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KERALA SASTHRA PURASKARAM-2022

Kerala Sasthra Puraskaram is an annual award instituted by the Government of Kerala for honouring outstanding Scientists of Kerala origin working anywhere in the world. The Science and Technology department, Government of Kerala, through KSCSTE administers the award procedure. The award is instituted to encourage quality research, training and leadership in Science, Technology and its Management. Lifetime research contributions and achievements in science will be considered for the award. The award consists of prize money of Rs. 2 lakh, a memento and citation.

Nominations are invited for Kerala Sasthra Puraskaram 2022. Scientists can be nominated by Fellows of National Academies of Sciences, Vice Chancellors/Directors of scientific institutes and establishments and by Eminent Scientists of national/international repute. Nominations will be valid for a period of three years. There is no age limit for consideration of the Award. Applications or self-nominations will not be entertained.

Prof. E.C.G. Sudarshan (University of Texas, Theoretical Physics), Prof. M. Vijayan (IISc, Structural Biology), Prof. M.S. Valiathan (SCTIMST, Medical Science), Prof. K.P. Gopinathan (IISc, Microbiology), Prof. M. S. Swaminathan, (ICAR, Agricultural Science) and Prof. Thanu Padmanabhan (IUCAA, Theoretical Physics) were the previous recipients of Kerala Sasthra Puraskaram.

The nomination proforma is available in Council website. The duly completed Nomination Proforma may be sent as registered speed post, in the following address and e-mail:

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Last date of receipt of nominations : **20th July 2022**