

IIM AWARDS

12. Name of the Award: **IIM- MECON AWARD**

12.1 Year Established:

The MECON Award was established from 1984 by Metallurgical & Engineering Consultants (India) Limited to commemorate its Silver Jubilee Celebrations.

12.1.1 Periodicity:

Only one award will be made in odd years.

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

12.1.3 Posthumous Selection:

The award shall not include posthumous selection.

12.1.4 Description of the Award :

A Cash Prize of Rs 5,000/- accompanied with a scroll of Honor.

12.2 Purpose of the Award:

12.2.1 The Award is to be made every odd year to recognize an **individual** who has made outstanding work in the development of process, engineering/equipment and system design, introduced new process engineering / equipment and system design in India, carried out effective modification / improvement to existing process engineering / equipment and system design for the improved operation, working environment, etc. during the last 5 years.

12.3 Eligibility :

12.3.1 Contributions & Achievements :

12.3.2 Persons of eminence are eligible for this award.

12.3.3 To recognize candidates for outstanding work in the development of process, engineering/equipment and system design, Introduced new process engineering / equipment and system design in India, carried out effective modification / improvement to existing process engineering.

12.3.4 IIM Membership : Mandatory

12.3.5 Singular / Joint Award : Singular

12.3.6 **Age:** Maximum 50 years.

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

12.3.8 The award is limited to **Indian citizens** only.

12.4 Nominations:

12.4.1 Candidates for the award will be nominated by the Honorary Members, Council Members, Chapters, Patron Members, Donor Members, Sustaining Members, Government, Institutions and Technical Institutes.

12.4.2 The nominations are invited in the prescribed format by the 'Secretary General' of the Institute.

12.5 Presentation :

12.5.1 The MECON Award accompanied with a scroll of Honor will be formally presented to the recipient during the Annual Technical Meeting of The Indian Institute of Metals.

12.6 Selection Committee Guidelines:

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

12.6.2 The Council of The Indian Institute of Metals will be the sole authority to decide the recipient from the recommendations submitted by the Awards Committee.