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The International Programme for Higher Education and Research (IPHER) provides over 280 fellowships annually tenable in developing countries such as Brazil, China, India, Malaysia, Mexico and Pakistan for scientists from developing countries. Fellowships, for various lengths of time, are available for postgraduate, postdoctoral and advanced research. Brief details of each programme are provided below.

For additional information, including eligibility criteria and application forms, please visit: www.twas.org under the 'Programmes' tab.

Fellowships for Postgraduate Training

TWAS-CNPq Fellowships for Postgraduate Research in Brazil

The National Council for Scientific and Technological Development (CNPq) and TWAS offer fellowships for scientists from developing countries (other than Brazil) who wish to pursue all or part (SANDWICH or FULL-TIME) of their research leading towards a PhD in the natural sciences.

Duration: up to 4 years

Deadline for applications: 13 August 2010

Age limit: 35

TWAS-CAS Fellowships for Postgraduate Research in China

The Chinese Academy of Sciences (CAS) and TWAS offer fellowships for students from developing countries (other than China) who wish to undertake the final year of their PhD research in the natural sciences.

Duration: 1 year

Deadline for applications: 31 August each year

Age limit: 35

TWAS-CSIR Fellowships for Postgraduate Studies in India

The Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) and TWAS offer fellowships for scientists from developing countries (other than India) who wish to obtain a PhD in newly emerging areas in science and technology. SANDWICH and FULL-TIME fellowships available.

Duration: up to 4 years

Deadline for applications: 1 June each year

Age limit: 35

TWAS-DBT Biotechnology Fellowships for Postgraduate Studies in India

The Department of Biotechnology, Government of India (DBT) and TWAS offer fellowships for scientists from developing countries (other than India) who wish to obtain a PhD in biotechnology. SANDWICH and FULL-TIME fellowships available.

Duration: up to 5 years

Deadline for applications: 31 August each year

Age limit: 30

TWAS- S.N. Bose Fellowships for Postgraduate Studies in India

The S.N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences (S.N. Bose) and TWAS offer fellowships for scientists from developing countries (other than India) who wish to obtain a PhD in the physical sciences. SANDWICH and FULL-TIME fellowships available.

Duration: up to 4-5 years

Deadline for applications: 31 August each year

Age limit: 35

TWAS-IACS Fellowships for Postgraduate Research in India

The Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS) and TWAS offer fellowships for scientists from developing countries (other than India) who wish to obtain a PhD in a field of natural sciences.

Duration: up to 4 years

Deadline for applications: 30 June each year

Age limit: 30

TWAS-USM Fellowships for Postgraduate Research in Malaysia

The Universiti Sains Malaysia (USM) and TWAS offer fellowships for scientists from developing countries (other than Malaysia) who wish to obtain a PhD in the natural sciences.

Duration: up to 3 years.

Deadline for applications: 15 September each year

Age limit: 35

NEW! TWAS-CONACYT Fellowships for Postgraduate Research in Mexico

The National Council on Science and Technology (CONACYT) and TWAS offer fellowships for scientists from developing countries (other than Mexico) who wish to obtain a PhD in the natural sciences.



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Duration: up to 4 years

Deadline for applications: 1 July each year

Age limit: 30

TWAS-CEMB Fellowships for Postgraduate Research in Pakistan

The Centre of Excellence in Molecular Biology (CEMB) and TWAS offer fellowships for scientists from developing countries (other than Pakistan) who wish to obtain a PhD in molecular biology and molecular genetics. SANDWICH and FULL-TIME fellowships available.

Duration: up to 4 years

Deadline for applications: 30 June each year

Age limit: 35

TWAS-ICCBS Fellowships for Postgraduate Research in Pakistan

The International Center for Chemical and Biological Sciences (ICCBS) and TWAS offer fellowships for scientists from developing countries (other than Pakistan) who wish to obtain a PhD in chemical or biological sciences. SANDWICH and FULL-TIME fellowships available.

Duration: up to 4 years

Deadline for applications: 30 June each year

Age limit: 35

Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research

TWAS-CNPq Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research in Brazil

CNPq and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than Brazil) who wish to pursue postdoctoral research in natural sciences.

Duration: 6 to 12 months

Deadline for applications: 13 August 2010

Age limit: 45

TWAS-CAS Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research in China

CAS and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than China) who wish to pursue postdoctoral research in natural sciences.

Duration: 6 to 12 months

Deadline for applications: 31 August each year

Age limit: 40

TWAS-CSIR Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research in India

CSIR and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than India) who wish to pursue postdoctoral research in newly emerging areas in science and technology.

Duration: 6 to 12 months

Deadline for applications: 1 June each year

Age limit: 45

TWAS-DBT Biotechnology Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research in India

DBT and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than India) who wish to pursue postdoctoral research in biotechnology.

Duration: 12 to 18 months

Deadline for applications: 31 August each year

Age limit: 40

NEW! TWAS-S.N. Bose Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research in India

S.N. Bose and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than India) who wish to pursue postdoctoral research in the physical sciences.

Duration: 6 to 12 months

Deadline for applications: 31 August each year

Age limit: 45

TWAS-IACS Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research in India

IACS and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than India) who wish to pursue postdoctoral research in the natural sciences.

Duration: 6 to 12 months

Deadline for applications: 30 June each year

Age limit: 40

TWAS-USM Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research in Malaysia

USM and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than Malaysia) who wish to pursue postdoctoral research in the natural sciences.

Duration: 1 to 3 years

Deadline for applications: 15 September each year

No age limit, but application must be made within 5 years (or less) of obtaining PhD.



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NEW! TWAS-CONACYT Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research in Mexico

The National Council on Science and Technology (CONACYT) and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than Mexico) who wish to pursue postdoctoral research in the natural sciences.

Duration: 6 to 12 months

Deadline for applications: 1 July each year

Age limit: 40

TWAS-CEMB Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research in Pakistan

CEMB and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than Pakistan) who wish to pursue postdoctoral research in molecular biology and molecular genetics.

Duration: 6 to 12 months

Deadline for applications: 30 June each year

Age limit: 45

TWAS-ICCBS Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research in Pakistan

ICCBS and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than Pakistan) who wish to pursue postdoctoral research in chemical or biological sciences.

Duration: 6 to 12 months

Deadline for applications: 30 June each year

Age limit: 45

NEW! TWAS-BIOTEC Fellowships for Postdoctoral Research in Thailand

BIOTEC and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than Thailand) who wish to pursue postdoctoral research in biotechnology.

Duration: 12 to 24 months

Deadline for applications: 15 September each year

No age limit, but application must be made within 5 years (or less) of obtaining PhD.

Fellowships for Advanced Research

TWAS Fellowships for Research and Advanced Training

TWAS provides travel support for scientists from developing countries to carry out research at a research institution in a developing country (other than the home country).

Duration: 3-12 months

Deadline for applications: 1 October each year

No age limit

TWAS-CAS Fellowships for Visiting Scholars in China

CAS and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than China) who wish to pursue advanced research in the natural sciences.

Duration: 1-3 months

Deadline for applications: 31 August each year

Age limit: 55

NEW! TWAS-USM Fellowships for Visiting Researchers in Malaysia

USM and TWAS offer fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than Malaysia) who wish to pursue advanced research in the natural sciences.

Duration: 1-3 months

Deadline for applications: 15 September each year

Age limit: 55

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