

### THIRD WORLD ACADEMY OF SCIENCE (TWAS) FELLOWSHIPS

#### Fellowships in Brazil

The National Council for Scientific and Technological Development (CNPq), Rio de Janeiro, Brazil and the Academy have instituted two types of fellowships for foreign scientists from developing countries (other than Brazil), for Master's degree holders wishing to earn a Ph.D. in natural sciences or Ph.D. holders wishing to do postdoctoral research in Brazil. Travel expenses of visitors are covered by TWAS while living expenses are provided by the Brazilian Ministry of Science and Technology, through the Brazilian Council for Scientific and Technological Development (CNPq). Deadline: 31 October each year.

#### Fellowships in China

The Chinese Academy of Sciences (CAS), Beijing, China and TWAS have agreed to offer three types of fellowships to scientists from developing countries (other than China): for Master's degree holders wishing to undertake the last year of their Ph.D. research in China; Ph.D. holders wishing to pursue postdoctoral research in natural sciences in China; or to visiting scholars who wish to pursue advanced research in natural sciences. Travel expenses of visitors are covered by TWAS while living expenses are provided by CAS. Deadline: 31 October each year.

#### TWAS-UNESCO Associateship Scheme

In collaboration with a number of centres of excellence in the South, TWAS has instituted a Joint Associateship Scheme to enable competent researchers from the South to visit these centres regularly. An associate

is appointed for three years during which he/she can visit a Centre twice for research collaboration. Over 100 centres have been selected to participate in the Scheme. TWAS provides travel support for the associates and a contribution towards subsistence costs up to US\$200.00 per month while living expenses are covered by the host centres. Deadline for submission of applications: 1 December each year.

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