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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### Call for Nominations: PLANTICA-APSR Annual Awards for the Year 2026

On behalf of the **PLANTICA – Association of Plant Science Researchers (APSR)**, I am pleased to announce the **invitation for nominations** for the following prestigious academic and research annual awards for the year **2026**:

- **Young Scientist Award**
- **Excellence Research Fellow Award**
- **Best Thesis Award (M.Sc. and Ph.D.)**

PLANTICA awards were instituted in 2018 to motivate high quality fundamental and applied research amongst researchers in India in the field of Agriculture, Applied and Life Sciences. This is an annual award open to all Indian Researchers in the field of **Agriculture, Applied and Life Sciences**. Researchers, academicians, and scholars from across India working in these domains are encouraged to apply / nominate deserving candidates.

#### Important Information:

- **Last Date for Receipt of Nominations: 20 June, 2026**
- **Eligibility Criteria & Nomination Guidelines:** Available at <https://pgrindias.in/awards/>
- **Self nomination will not be accepted**

Let us together celebrate and promote research excellence that uplifts agriculture, environment, and human wellbeing.

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With best regards,

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