

## **Information for SRFP applicants**

**About SRFP (See [www.ias.ac.in](http://www.ias.ac.in)):** Science Academies' Summer Research Fellowship Summer Fellowships are awarded to bright students and motivated teachers to work with scientists associated with the three Academies on research-oriented projects. Approximately 400 such fellowships to students and 100 fellowships to teachers are offered every year with travel and living expenses paid. Announcements inviting applications appear in Resonance and Current Science around November–December, and the selected applicants, notified by February–March, can avail the fellowships for two months during the summer. Since inception, about 1030 students and 270 teachers have availed these fellowships. From 2007, the two other national academies in the country — Indian National Science Academy (New Delhi) and National Academy of Sciences (Allahabad) — joined this programme.

### **Application Procedure:**

For eligibility, application procedure etc, visit the website of IAS, INSA or NASI ([www.ias.ac.in](http://www.ias.ac.in); [www.insaindia.res.in](http://www.insaindia.res.in) and [www.nasi.org.in](http://www.nasi.org.in)).

For information regarding the Science Academies' Summer Research Fellowship Programme for 2018, please visit

<http://web-japps.ias.ac.in:8080/fellowship2018/>

### **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### **Arrival/Joining at NIBMG**

Once you are officially notified of your selection for SRFP, you may contact the Co-ordinator, Short Term Training of NIBMG at [training@nibmg.ac.in](mailto:training@nibmg.ac.in) if you have any queries.

**Plan to arrive on a working weekday.** There may be difficulties in obtaining hostel rooms or joining on holidays and weekends.

When you arrive at NIBMG, please bring the following documents:

1) Relevant documents for activating your fellowship.

Relevant documents showing

2) Marks obtained in last semester of M.Sc or equivalent

3) Marks obtained in B.Sc. Exam or equivalent.

4) A proof of date of birth

5) Two passport size photographs.

Note that if you are in an integrated BS-MS course, you may submit document showing your latest and/or cumulative marks so far.

Reaching: We are located quite close to the “Kalyani Main” or “Kalyani Junction” railway station.

There is information on ‘how to reach NIBMG’ on our website:

<http://www.nibmg.ac.in/?q=content/reachnibmg>

### **Accommodation**

Accommodation is provided at the NIBMG hostel (subject to availability) at the rate of INR 2500 per month (not including food). However, trainees are free to arrange accommodation on their own if they prefer.

### **What about living expenses such as food?**

Trainees have to bear their own accommodation and living expenses. NIBMG does not pay any stipend/TA/DA to trainees. There is a canteen on campus where food is served on a paid basis.