

## IIM AWARDS

### **4. Name of the Medal: IIM-TATA GOLD MEDAL**

#### **4.1 Year Established:**

The Tata Gold Medal was established in 1980.

#### **4.1.1 Periodicity:**

Only one award will be made each year.

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

#### **4.1.3 Posthumous Selection:**

The award shall not include posthumous selection.

#### **4.1.4 Description of the Medal :**

Gold Medal accompanied with a scroll of Honor. On one side of the medal will be inscribed the Institute's crest with the words "Tata Gold Medal" on the periphery of the circular medal, whereas the other side will contain the name of the recipient, field of contribution and the year of award.

#### **4.2 Purpose of the Award:**

4.2.1 To honour a distinguished personality actively connected with the metallurgical industries or shall have helped substantially to advance the arts and science relating to the metallurgical industries or metallurgical science.

#### **4.3 Eligibility:**

#### **4.3.1 Contributions & Achievements:**

4.3.2 Persons of eminence are eligible for this award.

4.3.3 Candidates should be distinguished executives responsible for making far reaching decisions and should have contributed significantly to the development in their specialized fields in metallurgy in the country.

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

#### **4.3.5 IIM Membership : Not Mandatory.**

4.3.6 Singular / Joint Award : Singular.

4.3.7 **Age:** Open.

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

#### **4.4 Nominations: Singular**

4.4.1 Candidates for the award will be nominated by the Honorary Members, Council Members, Chapters, Patron Members, Donor Members and Sustaining Members.

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

#### **4.5 Presentation :**

4.5.1 The Tata Gold Medal, accompanied with a scroll of Honor, will be presented to the recipient during the Annual Technical Meeting of the Indian Institute of Metals.

#### **4.6 Selection Committee Guidelines:**

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

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