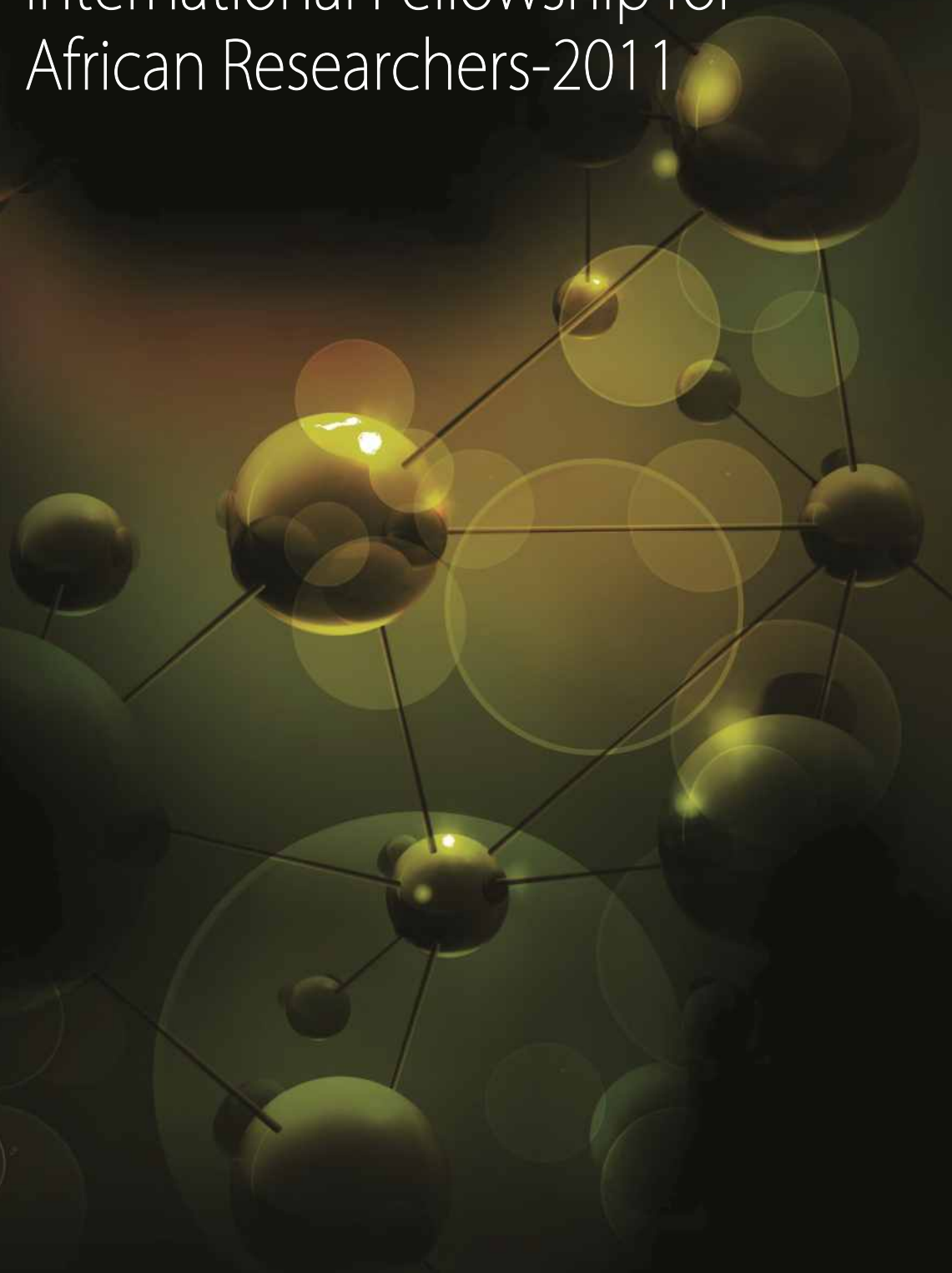



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Ministry of Science and Technology
Government of India



C V Raman International Fellowship for African Researchers-2011





Sir C V Raman (1888 - 1970)

*Notable Indian Nobel Laureate for
Physics, known for discovery of "Raman Effect"*

C V RAMAN INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIP FOR AFRICAN RESEARCHERS FOR RESEARCH IN INDIA-2011

The Fellowship provides opportunities for African researchers to conduct collaborative research / training for 1 to 12 months duration at universities and research institutions in India.

FEATURES

- Supporting upto one year of research work in India in area of science & technology
- Monthly sustenance allowances
- Additional contingency grant
- To and fro air fare by economy class
- Total of 8 fellowships per country

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 31st July 2011

TYPES AND NUMBER OF FELLOWSHIPS OFFERED :

Each African country will have 8 slots of Fellowship under this programme.

- (a) Post Doctoral Fellowship: Duration 6 months. Maximum 2 fellowships of 6 months duration each or one fellowship thereof subject to total 12 man-months.
- (b) Visiting Fellowship: Duration 3 months. Maximum 3 fellowships.
- (c) Senior Fellowship: Duration 1 month. Maximum 3 fellowships.

ELIGIBILITY :

The applicant should be actively engaged in research at a university or research institution in the African country and should meet the following eligibility criteria for each of the three categories:

- (a) Post Doctoral Fellowship: Ph.D
- (b) Visiting Fellowship: Ph.D / M.Tech / M.Sc. (Engg / Technical) or 6 to 10 years working experience
- (c) Senior Fellowship: Senior Experts / Scientists / Professors

VALUE OF AWARD :

- (a) Sustenance Allowance :
 - (i) Post Doctoral Fellowship : ₹ 40,000/- per month including accommodation.
 - (ii) Visiting Fellowship : ₹ 50,000/- per month including accommodation.
 - (iii) Senior Fellowship : ₹ 50,000/- per month + accommodation (accommodation in host institute's guest house with reasonable facilities / hotel with a cap of ₹ 2500 per day).
 - (b) Contingency : ₹ 10,000/- to ₹ 20,000/-
 - (c) Air Fare : A round trip air ticket by economy class
- (Approximate conversion rate US \$ 1 = ₹ 45)

HOW TO APPLY:

Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI) is the Coordinating Partner for C V Raman International Fellowship Programme. Application of the candidates should be sent to FICCI through Indian Missions in their respective countries.

The application should reach FICCI before 31st July 2011.



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ABOUT DST

The Department of Science and Technology, Government of India is mandated to strengthen "Research and Development" base of the country through organizing, coordinating and promoting Scientific & Technological activities. It is the main public policy support body for Science & Technology. The Department is also the major agency in the country for promotion of basic sciences with a share of nearly 50% of Extra Mural funding of research projects. The Department plays a critical role in the technology development programmes relating to key sectors as well as in the development of International Cooperation in Science and Technology. The Department is promoting international collaborative R & D in various areas of Science & Technology through bilateral collaborative programmes with about 80 countries as well as through multilateral arrangements.

Popularization of science, relating science to society, promotion of entrepreneurship, National Resources data management and generation of databases and initiatives targeting empowerment of women through applications of Science and Technology form important areas of focus for planned interventions by the Department. The Department has been collaborating with many other socio-economic ministries in the Government and Science and Technology Councils of various State Governments.

The Department has been supporting an array of autonomous institutions engaged in basic research, technology forecasting, laboratory accreditation etc.

ABOUT FICCI

Established in 1927, FICCI is the largest and oldest apex business organisation in India. Its history is closely interwoven with India's struggle for independence and its subsequent emergence as one of the most rapidly growing economies globally. FICCI plays a leading role in policy debates that are at the forefront of social, economic and political change. Through its 400 professionals, FICCI is active in 44 sectors of the economy. FICCI's stand on policy issues is sought out by think tanks, governments and academia. Its publications are widely read for their in-depth research and policy prescriptions. FICCI has joint business councils with 75 countries around the world.

A non-government, not-for-profit organisation, FICCI is the voice of India's business and industry. FICCI has direct membership from the private as well as public sectors, including SMEs and MNCs, and an indirect membership of over 2,50,000 companies from regional chambers of commerce.

FICCI works closely with the government on policy issues, enhancing efficiency, competitiveness and expanding business opportunities for industry through a range of specialised services and global linkages. It also provides a platform for sector specific consensus building and networking. Partnerships with countries across the world carry forward our initiatives in inclusive development, which encompass health, education, livelihood, governance, skill development, etc. FICCI serves as the first port of call for Indian industry and the international business community.

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