

INDIAN SOCIETY OF TOBACCO SCIENCE

Tobacco Board Award for Outstanding Contribution to Tobacco sector

Eligibility:

- The award is open to all researchers/development and extension personnel/ trade officials/policy makers, who have worked/ are working, in India in the field of tobacco sector.
- Applicant should be a life member of ISTS and having significant contributions in research/extension/development/trade and industry in tobacco sector during last 5 years.
- Applicants must be actively involved.
- The recipients of the award are not eligible to re-apply.
- The minimum age for the applicant should be above 40 years.

Score card

	Details	Score
A	Academic Excellence	10
	<p>Distribution of marks for each of the academic achievements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ≥ 70 and $< 80\%$ marks or 7 to 8 OGPA on the scale of 10 or 3.5 to 4.0 OGPA on the scale of 5 or 2.8 to 3.2 OGPA on the scale of 4 or equivalent at Graduate, Masters, Ph. D degrees. (1.0 mark each)• ≥ 80 to $< 90\%$ marks or > 8 to 9 OGPA on the scale of 10 or > 4.0 to 4.5 OGPA on the scale of 5 or > 3.2 to 3.6 OGPA on the scale of 4 equivalent at Graduate, Masters, Ph. D degrees. (2.0 marks each)• $> 90\%$ marks or > 9 OGPA on the scale of 10 or > 4.5 on the scale of 5 or > 3.6 on the scale of 4.0 or equivalent at Graduate, Masters, Ph. D degrees. (3.0 marks each)• Diploma/ Degree in Management and Trade (1.0 mark each) <p>*Aggregate score for attributes covered under item A is limited to 10 marks only.</p>	

<p>B</p>	<p>Contributions in the field of research / extension /development /industry & trade/ policy and regulation</p> <p>I. Research</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of varieties/ technologies/ products/ concepts/ process/ methods/ applications/ patents/copy rights and commercialization • Training organized/ customized outreach programmes organized/lectures delivered • Exposure and training visits (National and International) attended. • Any other relevant information pertaining to the research in tobacco <p style="text-align: right;">(Maximum 25 Marks)</p> <p>II. Extension</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extension and developmental schemes • Transfer of technology • Co-ordinating activities between stakeholders • Significant contributions towards supply of critical crop inputs • Training organized/ customized outreach programmes organized/ field level functionaries training programmes conducted. • Exposure and training visits • Grower welfare initiatives • Any other relevant information pertaining to the Extension in tobacco <p style="text-align: right;">(Maximum 25 Marks)</p> <p>III. Industry & Trade: Contributions in -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of New products • Price support operations • Export promotion activities & Product export • Market facilitation – e marketing • Environment, health, safety and community services • Any other relevant information pertaining to the industry & trade aspects <p style="text-align: right;">(Maximum 25 Marks)</p> <p>IV. Policy & Development, Regulation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New policy decisions/ initiatives in production, development, marketing and exports • Sustainability policies adopted • CSR policy initiatives • Regulatory mechanisms developed and adopted • Any other relevant information pertaining to the policy & development, regulation of tobacco <p style="text-align: right;">(Maximum 25 Marks)</p> <p>*Aggregate score of selected any 2 categories (I - IV) covered under item B is limited to 50 marks</p>	<p>50</p>
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C	<p>Awards/Recognitions/Honours</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 marks each for Awards received from national/international institutes/academies/organizations Govt. departments (Maximum 3 marks) • 1 mark each for Awards recognized university/ professional scientific society/ state Government/ private organizations in tobacco industry (Maximum 3 marks) • 1 mark for each recognition as Chairman/Member-Secretary of Scientific / Management Committees. Member of Task Force and other Policy Making Bodies/Committees of National/State/ Private organizations in tobacco industry. • 1 mark for each member of official delegations within the country and abroad pertaining to tobacco Research/ Development. • 1 mark for recognition as Chairman/Member of IMC, RAC, Chairman, Fellows of recognized academy or society. • 1 mark for each fellow/associate-ship of recognized National Science Academies <p>*Aggregate score for all attributes covered under item C is limited to 15 marks only</p>	15
D	<p>Contribution to the growth and development of ISTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two mark for each completed term as president, vice-president, secretary, editor and treasurer. One mark for member executive committee/ organizing secretary/ members of organizing committee of national or international seminar/symposium. 	10
E	<p>Contributions in the leadership positions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chairman/ Director/ Executive Director/ Secretary/ Chief Scientists of Govt. and Private organizations of Tobacco Research/ Development (2 Marks for each completed year) • Heads of divisions and research stations/college principal/AICRP's Co-ordinator/Managers /auction superintendent/field officer of tobacco industry and development. (1 Mark for each completed year) <p>*Aggregate score for all attributes covered under item E is limited to 15 marks only</p>	15
	Total	100