

Guidelines for Selection of Candidate for IPGA Fellowship Award

The guidelines for the fellowship award of IPGA are as follows. Eligibility Criteria The applicant should possess a minimum basic degree in pharmacy i.e. B.Pharm from a recognized university / institution in India and be a life member of IPGA for at least last 15 years. He should have high integrity and reputation as a professional which would be evidenced by his achievements and contributions made by having been actively associated with IPGA as an office bearer of Central / State Branches for at least two terms. Nomination procedure: Any person fulfilling the above criteria should be nominated by a life member of IPGA and the same should be seconded by at least two Life members of the IPGA. Nominations for IPGA Fellowship Award can be invited by publishing a notice for the award in IPGA Today and/or other pharmaceutical journals. Scrutiny of nominations Scrutiny of nominations will be done by the IPGA fellowship award committee of the IPGA to verify the information furnished by the applicants on the basis of record available in the office of IPGA. Consideration by the Committee A five member Committee may be constituted with one member as the chairman and may be named as IPGA Fellowship Award Committee. While constituting committee, apart from chairman, one eminent member each from the following fields may be taken: • Pharmaceutical Education • Regulatory Affairs • Pharmaceutical Industry • Hospital , Community & Clinical Pharmacy (Pharmacy Practice) Fellowship Award Committee The nominations with correct information should be considered by the committee and the Committee should give recommendations for the award of Fellowship to the nominated persons as it deem fit. The nominations with incorrect information should be rejected summarily. The committee should forward their recommendations to the Executive Committee of IPGA which should take final decision in the matter Privileges of FIPGA Awardee Awardee will be entitled to attend the professional conferences/seminars organized by the federating associations of IPCA in India on behalf of the association and will be entitled to reimburse delegation fee and travelling expenses as per policy of the association for the one year in which the award is granted. The fellowship award will be given at the annual conference of the IPGA. Every year two (2) fellowship awards will be instituted by IPGA. Scroll of Honour and Certificate The awardee will be presented with a scroll of honour which will highlight the achievements of the recipient that empowered him to get this award. F- IPGA (Fellow of IPGA) will be entitled to attend the conference/seminar organized by IPGA on behalf of the association for the whole life. All the members unanimously approved the above guidelines and it has been decided that the same may be published in coming issue of IPGA TODAY for calling the nomination of the IPGA fellowship award.

IPGA AWARDS

Guidelines for IPGA AWARDS - Call for Nominations

The Indian Pharmacy Graduates' Association established in 1973, recognizes the contribution made by a person through his/her life in the field of Pharmacy profession by conferring the prestigious IPGA AWARDS. This award will be given during the 28th Annual Conference of Indian Pharmacy Graduates' Association on Saturday 23rd February 2013

at The Cambay Grand, S.G. Road, Thaltej, Ahmedabad. Last date of receiving the nomination is 15th January 2013 at our IPGA Office address : F-2, A-Block, D.D.A. Shopping Complex, Meera Bagh, New Delhi-110087

1. IPGA Life Time Achievement Award

Eligibility Criteria

Prospective candidate should

- Be graduate in pharmacy
- Be Life member of IPGA, at least, for 10 years
- Have made significant contribution in his field (pharmacy)
- Be 60 years or more of age

Guidelines for award

- Nominations for the award may be invited by publishing in the IPGA Today (News Letter), Pharmaceutical journals and putting the call for nomination on the website of IPGA highlighting the eligibility criteria
- In case, no nominations are received, the EC can select a person whose contributions are known in the Pharmaceutical field
- All the nominations received in the office of IPGA should be forwarded to the Screening Committee for Awards after verifying that the candidate is LM of the association for the last 10 years
- If there are more than one nominations, the Screening Committee for Awards shall have regard to:
 - Publication of contributions
 - Other awards and /or recognition of the work
 - Participation in the national / Inter-national events in the field of pharmacy
 - Authorship of book(s)
 - Contributions made to IPGA

Screening Committee for Awards, after selection of the deserving candidate, will forward the name to the President of the Association who will get it ratified by the EC. Requirement of LM for 10 years may be waived in exceptional cases where the contribution is of national or international importance or has been recognized nationally or internationally.

2. IPGA Professional Excellence Award

Eligibility Criteria

Prospective candidate should

- Be graduate in pharmacy
- Be Life member of IPGA, at least, for 05 years
- Have made significant contribution in his field (pharmacy)
- Be 40 years or more of age

Guidelines for award

- Nominations for the award may be invited by publishing in the IPGA Today (News Letter), Pharmaceutical Journals and putting the call on the website of IPGA highlighting the eligibility criteria
- All the nominations received in the office of IPGA should be forwarded to the Screening Committee for Awards after verifying that the candidate is LM of the association for the last 05 years
- If there are more than one nominations, the Screening Committee for Awards shall have regard to:
 - Publication of contributions
 - Other awards and /or recognition of the work
 - Participation in the national / Inter-national events in the field of pharmacy
 - Authorship of book(s)
 - Contributions made to IPGA

This award will be given in four major fields of pharmacy i.e. (i) pharmacy education, (ii) industrial pharmacy, (iii) regulatory, and (iv) pharmacy practice. In one year, only one award will be given from any of the fields. Usually, the efforts shall be made to give award on rotation basis, so that all the four fields of pharmacy are covered during four years.

Screening Committee for Awards, after selection of deserving candidate, will forward the name to the President of the Association who will get the name ratified by the EC of the Association.

3. IPGA Promising Pharmacist Award

Eligibility Criteria

Prospective candidate should

- Be graduate in pharmacy
- Be Life member of IPGA, at least, for 05 years
- Have excelled in his field of work
- Be Less than 40 years of age

Guidelines for award

- Nominations the award may be invited by publishing in the IPGA Today (News Letter), pharmaceutical journals and putting the call on the website of IPGA highlighting the eligibility criteria
- All the nominations received in the office of IPGA should be forwarded to the Screening Committee for Awards after verifying that the candidate is LM of the association for the last 05 years
- If there are more than one nominations, the Screening Committee for Awards shall have regard to:
 - Publication of contributions
 - Other awards and /or recognition of the work
 - Participation in the national / Inter-national events in the field of pharmacy
 - Contributions made to IPGA

This award will also be given in four major fields of pharmacy i.e. (i) pharmacy education, (ii) industrial pharmacy, (iii) regulatory, (iv) pharmacy practice. In one year, only one award will be given from any of the fields. Usually, the efforts shall be made to give award on rotation basis, so that all the four fields of pharmacy are covered during four years.

Screening Committee for Awards, after selection of deserving candidate, will forward the name(s) to the President of the Association who will get the name(s) ratified by the EC of the Association.

Nomination procedure

Any person fulfilling the above criteria should be nominated by a life member of IPGA and the same should be seconded by at least two Life members of the IPGA. Nominations for IPGA Fellowship Award can be invited by publishing a notice for the award in IPGA Today and/or other pharmaceutical journals.

Scrutiny of nominations

Scrutiny of nominations will be done by the IPGA fellowship award committee of the IPGA to verify the information furnished by the applicants on the basis of record available in the office of IPGA.

Consideration by the Committee

A five member Committee may be constituted with one member as the chairman and may be named as IPGA Fellowship Award Committee. While constituting committee, apart from chairman, one eminent member each from the following fields may be taken:

- Pharmaceutical Education
- Regulatory Affairs
- Pharmaceutical Industry
- Hospital, Community & Clinical Pharm-acy (Pharmacy Practice)

Award Committee

The nominations with correct information should be considered by the committee and the Committee should give recom-mendations for the award of Fellowship to the nominated persons as it may deem fit. The nominations with incorrect information should be rejected summarily. The committee should forward their recommendations to the Executive Committee of IPGA which should take final decision in the matter

Privileges of IPGA Awardee

Awardee will be entitled to attend the professional conferences/seminars organized by the federating associations of IPGA in India on behalf of the association and will be entitled to reimburse delegation fee and travelling expenses as per policy of the association for the one year in which the award is granted. The fellowship award will be given at the annual conference of the IPGA.

Scroll of Honour and Certificate

The awardee will be presented with a scroll of honour which will highlight the achievements of the recipient that empowered him to get this award. FIPGA, will be entitled to attend the conference/ seminar organized by IPGA on behalf of the association for the whole life.

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General Guidelines:

- (i) The current members Screening Committee for Awards of the Association will not be eligible for awards during their term. Screening Committee for Awards shall have members one each from four afore said fields besides one chairman.
- (ii) The Committee shall prepare an assessment document laying down parameters for evaluation in line with above mentioned guidelines.
- (iii) The assessment/evaluation performed by the Screening Committee for Awards shall be final and shall not be challenged in any court of law.