

Telangana Academy of Sciences
Nomination Form for Young Scientist Award -2020

*I propose Mr. Atun Roy Choudhury for the Young Scientist Award of the Telangana Academy of Sciences under section 5 Earth, Ocean, Atmospheric and **Environmental Sciences** citing his following achievements.*

Mr. Atun Roy Choudhury is presently associated with Banka BioLoo Limited as Technical Manager of the Faecal Sludge Management division. Formerly, he has catered to crucial roles with renowned organizations such as IL&FS Environment, Ramky Enviro Engineers Limited etc.

He is a leading researcher in the field of waste management and sanitation. He has been published broadly as an author of over 20 papers, book chapters, and books by highly prestigious international publication houses and a popular author for scientific magazines. He is a regarded subject area expert by State and Central Academic and R&D institutes and a well-known speaker in international scientific gatherings. He is also associated with many reputed international journals as Editor and Reviewer.

It is a pleasure to mention that he is a gold medalist from the Association of Indian Universities-UGC, Gov. of India and has been honored with titles such as Bharat Ratna Rajiv Gandhi Gold Medalist, Rastra Ratna, Excellent Scientist, Research Excellence by renowned Government and Private bodies. He is a certified Environmental Auditor and one of the very few researchers from India to be included in the Oxford World Book of Researchers, 2019. His notable patented work on microbial digestion of heterogeneous solid waste brought him special recognition at the global level and got enlisted in Asia Book of Records.

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