

**Guidelines for selection of awardee for
Dr. S R Chandrasekhar Travel fellowship**

Background & Scope: This award was instituted by Dr. SR Chandrasekhar Institute of Speech and Hearing, Bangalore in 2014, and is given to facilitate travel of an eminent scholar in the field of Speech, Language and or Hearing to participate in the Annual Conference of the Indian Speech and Hearing Association. The award will be presented at the ISHA Conference. It is obligatory on the part of the awardee to visit Dr S R Chandrasekhar Institute of Speech and Hearing, Bangalore for a day or two. The Institute will provide boarding lodging travel and program schedule, in consultation with the awardee.

The awardee shall be an honoured guest of the organizing committee of the conference. The awardee shall share his/her expertise and research experience for 60 minutes on a topic of their interest. The awardee shall be suitably involved on other days of the conference in consultation with him/her.

The awardee shall send an abstract of the his/her area of research work presented and will be published in the souvenir and full text of the paper presented will be published in Journal of Indian Speech and Hearing Association (JISHA).

Eligibility Criteria:

1. A speech and hearing or allied health/related professional
 - who has worked in the field of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology for 15 or more years in or outside India.
 - who has significantly contributed to research, manpower development, clinical services, public service, material development and production, and public education in the area of speech and hearing, and
 - who has maintained high ethical standards throughout his/her professional career will be eligible to be considered for this award
 - or an individual for his/her life time achievement in the area of speech and hearing.

Search Committee: A committee of FIVE members as below:

President of ISHA, Secretary of ISHA, Chairperson CESE of ISHA, One Representative from Dr. SR Chandrashekar Institute of Speech and Hearing and One Representative from the organizing committee

The awardee will preferably be shortlisted on a rotation in fields of Audiology, Speech Language Pathology/ Speech Language Science, Educationist/Policy maker in the field of Speech and Hearing

Final approval will be by EC of ISHA