

Srimanta Sankardeva's 570th Birth Anniversary Celebration Committee of CSIR-NEIST, Jorhat, invites application for its 'Academic Encouragement Award'

The Sri Sri Sankardev's Birth Anniversary Celebration Committee under the banner of CSIR-NEIST Staff Club, Jorhat, has been conferring its 'Academic Encouragement Award' each year since last two years to individuals working on vaishnavite literature and socio-cultural sectors of Assam. The award comprises of cash prize of Rs. 10,000.00 (rupees ten thousand only), a trophy and a citation. The main objective of the award is to encourage the young generation of Assam working in the above mentioned sector. The Organizing Committee invites applications for the award this year from individuals doing PhD or M.Phil or who have done PhD or M.Phil. on 'Research and analysis of *Mahapurushiya* literature of Assam', which is the theme for the award this year. The upper age limit for application is 40 years. For a PhD and M.Phil degree holder the work should not be more than 10 years old. The Application Form may be downloaded from the CSIR-NEIST website www.neist.res.in. Interested persons may send the filled up application form along with the supporting documents to Dr Jatin Kalita, Advisor, Award Committee, Srimanta Sankardeva's 570th Birth Anniversary Celebration Committee, and Head, RPBD Division, CSIR-NEIST, Jorhat 785006. Last date of receiving application is 20 October 2018. Also, an advance copy may be sent by e-mail to kalitajk@gmail.com, or madhurya2007@gmail.com. The award will be presented in the Open Session of Sri Sri Sankardev's 570th Birth Anniversary Celebration on 27 October 2018 at CSIR-NEIST, Jorhat, residential campus. For more information, the committee request to contact Dr Rajib Lochan Goswamee (Mobile - 9435352686), Dr Jatin Kalita (Mobile - 9435557824) or Mahurjya Saikia, on mobile No. 9854835364.
