

## **ESSO-INCOIS-PORSEC Travel Grant for participation of Indian students and young Indian researchers in the 15<sup>th</sup> Pan Ocean Remote Sensing Conference (PORSEC-2022) at Malaysia during 7-8 December 2022**

ESSO-INCOIS proposes the scheme 'ESSO-INCOIS-PORSEC Travel Grant Fund' to provide financial support for the participation of young researchers and students from India in the 15th Pan Ocean Remote Sensing Conference (PORSEC-2022) in Malaysia during 7-8 December 2022.

The ESSO-INCOIS-PORSEC Travel Grant will cover the following fully/partially, subject to the availability of funding, and after necessary approvals:

- International travel support by economy fares at lowest rate available
- Accommodation (based on low-cost accommodation e.g. student hostels, dormitories or similar)
- Registration fees

### **Eligibility for the ESSO-INCOIS-PORSEC Travel Grant**

The ESSO-INCOIS-PORSEC Travel Grant is to support the applicants from India.

The applicant should be an Indian citizen of age less than 40 years as on 31st October 2022. He/she should be a research scholar/young researcher pursuing research in India.

The applicant should have submitted a research paper on any aspect of the ocean remote sensing technology and applications to PORSEC-2022 conference.

The applicant should have the proof of acceptance of the paper submitted to the PORSEC-2022 conference from the organisers.

***To support more number of participants, preference will be given to the applicants who have secured partial funding from host institutions/organisers/other funding agencies in India or abroad.***

### **Selection Procedure**

A Selection Committee constituted by Director, INCOIS will scrutinize the applications received on or before **03 October 2022**.

### **Release of ESSO-INCOIS-PORSEC Travel Grant**

The ESSO-INCOIS-PORSEC Travel Grant will be released to the applicants selected by the Selection Committee upon submission of the following:

- A copy of the letter of acceptance of the paper for presentation in the PORSEC-2022 Conference.
- A letter of support from the Head of the Institution, confirming the need for financial assistance, and the relevance of proposed activity to employment and career prospects.
- A certificate from the Head of the Institution/department certifying that the institute/department will ensure that travel grant released by INCOIS in INR to buy the air tickets as per the estimate submitted by the candidate and the charges for accommodation will be utilized for the said purposes and appropriate bills/receipts will be submitted to INCOIS within 7 working days on the return from the conference. In the absence of certification by Head of institution/Department, grants will be reimbursed on the production of receipts/bills and certificate of attendance in original".
- The shortest route for International Travel tickets will be provided by INCOIS upon providing the itinerary and other approved travel documents including the copy of passport and VISA.

**Application for ESSO-INCOIS-PORSEC Travel Grants to participate in the  
15th Pan Ocean Remote Sensing Conference (PORSEC-2022)**

Applicant's Name: .....

Designation & Affiliation: .....

Current Postal Address: .....

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Email address: ..... Phone Number: .....

Age: ..... Gender: Male ( ) Female ( )

Degree towards which you are working and place of study: .....

Name of Supervisor: .....

**Details of the Paper Submitted**

Title of the Paper: .....

Status of the Paper:        *Selected for Oral Presentation ( )*        *Poster Presentation ( )*

*(Attach the correspondence from the event organisers)*

**Minimum level of support needed:**

Item	Description	Estimated cost US\$
Accommodation (*)	nights	
Registration fees		
Meals(†)	days	
Local transport	Days	
Transport to event site (#)	From:	
Other support needed		

*(To support more number of participants, preference will be given to the Applicants who can get partial funding from host institutions or the organisers.)*

*(\*) Please note that the allowance will be based on low-cost accommodation e.g. student hostels/dormitories or similar*

*(†) The claim for meals must be reduced if their cost is covered by in the conference registration*

*(#) Economy fares only at lowest rate available*

**Indicate your level of additional financial support, e.g. by your organization or other sponsors:**

I will receive additional support for some expenses (mark one response): Yes (  ) No (  )

If yes, please specify the sponsor, amount and purpose of financial support .....

**(Signature of the Applicant)**

**(Signature of the Supervisor)**

**(Signature of the Head of the Institution/Department)**

***Please provide as briefly as possible on separate pages, the following details in support of your application:***

- *A demonstration of the relevance of your request to the furtherance of your career.*
- *Your contribution to the event, such as presentation of a paper*
- *A copy of the letter of acceptance for paper or poster presentation*
- *A letter of support from your supervisor, confirming your need for financial assistance, and the relevance of your proposed activity to your employment and career prospects.*

*Please complete this application form and send it not later than **03 October 2022** by email to **director@incois.gov.in; patabhi@incois.gov.in** with '**INCOIS-PORSEC-TRAVELGRANT**' in the subject line.*

***PLEASE NOTE: Applications NOT RECEIVED by the given deadline will not be considered.***