

MEDICAL AWARDS 2019



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Policy Document for the Venus International Medical Awards

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Policy Document Governing Venus International Medical Awards

1. PREAMBLE

The Venus International Medical Awards (VIMA) scheme was instituted in the year 2017 by the Center for Health and Medical Sciences (CHMS) of Venus International Foundation (VIF), are presented yearly during the Annual Medical Summit (AMS) that is conducted during April month of the year. The scheme has a Criteria, Standards, Policy, Application Form, Expert Committee and Judging Process etc that are governed by the Board of Trust.

Vision : To Celebrate Medical Minds Of World

Mission : To Recognize Extraordinary Medical Professionals Who Are Committed To Extensive Research Expertise And Services

Objectives : To Honour The Individuals Who Have Demonstrated Excellence In Healthcare Through Service

2. VENUS INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL AWARDS (VIMA)

The Award is a Certificate and Memento. It's a Non-financial Award. The Venus International Medical Awards – VIMA (is a part of the Annual Medical Summit - AMS) 'Acknowledges and Celebrates the Role of Extraordinary Medical Professionals who are committed to Extensive Research Expertise and Services'. It is convened by the CHMS of VIF & conducted in accordance with the VIF BOARD MEETING resolutions.

2.1 The VIMA 2019 (F. No. MA19/ANL02/AAP-III): It is convened by the CHMS of VIF & will be conducted in accordance with the VIF BOARD MEETING resolution vide F. No. VIF/MIN/BM-V/2018 held on August 27, 2018 at VIF Head Quarters.

2.2 General Eligibility:

The award is applicable to clinicians (with a licence to practise) of any nationality in the age group of 29 - 75 years. The nominee must have completed a recognized post graduate degree M.D. (Doctor of Medicine) / M.S. (Master of Surgery) or its equivalent.

2.3 Issues affecting the eligibility:

The clinicians are eligible for awards providing there are no adverse outcomes (all findings by the medical council due to 'misconduct', 'deficient professional performance' or criminal conviction or caution and formal warnings) and disciplinary action by the Employer or the Medical Council.

3. DISCIPLINES AND AWARD CATEGORIES

The VIMA 2019 invites nominations vide F. No. VIF/CFN/MA/2019 opened on October 1, 2018 from eligible individuals those are in an active clinical practice at Teaching Hospitals and/or Clinical Establishments.

3. 1 Specialties and Category

| Clause | Specialty | Category | Code |
|--------|--|-----------------------|--------|
| | MEDICAL SPECIALTIES | Award for Excellence | MS - E |
| | | Outstanding Clinician | MS - O |
| | | Young Clinician | MS - Y |
| 3.1.1 | Subspecialty: Anaesthesiology - Aviation Medicine - Community Medicine - Dermatology, Venerology and Leprosy - Family Medicine - General Medicine - Geriatrics - Immuno Haematology and Blood Transfusion - Nuclear Medicine - Paediatrics - Pathology - Physiology - Physical Medicine Rehabilitation - Psychiatry - Pulmonology - Radio-diagnosis - Radio-therapy - Rheumatology - Sports Medicine - Tropical Medicine - Tuberculosis & Respiratory Medicine or Pulmonary Medicine | | |

| Clause | Specialty | Category | Code |
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| 3.1.2 | SURGICAL SPECIALTIES | Award for Excellence | SS - E |
| | | Outstanding Clinician | SS - O |
| | | Young Clinician | SS - Y |
| | Subspecialty: General Surgery - Obstetrics & Gynaecology - Ophthalmology - Orthopedics - Otorhinolaryngology | | |
| 3.1.3 | MEDICAL SUPER SPECIALTIES | Award for Excellence | MSS - E |
| | | Outstanding Clinician | MSS - O |
| | | Young Clinician | MSS - Y |
| | Subspecialty: Cardiology - Clinical Haematology - Clinical Pharmacology - Endocrinology - Immunology - Medical Gastroenterology - Medical Genetics - Medical Oncology - Neonatology - Nephrology - Neurology - Neuro-radiology | | |
| 3.1.4 | SURGICAL SUPER SPECIALTIES | Award for Excellence | SSS - E |
| | | Outstanding Clinician | SSS - O |
| | | Young Clinician | SSS - Y |
| | Subspecialty: Cardiovascular thoracic Surgery - Endocrine Surgery - Gynaecological Oncology - Neuro-Surgery - Paediatrics Surgery - Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery - Surgical Gastroenterology - Surgical Oncology - Vascular Surgery - Urology | | |

3. 2 Eligibility Criteria

3.2.1 Award for Excellence

This award is established in 2018 and has been conferred for a remarkable medical professional who demonstrated a track record of exceptional clinical practice / professional/ research excellence, selfless dedication and sustained high standards of commitment, both technical and clinical aspects of service that are reflected by the distinct innovations and initiatives in the patient care and wellbeing.

Criteria: The nominee must be well-known nationally or internationally for exceptional clinical knowledge and expertise and has track record of sharing his/her expertise with other health care professionals as documented by presentations and/or authorship of articles/papers/ reference materials. He/ She have also made a contribution to professional leadership, policy making and planning in clinical establishments. A medical professional can nominate an 'Eligible Individual' (or Self Nominate) for the VIMA 2019. The nominee must be above 44 years of age and at least have 20 years of service as on January 30, 2019.

3.2.2 Outstanding Clinician

This award is established in 2018 and has been conferred for a for a medical professional who demonstrated a track record of outstanding contributions to clinical work that advances the safety and quality of patient care, and in addition has supported and facilitated research.

Criteria: The nominee must have successfully introduced novel or effective treatment methods resulting in high standard of quality healthcare delivery and are recognized by their peers as being master clinicians. A medical professional can nominate an 'Eligible Individual' (or Self Nominate) for the VIMA 2019. The nominee must be above 34 years of age and at least have 10 years of service as on January 30, 2019.

3.2.3 Young Clinician

This award is established in 2018 and has been conferred for a for a medical professional who demonstrated a track record of delivering patient services which are safe, have measurably effective clinical outcomes and provide a good experience for patients.

Criteria: The nominee must have significantly improved quality of care and the clinical effectiveness of their service and demonstrates progress towards the achievement of a vision of the hospital which will ultimately lead to better patient or community health care outcomes. A medical professional can nominate an 'Eligible Individual' (or Self Nominate) for the VIMA 2019. The nominee must be above 29 years of age and at least 5 years of service as on January 30, 2019.

4. SUBMISSION AND SELECTION PROCEDURE

4.1 Submission:

Following are the list of documents to be submitted for nomination

- 4.1.1 The filled application form in a PDF/.Doc/.Docx format
- 4.1.2 Duly completed curriculum vitae (of any format /pages) in a PDF format
- 4.1.3 Passport size photograph (JPEG/PNG format)
- 4.1.4. Copy of degree certificates (UG and PG) in a PDF/JPEG/PNG format
- 4.1.5. Copy of registration certificate (s)/ license (s) in a PDF/JPEG/PNG format
- 4.1.6. Copy of the work place ID (PDF/JPEG/PNG format)

The nomination documents must be submitted electronically to: vima2019@venusinfo.org
(Or) directorvifindia@gmail.com

- Nomination Application form can be accessed at: <http://venusinfo.org/medical.html>
- *Note: The VIMA 2019 no longer requires a hardcopy of the application*

4.2 Process:

This section describes the total VIMA 2019 processes in steps.

- Step - 1: Received Nomination documents will be sent for screening process
- Step - 2: Acknowledgement intimation via email will be communicated to the Nominee
- Step - 3: VIMA team may ask the proof for the credits mentioned in the CV. (Optional)
- Step - 4: Cross verifying the documents submitted & forwarding it to the Committee
- Step - 5: The selected nominees will be communicated with a formal letter via email
- Step - 6: AMS 2019 Registration
- Step - 7: Release of the winners list in the official webpage
- Step - 8: Award presentation ceremony
- Step - 9: Release of the AMS & VIMA 2019 Report

4.3 Judging Criteria: The VIMA 2019 judging is a peer review process. The panel (from diverse backgrounds, working individually) is instructed to score entries from 0 to 100, using the criteria. The VIF aggregates the scores to determine each category. The panel decision is final and binding. For each Category/Subspecialty (Eg. Excellence in Cardiology) the expert committee will select 2 Nominees. However the Apex Committee reserve the rights to honour less or more than 2 nominees in any category who meet standards set by the expert committee.

4.4 Important Dates

- Entries Open : October 1, 2018
- Closing date : February 1, 2019
- To submit supporting documents : February 1, 2019
- Announcement of Winners : On or before February 1, 2019
- Award Presentation/Celebration : April 6, 2019

5. AWARD PRESENTATION

The VIMA 2019 will be celebrated on April 6, 2019 at Park Hyatt Chennai, India. The Awards will be bestowed to the Winners by the BOARD OF TRUSTEES of Venus International Foundation.

6. HEADQUARTERS

The administrative office for servicing the Authority will be the office of the Chairman, Venus International Foundation, No.1, Ganesh Nagar Main Road, Adambakkam, Chennai - 600088, Tamilnadu, India. 044 - 22531502, +91 9840556456, Email: contact@venusinfo.org, web: <http://venusinfo.org/>

ANNEXURE - A

THE 2nd ANNUAL MEDICAL SUMMIT – AMS 2019 (AM19EN02SN-017)

<http://venusinfo.org/medical/ams/2019/info.html>

The Annual Medical Summit provides a forum for talented multidisciplinary health care professionals to collaborate in high-quality health services research and practices. It also support collaborative relationships among Medical Professionals to create and disseminate new scientific knowledge that will help to generate impactful research about the safety and quality, efficiency, and effectiveness of healthcare in order to inform and the practice.

The AMS is organized every year in April at Chennai city and it is a self-supporting event. The event registration fees are the major source of revenue for running the event. All the expenses of the events are covered by the event income (registration fees from the participants) and Foundation operating funds.

REGISTRATION FEE: The AMS 2019 fee for Participants working in

- a) Foreign Hospitals / Institutions / Clinics / Labs : USD 350 (INR 25000)
- b) Indian Hospitals / Institutions / Clinics / Labs : USD 225 (INR 16000)
- c) Additional Banquet : USD 60 (INR 4000)

The registration includes access to all sessions and invited speakers, participation certificate and one high buffet lunch coupon and breaks. However, the registration does not include travel and accommodation cost of participants.

The registration fees collected will also supports the long term development of the summit and to keep the AMS format viable by ensuring that infrastructure and services are in place from year to year.

EVENT PUBLICATIONS

- a) AMS 2019 Report
- b) VIMA 2019 Report
- c) Exclusive Webpage for the Winner