

## Annexure I

### Guidelines for Dr. M.S. Swaminathan Award for Outstanding Master Research in Agricultural and Allied Sciences

**Name of the Award:** Dr. M.S. Swaminathan Award for Outstanding Master Research in Agricultural and Allied Sciences

**Field and number of awards:** The award shall be given in the following fields:

S. No.	Major Field	No of Award
1.	Crop & Horticultural Sciences	1
2.	Natural Resource Management & Agricultural Engineering	1
3.	Animal and Fisheries Sciences	1
4.	Social sciences	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>4</b>

**Nature of the Award:** The Award will carry a Medal and a Citation.

**Periodicity:** Annual

**Eligibility Qualification:** Master degree recipients of the Agricultural Universities including state agricultural universities, central universities, and affiliated colleges/other Universities having agricultural faculties approved by UGC and/or state regulatory bodies. The minimum OGPA should be 7.5/10 or 75%. Students completed their research work and received provisional degree certificate (as per date of thesis viva) between 1<sup>st</sup> January 2020 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2020, shall be eligible for applying the AIASA award 2021. A person can apply only in one field.

**Administration of the Award:** The All India Agricultural Students Association shall have the sole right of selection of the recipients of the award and of the formulation of rules governing such selection from time to time. The decision of the National President, AIASA shall be final.

#### Weightage given to the different aspects for consideration of the award

Criteria	Maximum Marks and distribution	CGPA (%=CGPA*10)	Marks allotted
1. Academic Record	15 B.Sc. (MM-5)	6.00-6.99	3.5
		7.00-7.99	4.0
		8.00-8.99	4.5
		9.00-10.00	5.0
	M.Sc. (MM 10)	7.5-7.99	3.5
		8.00-8.49	4
		8.50-8.99	6
		9.00-9.49	8
		9.50-10.00	10

2. Research Publications (Published or accepted with first authorship/corresponding author)/ Patent (Strictly out of M.Sc. work)	20	Publications: NAAS Rating of the year award	4.00-4.99	4
			5.00-5.99	5
			6.00-6.99	6
			7.00-7.99	7
			8.00-8.99	8
			9.00-9.99	9
			10.00-10.99	10
			11.00-11.99	11
			12.00-12.99	12
			13.00-13.99	13
			14.00-14.99	14
			15.00-15.99	15
			16.00-16.99	16
			17.00-17.99	17
			18.00-18.99	18
			19.00-19.99	19
20.00	20			
3. Intellectual Property/ Germplasm conservation/ Product release/ Variety notified by state or central government	15	Patent granted (each)	National	10
			International	15
		IP other than Patent (each)	National	3
			International	6
			Germplasm Conservation (Microbe/ Plant)	Accession No Deposit (at National) Deposit (at International)
	Product release/ Variety notified by state /central government/ any other govt. authorized national/ international organization	State use	6	
		National Use	10	
		International Use	15	
4. Research Contribution based on M.Sc. Research Work	20	Committee constituted by National President, AIASA will evaluate the work and award the marks		
5. Awards (Strictly out of M.Sc. work)	10	2.0 marks for each award/ recognition (Best oral/ Poster presentation, Fellowship, etc.)		
6. Extracurricular activity/ recognition (Other than option 5)	20	2.0 marks for each Institute activity, fellowship, recognition, international exposure during M.Sc. (awards/ member, committee-Verified from Chairperson/ Dean/ Competent authority)		

	(MM-10)		
	<p>2.0 marks for each AIASA Activity during M.Sc. period (awards/ member in AIASA committee/ Verified from one state and one central cabinet members or two central cabinet members). The final decision of involvement of members during their mentioned purpose will be finalized by National President, AIASA. He/she may also consult with former members for the same. (MM-10)</p>		

## Annexure II

### Guidelines for Dr. M.S. Swaminathan Award for Outstanding Doctoral Research in Agricultural and Allied Sciences

**Name of the Award:** Dr. M.S. Swaminathan Award for Outstanding Doctoral Research in Agricultural and Allied Sciences

**Field and number of awards:** The award shall be given in the following fields:

S. No.	Major Field	No of Award
1.	Crop & Horticultural Sciences	1
2.	Natural Resource Management & Agricultural Engineering	1
3.	Animal and Fisheries Sciences	1
4.	Social sciences	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>4</b>

**Nature of the Award:** The Award will carry a Medal and a Citation.

**Periodicity:** Annual

**Eligibility Qualification:** Ph.D. degree recipients of the Agricultural Universities including state agricultural universities, central universities, and affiliated colleges/other Universities having agricultural faculties approved by UGC and/or state regulatory bodies. The minimum OGPA should be 7.5/10 or 75%. Students completed their research work and received provisional degree certificate (as per date of thesis viva) between 1<sup>st</sup> January 2020 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2020, shall be eligible for applying the AIASA award 2021. A person can apply only in one field.

**Administration of the Award:** The All India Agricultural Students Association shall have the sole right of selection of the recipients of the award and of the formulation of rules governing such selection from time to time. The decision of the National President, AIASA shall be final.

#### Weightage given to the different aspects for consideration of the award

Criteria	Maximum Marks and distribution	CGPA (%=CGPA*10)	Marks allotted
1. Academic Record	20 B.Sc. (MM-5)	6.00-6.99	3.5
		7.00-7.99	4.0
		8.00-8.99	4.5
		9.00-10.00	5.0
	M.Sc. (MM 5)	6.00-6.99	3.5
		7.00-7.99	4.0
		8.00-8.99	4.5
		9.00-10.00	5.0
	Ph.D. (MM 10)	7.5-7.99	7.5
		8.00-8.49	8
		8.50-8.99	8.5

			9.00-9.49	9.0
			9.50-10.00	10.0
2. Research Publications (Published or accepted with first authorship/ corresponding author)/ (Strictly out of M.Sc. work)	20	Publications: NAAS Rating of the year award	4.00-4.99 5.00-5.99 6.00-6.99 7.00-7.99 8.00-8.99 9.00-9.99 10.00-10.99 11.00-11.99 12.00-12.99 13.00-13.99 14.00-14.99 15.00-15.99 16.00-16.99 17.00-17.99 18.00-18.99 19.00-19.99 20.00	4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20
3. Intellectual Property/ Germplasm conservation/ Product release/ Variety notified by state or central government	15	Patent granted (each)	National International	10 15
		IP other than Patent (each)	National International	3 6
		Germplasm Conservation (Plant/Microbe)	Accession No Deposit (at National) Deposit (at International)	3 5 8
		Product release/ Variety notified by state /central government/ any other govt. authorized national/ international organization	State use National Use International Use	6 10 15
4. Research Contribution based on Ph.D. Research Work	15	Committee constituted by National President, AIASA will evaluate the work and award the marks		
5. Awards (Strictly out of Ph.D. work)	10	2.0 marks for each award/ recognition (Best oral/ Poster presentation, Fellowship, etc.)		
6. Extracurricular activity/ recognition (Other than option 5)	20	2.0 marks for each activity Institute during Ph.D. period, fellowship, recognition, international exposure (awards/ member of committee - Verified from Chairperson/		

	Dean/ Competent authority) (MM-10)		
	2.0 marks for AIASA Activity during Ph.D. period (awards/ member in AIASA committee/ Verified from one state and one central cabinet members or two central cabinet members). The final decision of involvement of members during their mentioned purpose will be finalized by National President, AIASA. He/she may also consult with former members for the same. (MM-10)		