API - Award Session

API Announcement

Award Sessions

1. Dr. DP Basu Young Award in Cardiology.
2. E Merck Award.
3. Dr. JN Berry Memorial Award and
4. Dr. MJ Shah Memorial Award in Tropical Medicine

There will be four award sessions at the 2008 Annual Conference of API at Kochi. The rules and regulations of these awards are as under.

1. Papers that are accepted for presentation in the Award Session at the Annual Conference will be divided subject-wise into four groups.

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DP Basu Young Award
E Merck Award
JN Berry Memorial Award
MJ Shah Memorial Award

The Award of Dr. JN Berry Memorial Award and E Merck Award are given in alternate years in Group II and III papers. At the 2008 Annual Conference at Kochi, Dr. JN Berry Memorial Award will be for "Other Specialities" and E Merck Award for "Chest Diseases". Dr. DP Basu Young Award will be for "Cardiology" and Dr. MJ Shah Memorial Award for "Tropical Medicine".

2. The competitor must be the first author of the paper submitted for presentation at the API sessions of the Annual Conference. A testimonial must be submitted from the head of the institution that the major work has been done by the competitor. Papers which are previously presented or published will not be considered. The competitor should also give a written pledge stating that the work has not been presented or published before. He should be a member of API.

3. Dr. JN Berry Memorial and DP Basu Young Awards are worth Rs. 1000/- each. E Merck Award Rs. 2000/- and Dr. MJ Shah Memorial Award is worth Rs. 2500/-

4. The upper age limit of the competitor is 40 years.

5. The decision will be taken by a panel of judges appointed by the Governing Body of API.

6. The candidate must apply for the award and full manuscript of the paper will have to be submitted. The paper will be presented in separate award session.

7. Eight copies of full manuscript will have to be submitted to Dr. SK Bichile, President - Elect and Chairman Scientific Committee, APICON 2008, "107, Modi Chambers, 1st Floor, French Bridge Corner, Opp. Opera House, Mumbai 400 004; e-mail : skbichile@vsnl.net, medicaloncology@mtnl.net.in; mobile : 09324556411 by 31st July, 2007. One copy of the paper should be sent to Dr. Sandhya Kamath, Hon. General Secretary of API Unit No. 6 and 7, Turf Estate, Opp. Shakti Mill Compound, Off. Dr. E Moses Road, Near Mahalaxmi Station West, Mumbai 400 011. Tel. 022-6666 3224, 2491 2218; Fax : 2492 0263.

8. The decision of the panel of judges will be final and binding to all concerned.

Prestigious Awards of API

2. Distinguished Member (2007)

Suggestions should be accompanied with 8 copies of brief bio-data of the suggested name, so as to reach the API office not later than 31st July 2007

Dr. Sandhya Kamath
Hon. General Secretary