

IIM AWARDS

14 Name of the Medal: IIM- Distinguished Contributor Award

14.1 Year Established:

The IIM Distinguished Contributor Award is established in 2017.

14.1.1 Periodicity:

Maximum two awards will be made each year.

14.1.2 In the absence of a suitable candidate in the year under consideration, the Council may not give the award that year.

14.1.3 The award will not necessarily be made every year, but will depend on an outstanding Lifetime contribution to metallurgical profession coming to the notice of the Council.

14.1.4 Posthumous Selection:

The award shall not include posthumous selection.

14.2 Description of the Award :

Cash Prize of INR 50,000/- (Rupees Fifty thousand Only) and a Scroll of Honor, with citation inscribed describing the field of contribution and the year of award.

14.2.1 Purpose of the Award:

To honour outstanding contribution to the metallurgical profession & to The Indian Institute of Metals, and to create an incentive by the recognition of such contribution. The IIM Distinguished Contributor Award is designed to honor individuals who has made outstanding contributions or given exemplary support to The Indian Institute of Metals in all possible endeavours.

The award shall be given to a nominee who meets the following criteria:

1. The nominee has supported an area of the general operation of the Institute, in either a personal or professional capacity that has contributed to the overall growth and expansion of the Institute's mission.
2. The nominee has contributed to the Institute in a way which has enhanced a program, the operation and/or future development of the Institute, which went beyond the ordinary and such results would probably not have achieved without the nominee's special efforts.
3. The nominee is recognized by the metallurgical fraternity in his/her own fields of accomplishments.

14.3 Eligibility :

14.3.1 Contributions & Achievements :

Persons of eminence, working in any field connected with metallurgy, shall be eligible for the Medal. The award is limited to **Indian citizens** only.

14.3.2 IIM Membership : Preferably Member.

Singular / Joint Award : Singular.

14.3.3 Age: Open.

14.3.4 Qualifications: Preferred : Bachelor's degree in Metallurgy / Engineering / Materials Science or equivalent, or any degree relevant to Metallurgy / Materials Science profession.

14.4 Nominations: Singular

14.4.1 Candidates for the award will be nominated by the Apex/IIM Awards Committee.

14.5 Presentation :

14.5.1 The IIM Distinguished Contributor Award, accompanied with a scroll of Honor, will be presented to the recipient during the IIM Awards Ceremony of the Indian Institute of Metals.

14.6 Selection Committee Guidelines:

14.6.1 The IIM Awards Committee as approved by the Council shall meet to consider the nominations received and make its recommendations to the National Council.