



SOCIETY FOR ETHNOPHARMACOLOGY

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AWARDS OF THE SOCIETY FOR ETHNOPHARMACOLOGY, INDIA-2026

Society for Ethnopharmacology, India (SFE) would like to recognize the Outstanding contributions made by the researchers, scientists and technologists in the area of medicinal plant research and Ethnopharmacology.

Nominations are invited for the following Awards of the Society for Ethnopharmacology, India; which will be conferred during the inaugural program of the 13th International Congress of the Society for Ethnopharmacology (SFEC 2026), organized at National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research (NIPER), Mohali, India during February 26-28, 2026.

Last Date for nomination is January 15, 2026.

General terms for nomination:

- There shall be only one awardee every year/ unless in any exceptional case.
- Soft copies of the application/ Nomination in the prescribed form should be sent to: sfeindian@gmail.com; sfeindiase@gmail.com. Please mention "NOMINATION FOR AWARD" in the subject of the email addressing The President, Society for Ethnopharmacology, 23/3 Saktigarh, Jadavpur, Kolkata 700032, India".
- A Regular member/Local Chapter of the SFE should nominate the candidate. The Head of the University/Institute or the Managing Director of any Industry should make nomination.
- Submission of partially filled nomination form are subjected to cancellation.
- Decision of the Panel of jury constituted by SFE shall be final. No further representation will be entertained.
- Selection may not be confined to the nominated members only. All rights related to Award committee will be reserved with core committee.

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**1. SFE Lifetime Achievement Award
“Sibeswar Saha Memorial Award”**

For significant contribution for promotion and development of ethnopharmacology and medicinal plants.

The award carries:

- A Memento
- A Citation
- Complementary registration and accommodation for the SFE Congress
- Speaker of a session in the annual Congress of SFE
- Economy class airfare to join the SFE Congress

**2. SFE Outstanding National Ethnopharmacologist Award
“Harihar Mukherjee Memorial Award”**

To recognize the researcher who has made significant research contribution in the field of ethnopharmacology.

The award carries:

- A memento
- A citation
- Complementary registration and accommodation for the SFE Congress
- Speaker of a session in the Annual Congress of SFE
- Economy class airfare to join the SFE Congress

**3. SFE Outstanding International Ethnopharmacologist Award
“Dr. Pranab Banerjee Memorial Award”**

To recognize the researcher who has made significant research contribution in the field of ethnopharmacology.

The award carries:

- A memento
- A citation
- Complementary registration and accommodation for the SFE Congress
- Speaker of a session in the annual Congress of SFE
- Economy class airfare to join the SFE Congress

**4. SFE – ZANDU Award
“Best Research on Plant Drugs” - Instituted by Emami Ltd., Kolkata**

To recognize the researcher/ scientist who has made significant research contribution on plant drugs.

The award carries:

- A memento
- A citation
- Complementary registration and accommodation for the SFE Congress



- Speaker of a session in the annual Congress of SFE
- Economy class airfare to join the SFE Congress

6. SFE-Special Recognition Award

“Dr. Subodh Chandra and Mamata Mukherjee Memorial Award”

To recognize outstanding contribution for promotion and development of Society for Ethnopharmacology.

The award carries:

- A memento
- A citation
- Speaker of a session in the Congress of SFE to deliver the oration.
- Complementary registration, accommodation and Local hospitality to join the SFE Congress

7. SFE - Outstanding Local Chapter Award

To recognize the contribution of individual local chapter of SFE-India for the promotion and development of the society

The award carries:

- A memento
- A citation
- Complementary Registration and accommodation for the SFE-Congress



**8. SFE- Young Ethnopharmacologist Award
“Prof. PK Debnath Memorial Award”**

To recognize the young scientist/ researchers, who registered for the congress and their paper has been accepted for oral presentation in the field of Ethnopharmacology and Medicinal Plants. This award will be conferred to the best Oral presentations by young researchers made during the annual Congress of SFE, India. Panel of juries will select the best oral presentation during the Congress.

The award carries:

- A memento
- A certificate
- Complementary registration to join the SFE Congress
- Three tier (3AC) train ticket to join the SFE Congress

**9. SFE - Best Poster Presentation Award
“Mrs. Sibylle U Saha Award”**

To recognize the young scientist/ researchers, who registered for the congress and their paper has been accepted for poster presentation in the field of Ethnopharmacology and Medicinal Plants Research. The award recognizes three best poster presenters during the annual Congress of SFE-India.

The award carries:

- A memento
- A certificate
- Complementary registration to join the SFE Congress
- Three tier (3AC) train ticket to join the SFE Congress

For further details please contact:

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ANNUAL AWARDS OF THE SOCIETY FOR ETHNOPHARMACOLOGY, INDIA

Nominations are invited for the SFE Annual Award. This Award will be conferred during the inaugural program of the 13th International Congress of the Society for Ethnopharmacology, India (SFEC 2026), at National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research (NIPER), Mohali, India during February 26-28, 2026.

General terms for nomination:

- There shall be only one awardee every year/ unless in any exceptional case.
- Three copies of the application in the prescribed form should be submitted to the following address “Secretary, Society for Ethnopharmacology, 23/3 Saktigarh, Jadavpur, Kolkata 700032, India”.
- Soft copy of the nomination should be sent to: sfeindian@gmail.com; sfeindiase@gmail.com . Please mention “NOMINATION FOR AWARD” in the subject of the email. Last Date for nomination is January 15, 2026
- The candidate should be nominated by a Regular member/Coordinator of SFE. Nomination may also be made by the Head of the University/Institute or the Managing Director of any Industry.
- Decision of the Panel of jury constituted by SFE shall be final. No further representation will be entertained.
- Selection may not be confined to the nominated members only.

General terms and conditions:

- *Please fill the form using Microsoft word document software.*
- *All the fields are mandatory; Please add additional papers if required.*
- *Hand written and partially filled forms will be rejected.*
- *This form along with the cover letter from nominator, critical assessment report of the nominator on the contributions of the nominee should reach to President, Society for Ethnopharmacology, 23/3 Saktigarh, Jadavpur, Kolkata 700032, India*
- *If any information is found incorrect at a later date the award would be returned to SFE.*



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A. PROFORMA FOR NOMINATION OF THE AWARD

SFE Lifetime Achievement Award

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“Harihar Mukherjee Memorial Award”

SFE – ZANDU Award -“Best Research on Plant Drugs”

Instituted by Emami Ltd., Kolkata

SFE- Special Recognition Award

“Dr. Subodh Chandra and Mamata Mukherjee Memorial Award”

NOMINATION FORM

1. Name of the Award (in bold block letters):
2. Name of the Nominator, affiliation and full contact details:
(with email and phone/mobile number)
3. Name of the nominee (in block letters):
4. Address:
(i) Institute address with Phone, Fax and Email
(ii) Residential address with Phone, Fax and Email
5. Date of birth (DD/MM/YY), Sex (Male/ Female) and Age (Years and Months):
6. Membership number of the SFE, Kolkata, India:
7. Date of joining the Institution/University/Organization:
8. Academic qualification:
(Complete the below format starting from bachelor to the highest degree, please mention the fellowship details and name of the funding agency for the PhD project)

Photograph
of the
Nominee

Sl No.	Degree	Major Subject/ Thesis title for PhD /Post doc. Project	Institution/ University/ Funding agency and name of the fellowship for PhD /Post doc. Project	Year of Passing and duration	Class or division
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9. Field of Specialization:
10. Professional positions held till date in chronological order (*If any*):
11. Suggested citation (50 words highlighting the nominee's specialization and achievements):
12. Awards received (*if any*):
13. Membership of Registered/ Professional Bodies/ Societies:
14. Highlights of important contributions of the nominee in the field of promotion and development of Ethnopharmacology and medicinal plants (*within 300 words*):
15. Details of publications:
(Please add the complete list of publications as Annexure 1)
 - a) Number of research paper in indexed journal
 - b) Number of books/ book chapters
 - c) Cumulative impact factor of all publications:
 - d) Number of citations:
 - e) H-index of all publications:

Value	Source

16. Ten best publications of nominee in journals in following format (*add reprints Annexure II*)

Sl No.	Authors and name of the journal	Title of the article	Year, Volume (Issue), Page, Publisher	Impact factor and citation

17. Books/ book chapters of the nominee in following format:

Sl No.	Authors	Title of the Chapter/Book (<i>Mention the name of editor in case of chapter</i>)	Publisher and ISBN number



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18. Patents (if any):

19. Research projects handled as PI (also mention the sponsoring body):

20. Innovations in teaching/ administration/research:

21. Critical assessment report on the contributions of the nominee for this award (500 words with seal and signature of the nominator - as Annexure III)

Full Signature of the Nominee

Date:

Place & Date:

Proposer

Place & Date:

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Full Signature of the Nominator with seal

Enclosures:

- Bio data of the nominee
- Cover letter from nominator
- Critical assessment report from the nominator in his official letter head to justify the contributions of the nominee including his academic/ research credential and why he is fit to receive the award
- Matriculation/ attested Birth certificate and Degree certificates
- Appointment letter by management/ University/ Government
- Passport size colour photographs



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B. PROFORMA FOR SFE – OUTSTANDING LOCAL CHAPTER AWARD

SFE – Outstanding Local Chapter Award

APPLICATION FORM

1. Name of the Local Chapter :

1A. Address :

E-mail id:
Contact No.:

2. Name of the Coordinator :

2A. Official Address with Phone
No.; Fax & E-mail

Phone No.
Fax:
E-mail:

3. Year of formation of the Local Chapter :

5. Other Members involved in the local chapter (Name, Address & affiliation of the member) :

6. Activity of the Local Chapter last preceding year (Please give detail of the Seminar/Workshop/Symposium/Conference organized by the Local Chapter with photographs should be attached as an annexure):

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7. Membership Strength (in details)

Total Active member:

Category No

Regular Membership

:

Category No

Student Membership

:

8. Any other information

:

9. Please provide your experience on :
SFE-India and its local chapter

9A. Your suggestion for further :
improvement of the local chapter
activity (if any)

I hereby declare that the above information given in this form is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date:

Place:

Signature of the Applicant