

## SATISH BHATNAGAR AWARD

Satish Bhatnagar Award has been instituted by the Indian Mathematical Society (IMS) for the best research paper in the area of **History of Mathematics in India**. A corpus fund of Rs 3.0 lakh (with initial instalment of Rs 2.0 lakh on October 5, 2016 and later augmented to the present amount) was made available to the IMS by Prof. Satish Bhatnagar, Department of Mathematical Sciences, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, NV 89154 - 4020, USA. It carries a citation and a cash prize of **Rs. 10000/- (Rupees ten thousand only)\***. The call inviting applications for the award will be made every year. Nominations will also be considered for this Award.

### **Terms and Conditions:**

- a. The submitted paper should be on *History of Mathematics in India focussing on a person/ problems/ region/system of education/ government*.
- b. The paper should have been published either online or in print in an internationally reputed journal during the previous year to the year of Annual Conference in which the award is to be conferred e.g., for the award to be given in the Annual Conference of the year 2020, the papers published in 2019 will be considered.
- c. The paper should be under the authorship of at most two authors and both of them should be **above** the age of 35 years as on 31<sup>st</sup> December of the year of the award. In the case of joint authorship of the awarded paper, the prize amount will be equally divided between the two authors.
- d. The author(s) **need not** be Indian citizen(s) and must have a Ph D degree in any subject.
- e. The author(s) can submit only one publication for this award and the paper should not have been submitted for any other IMS award.
- f. The awardee (the younger one in case of joint authorship) will be invited to deliver a lecture or for a poster presentation based on the awarded paper in the Annual Conference of the IMS in which the award is to be conferred and s/he will be reimbursed TA to the extent of AC – 2 Tier return train fare from her/his place of residence in India to the venue of the Conference. No International Travel will be supported. The awardee will be provided free local hospitality during the period of conference by the host institute.

### **Modus Operandi:**

- a. The General Secretary will invite applications for the Satish Bhatnagar Award and the applications should reach him/her by June 30 of the year in which the award is to be conferred.
- b. The papers from all the contestants will be judged by three experts who will be named by the General Secretary in consultation with the Academic Secretary and the Editors-in-Chief of JIMS and MS.
- c. If there is no suitable quality paper in a particular year then the award may not be given in that year.
- d. The decision of the IMS shall be final and shall not be challenged in any court of law.

\* The IMS Council reserves the right to alter the prize amount as and when it is required.