

Women Scientist Scheme-B

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- life the grassroots level. ■ The proposal must clearly bring out the societal benefit to be accrued through well conceived plan for development of technology/technique and/or adaptation/ customization.

Benefits (Women Scientist Scheme-B)

- ■ 55,000/
- pm (and HRA as applicable) for Ph.D. or equivalent (total project cost not exceeding ■ 30 lakh (excluding HRA and Overhead) ■ 40,000/
- pm (and HRA as applicable) for M.Phil./MTech or equivalent (total project cost not exceeding ■ 25 lakh (excluding HRA and Overhead) ■ 31,000/
- pm (and HRA as applicable) for M.Sc. or equivalent (total project cost not exceeding ■ 20 lakh (excluding HRA and Overhead) ■ The Project Cost consists of Fellowship of Principal Investigator (PI), Consumables, Travel, Contingencies, and Minor Equipment but excluding HRA and overheads.

Eligibility (Women Scientist Scheme-B)

- The applicant must be a FEMALE. The applicant must either be unemployed or in a position other than regular/permanent position. The age of the applicant must be between 27 and 57 years (5 year relaxation for SC/ST/OBC and physically challenged candidates) The applicant must hold either of the following Minimum essential qualification
- a) Minimum Post Graduate degree, equivalent to M.Sc. in Basic or Applied Sciences or B.Tech. or MBBS or other equivalent professional qualifications
- b) M.Phil/M.Tech/M.Pharm/M.VSc or equivalent qualifications
- c) Ph.D. in Basic or Applied Sciences.

Application Process (Women Scientist Scheme-B)

- Step 1: Register at the online portal <https://online-wosa.gov.in/wosb/> using your active email ID.
- An auto-generated mail will be received with an ID and link to create a password.
- ■ Step 2: After logging in to the WOS-B portal, fill out and submit the full Project Proposal under WOS-B.
- Project Proposal Document (PPD) includes online submission and uploading of the required documents in the said formats.
- ■ Step 3: Before submission preview your full proposal to make sure that everything is correct and in order.
- You will not be allowed to edit the contents after submission.
- ■ Step 4: You need to click on the "Final Submit" button for the final submission of the proposal.
- Your proposal will remain to save with your login ID and it may be saved in the system and also can be printed.
- ■ Send one hard copy of the submitted proposal to the address provided below, superscribing the envelope with 'Women Scientist Scheme-B (WOS-B)' - Mrs.
- Namita Gupta Scientist-'G', KIRAN Division Department of Science and Technology (DST) Technology Bhawan, New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi-110016.

Documents Required (Women Scientist Scheme-B)

- Project Proposal Document (Refer source for Format) Biodata of PI (Signed) (Refer source for Format) Mentor's Biodata (Signed) Caste Certificate (If SC/ST/OBC/PH) DOB certificate (10th class passed only) Photograph of PI Signature of PI Highest Degree House Rent Allowance (if Eligible) (Refer source for Format) ■ Sources: <http://online-wosa.gov.in/wosb/instructions> <http://online-wosa.gov.in/wosb/formats>

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