



MICROBIOLOGISTS SOCIETY, INDIA

MBSI Ph.D FELLOWSHIP 2025-26

Second Announcement Date: 11.07.2025

The “MBSI Fellowship for Ph.D of Microbiologists Society, India aims to provide opportunity, recognition & assistance in carrying out Doctoral Research under Microbiology & Biotechnology to all Ph.D candidates who have completed their Doctoral research and also to those presently pursuing Ph.D research in India.

Objective: The main objective is to inspire and encourage & recognize Ph.D candidates all over the country and to engage them in knowledge dissemination by providing financial support.

Target Group: This fellowship is divided into two categories:

Category -1

Fellowship for Ph.D Awarded Candidates

All scholars who have completed their Ph.D in Microbiology or Biotechnology from the Academic 2023 onwards till the last date of application for this fellowship(**20.08.2025**).

Category-2

Fellowship for Ph.D Pursuing Candidates

All scholars currently enrolled from 2022 onwards in a full-time Ph.D Program in Microbiology or Biotechnology from a recognized University and have completed the course work till the last date of application for this fellowship(**20.08.2025**).

Eligibility:

- a. Must be an Indian Citizen
- b. **Educational Qualification:** Candidates pursuing Ph.D in Microbiology or Biotechnology with Post Graduate degree in Microbiology/Biotechnology or equivalent degree, such as M.Tech are eligible for MBSI Ph.D Fellowship, and candidates who have completed their doctoral degree in 2023 onwards till the last date of application for this fellowship(**20.08.2025**).

- c. **Age:** Minimum age to apply is 25 years to 35 years (**on 20.08.2025: as on the last date of application**).
- d. **Who can apply:** All employed and unemployed candidates can apply.
- e. Past recipients of MBSI Ph.D Fellowship are not eligible to apply.

Financial Support: This program provides fellowship to the candidate @ Rs 5000/- (one time in Ph.D Tenure), a certificate of Recognition and Memento.

Call for Applications: Please check the website (<https://microbiosociety.com/>) for opening date (**15.7.2025**). **Pls note Online portal link will not work before this date.**

Last Date for Application: 20.08.2025 up to 5 pm strictly.

Where to submit application: Ph.D candidates may submit their applications on the online portal from 15.7.2025 on the online portal of the website (<https://microbiosociety.com/>).

Application Process

Eligible candidates are required to submit the following documents:

1. **Neatly typed application** by the applicant on A4 size in PDF format. (Template will be available on the opening date on the website 15.07.2025).
2. **Academic certificate** of the highest degree awarded (PG) (Both for Category 1 & 2)
3. **Updated CV** with research publications (Both for Category 1 & 2)
4. **Brief summary** of the research work (Both for Category 1 & 2)
5. **Ph.D. registration letter** from the concerned University (Both For Category 1 & 2)
6. **Ph.D Degree certificate** (For Category -1 Ph.D Awarded)
7. **No Objection Certificate** from Affiliated University/Host institution/Department in which Research work is carried out. (Template will be available on the opening date on the website 15.07.2025).
8. **Consent letter** from the Ph.D Supervisor (Template will be available on the opening date on the website 15.07.2025). (<https://microbiosociety.com/>).
9. **Selection Process:** A preliminary screening of applications received in both categories 1 & 2 within the date deadline will be carried out by an expert committee. This will be followed by a Research presentation and Interview ([Details will be officially corresponded to the applicants via gmail.](#))

How to apply: The format (link) for inviting applications <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdimLermMaR05cpW4ngYg-hTOHHUteOcomZ9hJjn1OVbXOs3w/viewform?usp=header>

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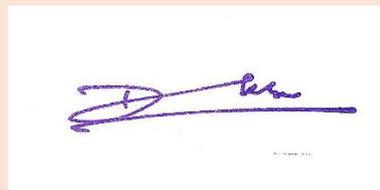
Note

- Please read carefully the detailed information in the flyer.
- The applicants will be given some time to keep their application ready with all mandate documents mentioned above. **The date of release of second announcement for this scheme is scheduled prior to the opening date of applying on the online portal.**
- Incomplete applications will be rejected and no correspondence will be entertained in such cases.
- All applications should be supported with all mandate documents mentioned above.
- Final selection of the fellowship recipients will be communicated through the website of MBSI(<https://microbiosociety.com/>) and Gmail of MBSI after the completion of evaluation process.
- Applicants should respond immediately to any official email sent to them from MBSI in context to their application or for any other information as desired. Delay or Failure to respond will show your callous behaviour and inefficiency to prove your merit for this prestigious fellowship and may lead to disqualification.
- Kindly provide correct details such as Contact no, Office address, Residential address, Postal address, working email Id etc.
- All documents should be **strictly in PDF format**. Scan all documents and check thoroughly before uploading on the portal.

For any queries, applicants should email at (mbsifellowshipd1@gmail.com).



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