

AAiPS Distinguished Young Educator and Researcher Scholarship 2026

The AAiPS Distinguished Young Educator and Researcher Scholarship recognizes and supports exceptional young educators and researchers in the field of pharmaceutical sciences. This prestigious scholarship aims to celebrate outstanding contributions to teaching and research while fostering continued excellence within the pharmaceutical sciences community.

Eligibility: Pharmaceutical Faculty in a Recognized Indian Pharmacy Institute

Award: Economy class air fare and reasonable Travel and boarding expenses not to exceed US \$ 2500.

Criteria: Outstanding young faculty members in the pharmaceutical arena **under the age of 45 years as of Apr 1, 2026** and those who have made significant and consistent contribution to teaching and research in Pharmaceutical Sciences and Technology in a recognized academic institution in India are eligible to apply

Guidelines: This grant is fully funded by the AAiPS and facilitated by the Indian Pharmaceutical Association (IPA) in India.

The grant covers participation at the Annual Meeting of American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists (AAPS), held usually in October-November of each year in North America, and covers registration, travel expenses for a trip to the host city in North America, and possibly visits to an Industrial setting and/or an academic institution, reasonable lodging and boarding expenses for various activities for a total reimbursable expenses of not more than US \$ 2500

Application should be submitted electronically to [ipacentre@ipapharma.org] on or before April 30, 2026.

Application should include the following; **(Total submission not to exceed 7 pages excluding a cover note if any. (longer packages & illegible documents will be rejected without any reservation):**

Page 1: Abstract (Half Page)

Word Limit: Approximately 250 words.

Provide a concise abstract summarizing your qualifications, contributions, and goals.

Use this page to list highlights of your recent research, as needed.

Page 2: Publications and Achievements (Two Pages Max)

Use bullet points and be concise.

List 8-10 pertinent, peer-reviewed publications.

State the total number of publications, presentations, patents, and other relevant achievements.

Attach screenshot of your Google Scholar / Scopus / Web of Science page, indicating total number of cites, h-index & other metrics

Page 3: Biodata (One Page)

Word Limit: Approximately 350-400 words.

Include date of birth, optional picture, email address, and phone number.

Present concise educational details from BS to Ph.D., any post-doctoral experience, and relevant work experience.

Specify the number of graduate students you have mentored and currently mentoring, differentiating between MS and Ph.D. levels.

Highlight any special awards or recognition.

Page 4: Biodata (Continued, If Necessary)

Continue the biodata section, if the information requires more space.

Page 5-6: Reference Letters (Two Pages)

Include reference letters from reputable sources supporting your qualifications and achievements.

At least one reference letter should be from a reputable person not from the same institution. (Reference letters with identical content or near identical content will lead to rejection of the application)

Formatting Guidelines:

Use a legible font such as Times New Roman or Arial and the Font size should be 12 points for the main text. Use 1-inch margins on all sides. Single-spacing for the main text.

Page numbers and applicant's name or identifier should appear on each page.

Ensure that the document **does not exceed 7 pages** in total.

Adhering to these formatting and content guidelines will ensure that your AAiPS Distinguished Young Educator and Researcher Scholarship application package is well-organized, concise, and compliant with the specified page limit.

This award is available only once to selected candidates