

SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING RESEARCH BOARD

Call for Nominations for “National Science Chair (NSC)”

SERB announces a newly approved scheme National Science Chair (NSC) for providing opportunities for the scientists and academicians having an outstanding track record. These Chairs are to serve as a benchmark for stature, value and eminence in research in S&T.

The aim of the scheme is to recognise active eminent senior resident Indian scientists for their outstanding contributions both nationally and internationally in the area of Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics (STEM) and Medicine, to promote excellence and growth in R&D. The primary objective is to support those senior scientists (> 65years) who continue to perform at highest level irrespective of age/area of research and wish to pursue the research activities. The scheme is being implemented in two modes:

Mode 1- “Science Excellence”

Mode 2- “Science Leadership”

This call is to invite nominations for the award of **National Science Chair**. For the eligibility, grant and other terms of conditions of nomination, you may refer to the SERB website <http://www.serb.gov.in/nsc.php>

Date of Opening: 31 August 2019

Date of Closing: 30 September 2019

The following documents are required for successfully submission of a nomination:-

- a) A letter of nomination by nominator
- b) Application Pro Forma ([Format](#)) with updated Curriculum vitae/Resume
- c) Research Proposal with brief Introduction, Objective, Methodology, Budget and expected outcome (Not more than 05 pages) (*For Mode-1 nominations only*)
- d) Endorsement Letter / Forwarding letter by the head of the Host Institute ([Format](#))
- e) Certificate from the Nominee ([Format](#))
- f) RTGS Details ([Format](#))

The soft copy of the nominations along with listed documents above may be sent through email to ns-chair@serb.gov.in. The hard copy of the same must be sent to the following mentioned address:

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