



## **Educational Excellence Awards to Higher Education in India 2017**

### **1. Conferring PEARL Foundation PEARL RATNA Award 2017**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
1.	<b>Honorable Thiru. Justice G.R. Swaminathan</b> Hon'ble Judge, Madras High Court, Tamil Nadu	PEARL RATNA AWARD

### **2. Conferring PEARL Foundation Life Time Achievement Awards 2017**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
2.	<b>Prof. Dr. M. Lakshmanan</b> Former Vice-Chancellor, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Biological Sciences – Microbiology
3.	<b>Dr. P. Namperumalsamy</b> Chairman - Emeritus, Aravind Eye Care System, Aravind Eye Hospital, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Medical Sciences
4.	<b>Prof. Dr. R. K. Sivanappan</b> Former Dean, AEC & RI and Founder Director, Water Technology Centre, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Engineering Sciences
5.	<b>Prof. Dr. S. Natarajan</b> Vice-Chancellor, The Gandhigram Rural Institute - Deemed University, Gandhigram, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Higher Education
6.	<b>Prof. Dr. G. Valli Ravichandran</b> Vice-Chancellor, Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Higher Education for Women

7.	<b>Prof. Dr. M. Thirumalai</b> Former Vice Chancellor, Tamil University, Thanjavur, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Tamil Literature
8.	<b>Prof. Dr. V.A. Parthasarathy</b> President, National Academy of Biological Sciences (Formerly Director, ICAR-Indian Institute of Spices Research, Calicut), Kerala	Life Time Achievement Award in Agricultural Sciences

### 3. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Vice-Chancellor Award 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
9.	<b>Prof. Aditya Shastri</b> Vice-Chancellor, Banasthali Vidyapith, Tonk, Rajasthan	Best Vice-Chancellor Award

### 4. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Industry-Education Interface Award 2017

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
10.	<b>Thiru. N. Jegatheesan</b> President, Tamil Nadu Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Industry-Education Interface Award

### 5. Conferring PEARL Foundation Life Time Achievement Awards 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
11.	<b>Dr. Ajay Kumar Pandey</b> Principal Scientist, ICAR – National Bureau of Fish Genetic Resources, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh	Life Time Achievement Award in Fish and Fisheries Science

12.	<b>Dr. Allagi, R.G.</b> Director, B.V.V. Sangha's Institute of Management Studies, Vidyagiri, Bagahkot, Karnataka	Life Time Achievement Award in Administration
13.	<b>Dr. Theranirajan, E</b> Govt. Vellore Medical College, Anukampar, Vellore, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Medical Sciences
14.	<b>Prof. Dr. Kumar, K.</b> Professor and Head (Retd.), Department of Agricultural Microbiology, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Agricultural Sciences
15.	<b>Dr. Chandrashekhar Vasant Rao Murumkar</b> Principal, Tuljaram Chatuchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Baramati, Maharashtra	Life Time Achievement Award in Administration
16.	<b>Prof. Dr. Sivakumar, K.</b> Chairman, Faculty of Science and Humanities, Anna University, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Engineering Administration
17.	<b>Prof. Dr. Balagurunathan, R.</b> Professor and Head, Department of Microbiology, Periyar University, Periyar Palkalai Nagar, Salem, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Microbiology
18.	<b>Prof. Dr. Venkatachalam, C.</b> Professor and Head, Department of Sociology, Periyar University, Periyar Palkalai Nagar, Salem, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Sociology
19.	<b>Prof. Rajagopal, T.K.P.</b> Associate Professor and Head, Deptment of Computer Science and Engineering, Kathir College of Engineering, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Life Time Achievement Award in Engineering

## 6. Conferring Fellow of the PEARL Foundation for Educational Excellence 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
20.	<b>Dr. Jayashankar, M.</b> Professor, Department of Studies and Research in Microbiology, Mangalore University P.G. Center, Kodagu, Karnataka	Fellow of the PEARL Foundation for Educational Excellence

## 7. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Administrator Awards 2017 by Nomination (Registrar/Director/Dean/Principal)

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
21.	<b>Dr. Kannan, S.</b> Associate Professor, Department of Environmental Studies, School of Energy Sciences, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Administrator Award – Director, UGC – HRDC
22.	<b>Dr. Abhinandan Bharatlal Shah</b> Registrar, Tuljaram Chaturchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Baramati, Maharashtra	Best Administrator Award – Registrar
23.	<b>Dr. Ramanlal Devchandbhai Modi</b> Principal, C P Patel & F H shah Commerce College, Anand, Gujarat	Best Administrator Award – Principal
24.	<b>Dr. Sr. Nirmala, T.</b> Principal, Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women (Autonomous), Periyakulam, Tamil Nadu	Best Administrator Award – Principal
25.	<b>Dr. Sundarapandian, P.</b> Principal, Virudhunagar Hindu Nadars' Senthikumara Nadar College (Autonomous), Virudhunagar, Tamil Nadu	Best Administrator Award – Principal

26.	<b>Dr. Rajakumari, D.</b> Principal, Bharathiyar Arts & Science College for Women, Deviyakurichi, Tamil Nadu	Best Administrator Award – Principal
27.	<b>Dr. Ganesan. R</b> Principal, P.K.N. Arts & Science College, Thirumangalam, Tamil Nadu	Best Administrator Award – Principal
28.	<b>Dr. Senthoorpandy</b> Senthamarai College of Arts and Science, Palkalai Nagar, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Principal Award
29.	<b>Dr. Prithivikumaran, N.</b> Dean, Virudhunagar Hindu Nadars' Senthikumara Nadar College (Autonomous), Virudhunagar, Tamil Nadu	Best Administrator Award – Dean

### 8. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Management Awards 2017 by Nomination (University/College/Institution)

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
30.	<b>Dr. Chandrashekhhar Vasantao Murumkar</b> Principal, Tuljaram Chatuchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Baramati, Maharashtra	Best Green Initiative (Green Campus) Institution Award
31.	<b>Dr. Chandrashekhhar Vasantao Murumkar</b> Principal, Tuljaram Chatuchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Maharashtra	Best Renewable Energy Implemented Institute Award
32.	<b>Dr. Chandrashekhhar Vasantao Murumkar</b> Principal, Tuljaram Chatuchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Maharashtra	Best NAAC Accredited A+ Grade College Award

## 9. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Contributor Award in Indian Theatres 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
33.	<b>Mr. Shanmugaraja</b> No. 5, VGP NRI Layout, Panniyur, ECR Road, Chennai	Best Contributor Award in Indian Theatres

## 10. Conferring PEARL Foundation Outstanding Researcher / Scientist Awards 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
34.	<b>Dr. Jayashree, R.</b> Department of Environmental Sciences, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Outstanding Woman Scientist Award in Environmental Sciences
35.	<b>Dr. Jasdeep Chatrath Padaria</b> National Research Center on Plant Biotechnology, IARI, Pusa Campus, Delhi	Outstanding Woman Scientist Award in Agricultural Sciences
36.	<b>Dr. Vimala Devi, S.</b> ICAR – National Bureau of Plant Genetic Resources, Inderpuri, New Delhi	Outstanding Woman Scientist Award
37.	<b>Dr. Rajinder Kaur</b> Department of Botanical & Environmental Sciences, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, Punjab	Outstanding Woman Scientist Award in Botanical & Environmental Sciences
38.	<b>Dr. Ashok Kumar, K.</b> Department of Plant Breeding, School of Agriculture, Prist University, Vallam, Thanjavur, Tamil Nadu	Outstanding Researcher Award in Agricultural Sciences
39.	<b>Dr. Naveena, K.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Agricultural Statistics, UAS, GKVK, Bangalore	Outstanding Research Award in Agricultural Science
40.	<b>Dr. Sathish Gowda, C.S.</b> Scientist, Division of Agricultural Economics, Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi	Outstanding Research Award in Agricultural Sciences

## 11. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Medical Physician Award 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
41.	<b>Dr. Kalirajan, K.</b> Vadamalayan Hospitals, Chokkikulam, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Medical Physician Award
42.	<b>Dr. Balasubramanian, V.</b> Lazar Dental Clinic, Sub - Collector Road, Dindigul, Tamil Nadu	Best Physician Award in Dental Medicine

## 12. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Senior Scientist Awards 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
43.	<b>Dr. Suvarna Balakrishna More</b> Padmabhushan Vasantrodada Patil Mahavidyalaya, Kavathe Mahankal, Maharashtra	Best Senior Women Scientist Award in Zoology
44.	<b>Prof. Dr. Avinash Kaur Nagpal</b> Department of Botanical and Environmental Sciences, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, Punjab	Best Senior Women Scientist Award in Botanical and Environmental Sciences
45.	<b>Dr. Sushma Sharma</b> Department of Bio-Sciences, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh	Best Senior Women Scientist Award in Bio-Sciences
46.	<b>Dr. Mohan, V.</b> Division of Forest Protection, Institute of Forest Genetics and Tree Breeding (IFGTB), Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Senior Scientist Award in Microbiology
47.	<b>Prof. Arun Kumar Singh</b> Department of Plastic Surgery, King George Medical University, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh	Best Senior Scientist Award in Medical Sciences

48.	<b>Dr. Sujata Vasudev Bhat</b> Laboratory for Advanced Research, KET'S V.G. Vaze College, Mumbai University, Mumbai, Maharashtra	Best Senior Women Scientist Award in Advanced Research in Natural and Synthetic Chemistry
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### 13. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Scientist Awards 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
49.	<b>Dr. Krishna Kant Lawania</b> Ex-Researcher, IIS University, Jaipur, Rajasthan	Best Scientist Award in Zoology
50.	<b>Dr. Radhakrishnan, M.</b> Centre for Drug Discovery & Development, Sathyabama University, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Scientist Award in Drug Discovery and Development
51.	<b>Dr. Prabhu Saran, N.</b> Chennai Medical College Hospital and Research Center, Trichy, Tamil Nadu	Best Scientist Award in Medical Sciences
52.	<b>Dr. Sunil Kumar Ghosh</b> BCKV-Agriculture University, Nadia, West Bengal	Best Scientist Award in Agriculture Sciences
53.	<b>Dr. Anantha Raman, P.</b> CAS in Marine Biology, Annamalai University, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu	Best Scientist Award in Marine & Fisheries Sciences
54.	<b>Dr. Prabakarn, S.</b> Zoological Survey of India, Southern Regional Center, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Scientist Award In Entomology
55.	<b>Dr. Pushpa Rani, M.</b> Department of Computer Science, Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Scientist Award in Computer Science
56.	<b>Dr. Kosygin Singh, L.</b> Scientist-D and Officer-In-Charge, Zoological Survey of India, Kolkata, West Bengal	Best Scientist Award in Fisheries Sciences



57.	<b>Dr. Swapna, T.S.</b> Department of Botany, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala	Best Women Scientist Award in Botany
58.	<b>Dr. Siddhivinayak S. Barve</b> Kelkar Education Trust's V G Vaze College, Mumbai, Maharashtra	Best Scientist Award in Biotechnology
59.	<b>Dr. Maya, C.</b> Department of Botany, B.U.B. Bangalore University, Bangalore, Karnataka	Best Women Scientist Award in Botany
60.	<b>Dr. Pardeep Kumar Bhardwaj</b> Scientist - C, Plant Molecular Biology Lab, Institute of Bioresources and Sustainable Development, Sikkim	Best Scientist Award in Plant Molecular Biology
61.	<b>Dr. Ningappa Mallappa Rolli</b> BLDEA's Degree College, Jamkhandi, Karnataka	Best Scientist Award in Botany
62.	<b>Dr. John Christopher, D.</b> Associate Professor, Department of Plant Pathology, Faculty of Agriculture, Annamalai University, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu	Best Scientist Award in Agriculture Sciences
63.	<b>Dr. Ravindran, K.C.</b> Professor, Department of Botany, Annamalai University, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu	Best Scientist Award in Botany
64.	<b>Dr. Kumaran, B.</b> Indira Gandhi College of Arts and Science, Kathirkamam, Puducherry	Best Scientist Award in Zoology
65.	<b>Dr. Hiremath, V.T.</b> Associate Professor, Department of Botany, S.J.M. College of Arts Science & Commerce, Chitradurga, Karnataka	Best Scientist Award in Botany
66.	<b>Dr. Anandha Krishnaveni, S.</b> ADAC & RI, Trichy (Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore), Tamil Nadu	Best Scientist Award in Agricultural Sciences

**14. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Professor Awards 2017  
by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
67.	<b>Dr. Rajan, M.R.</b> Professor, Department of Biology, Gandhigram Rural Institute - Deemed University, Gandhigram, Tamil Nadu	Best Professor Award in Zoology
68.	<b>Dr. Rohini, G.</b> Department of EEE, Jerusalem College of Engineering, Pallikaranai, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Professor Award in Engineering and Technology
69.	<b>Dr. Hilda Devi, C.</b> Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Professor Award in Social Sciences
70.	<b>Dr. Kartikeya Srivastava</b> Department of Genetics & Plant Breeding, Institute of Agricultural Sciences, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh	Best Professor Award in Genetics & Plant Breeding
71.	<b>Dr. Periasamy, T.</b> Professor & Head, Department of Tamil, Periyar University, Salem, Tamil Nadu	Best Professor Award in Tamil
72.	<b>Dr. (Mrs.) Niranjana Suneel Chavan</b> Professor, Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur, Maharashtra	Best Professor Award in Botany
73.	<b>Dr. Manivel, S.</b> Professor & Head, Department of Cooperation, Gandhigram Rural Institute - Deemed University, Gandhigram, Tamil Nadu	Best Professor Award in Cooperation Management
74.	<b>Dr. Banumathi, P.</b> Professor, Kathir College of Engineering, Neelambur, Coimbatore, , Tamil Nadu	Best Women Professor Award in Engineering

## 15. Conferring PEARL Foundation Excellence and Innovation Awards 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
75.	<b>Dr. Selvakumar, R.</b> Division of Vegetable Science and Floriculture, Central Institute of Temperate Horticulture, Srinagar	Excellence and Innovation Award in Horticultural Sciences
76.	<b>Dr. Vinoth Kumar Kandasamy</b> Punjab Renewable Energy System Pvt. Ltd., CED Belapur, Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra	Excellence and Innovation Award in Bio-Energy
77.	<b>Dr. Saravanakumar Ayyadurai</b> Punjab Renewable Energy System Pvt. Ltd., CED Belapur, Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra	Excellence and Innovation Award in Bio-Energy
78.	<b>Dr. Natanamurugaraj Govindan</b> Faculty of Industrial Sciences and Technology, University Malaysia Pahang, Malaysia	Excellence and Innovation Award
79.	<b>Dr. Arun, S.</b> Vels Institute of Scientific Technology and Advanced Studies, Pallavaram, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Excellence and Innovation Award in Engineering
80.	<b>Dr. Arun Raaza</b> Vels Institute of Scientific Technology and Advanced Studies, Pallavaram, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Excellence and Innovation Award in Engineering

## 16. Conferring PEARL Foundation Outstanding Extension Scientist Awards 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
81.	<b>Dr. Puthira Prathap, D.</b> ICAR – Sugarcane Breeding Institute, Veerakeralam, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Outstanding Extension Scientist Award in Agricultural Sciences

82.	<b>Dr. Suresh, K.</b> Department of Agricultural Entomology, Agricultural College and Research Institute, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Outstanding Extension Scientist Award in Agricultural Sciences
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### 17. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Associate Professor Awards 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
83.	<b>Dr. Prince, C.P.</b> Department of Microbiology, Mother Theresa Post Graduate & Research Institute of Health Sciences, Puducherry	Best Associate Professor Award in Microbiology
84.	<b>Mrs. Nalini Bai, G.</b> Department of Zoology, M.E.S. College of Arts, Commerce & Science, Bengaluru, Karnataka	Best Women Associate Professor Award in Zoology
85.	<b>Dr. Priya, K.</b> Department of Commerce, Vivekanandha College of Arts & Sciences for Women, Tiruchengode, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Associate Professor Award in Commerce
86.	<b>Dr. Joseph Raj, K.</b> S.T. Hindu College, Nagercoil, Tamil Nadu	Best Associate Professor Award in Economics
87.	<b>Dr. Saritha, N.</b> Jerusalem College of Engineering, Pallikaranai, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Associate Professor Award in Engineering
88.	<b>Dr. Sathe Shivaji Jagganath</b> Tuljaram Chaturchand College of Arts, Science and commerce, Anekant Education Society's, Tuljaram Chaturchand College, Baramati, Maharashtra	Best Associate Professor Award in Microbiology
89.	<b>Dr. Balasubramanian, K.</b> The M.D.T. Hindu College, Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu	Best Associate Professor Award in Physics

90.	<b>Dr. Suganda Ramamoorthi</b> Associate Professor, Lady Doak College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Associate Professor Award in Economics
91.	<b>Dr. Paul Mary Deborrah</b> Controller of Examinations, Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal	Best Women Associate Professor Award in Physics

### **18. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Assistant Professor Awards 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
92.	<b>Dr. Anitha Selvaraj</b> Lady Dock College, Tallakulam, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Economics
93.	<b>Dr. Prakash, N.</b> Department of EEE, Kumaraguru College of Technology, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Engineering and Technology
94.	<b>Dr. Karthigarani, M.</b> Assistant Professor, Dept. of Zoology Yadava College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Zoology
95.	<b>Dr. Makesh Kumar, B.</b> G. Venkataswamy Naidu College, Kovilpatti, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Botany
96.	<b>Dr. Mahesh Vijay Gokhale</b> Department of Botany, Karmaveer Bhaurao Patil College, Islampur, Maharashtra	Best Assistant Professor Award in Botany
97.	<b>Dr. Muthulakshmi, S.</b> Virudhunagar Hindu Nadars' Senthikumara Nadar College, Virudhunagar, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Commerce
98.	<b>Dr. Kamatchi Eswaran, J.</b> Virudhunagar Hindu Nadars' Senthikumara Nadar College, Virudhunagar, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Commerce
99.	<b>Dr. Deepa Rani, S.</b> Ethiraj College for Women, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Zoology

100.	<b>Dr. Jemma Hermelin Jesy Diaz</b> St. Mary's College (Autonomous), Thoothukudi, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Zoology
101.	<b>Dr. Rajajeyakumar, M.</b> Department of Physiology, Chennai Medical College Hospital & Research Center (SRM Group), Irungalur, Trichy, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Medical Physiology
102.	<b>Dr. Sheeba, M.</b> PSGR. Krishnammal College for Women, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Zoology
103.	<b>Dr. Telave Ajit Bhimrao</b> Tuljaram Chaturchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Anekant Education Society's, Baramati, Maharashtra	Best Assistant Professor Award in Botany
104.	<b>Dr. Narayana Reddy, R.</b> University of Agricultural Sciences, Staff Training Unit, Bangalore, Karnataka	Best Assistant Professor Award in Agricultural Sciences
105.	<b>Dr. Asharaja, A.</b> Department of Zoology, Pasumpon Muthuramalinga Thevar College, Melaneelithanallur, Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Zoology
106.	<b>Dr. Chermanathan, P.</b> Pasumpon Muthuramalinga Thevar College, Melaneelithanallur, Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in History
107.	<b>Dr. Mahesh, M.</b> Assistant Professor of Plant Pathology, Agricultural Research Station, Hagari, Ballari, Karnataka	Best Assistant Professor Award in Plant Pathology
108.	<b>Dr. Indrani, B.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, DDE, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Computer Science
109.	<b>Dr. Kumar, D.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, V.H.N.S.N. College, Virudhunagar, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Zoology

110.	<b>Mrs. Veeramani, R.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, Mangayarkarasi College of Arts & Science for Women, Paravai, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Commerce
111.	<b>Ms. Parvathi, M.</b> Senthamarai College of Arts & Sciences Palkalai Nagar, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Computer Application
112.	<b>Dr. Krishna Kumari</b> Assistant Professor & HOD, Anugraha Institute of Social Science, Nochiodapatti, Dindigul, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Tamil Literature
113.	<b>Mrs. Asha Kannan, A.P.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, Lady Doak College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Botany
114.	<b>Dr. Ramasamy, S.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Molecular Biology, School of Biological Sciences, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Biochemistry
115.	<b>Dr. Priti Latha, S.</b> Assistant Professor and Coordinator, Department of Hindi, Lady Doak College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Hindi Literature
116.	<b>Dr. Sankar, R.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Animal Behaviour and Physiology, School of Biological Sciences, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Animal Behavior and Physiology
117.	<b>Dr. Amutha, C.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Animal Behaviour and Physiology, School of Biological Sciences, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Animal Behavior and Physiology
118.	<b>Dr. Vaheetha Ghouseia, S.</b> Assistant Professor of Tamil, Sri Meenakshi Govt. Arts College for Women, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Tamil

119.	<b>Dr. Paramasivam, A</b> TANUVAS – Regional Research and Educational Center, Pudukkottai, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Live Stock Production and Management
120.	<b>Mr. Gugan, I.</b> SNS College of Engineering, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Engineering
121.	<b>Ms. Selvamani, D.</b> Assistant Professor of BBA, SVN College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor in Business Administration
122.	<b>Ms. Tharini, C.</b> Assistant Professor of English, SVN College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in English
123.	<b>Mr. Ravi, S.</b> Assistant Professor, Hindustan Institute of Technology and Science, Padur, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Computer Science and Engineering
124.	<b>Mr. Prawin, J.</b> Mary Matha College, Nallakaruppanpatti, Periyakulam East, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Management
125.	<b>Ms. Anis Fathima, H.</b> PG and Research Dept. of Commerce, Hafee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Commerce
126.	<b>Mrs. Gowri Shannkari, B.</b> N.M.S.S. Vellaichamy Nadar College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Chemistry
127.	<b>Mr. Tamiye Selvan, S.</b> Mother Teresa Post Graduate & Research Institute of Health Sciences, Puducherry	Best Assistant Professor Award in Radiography
128.	<b>Ms. Prema Sumathi, R.</b> Senthamanai College of Arts & Science, Palkalai Nagar, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Assistant Professor Award in Mathematics
129.	<b>Mrs. Subhashini, R.</b> Department of MCA, St. Peter's University, Avadi, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Assistant Professor Award in Computer Science
130.	<b>Mr. Vinod, S.</b> Assistant Professor, Jerusalem College of Engineering, Pallikaranai, Chennai	Best Assistant Professor Award in Engineering Sciences



**19. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Young Scientist Awards 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
131.	<b>Dr. Chelladurai, G.</b> Assistant Professor of Zoology, G. Venkataswamy Naidu College, Kovilpatti, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Zoology
132.	<b>Dr. Jatinder Kaur</b> Department of Botanical and Environmental Sciences, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, Punjab	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Environmental Sciences
133.	<b>Dr. Ashita Sharma</b> Department of Botanical and Environmental Sciences, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, Punjab	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Environmental Sciences
134.	<b>Dr. Prakash Chandra Gupta</b> Reproductive Biology Laboratory, Department of Zoology, Kashi Naresh Govt. P.G. College, Bhadohi, Uttar Pradesh	Best Young Scientist Award in Zoology
135.	<b>Dr. Sankaralingam</b> Assistant Professor, Saraswathi Narayanan College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Botany
136.	<b>Dr. S. Padma</b> Department of Botany, Bangalore University, Bangalore, Karnataka	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Botany
137.	<b>Dr. Mary Kensa, V.</b> Department of Botany, S.T. Hindu College, Nagercoil, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Botany
138.	<b>Dr. Gowthami, R.</b> Tissue Culture and Cryopreservation Unit, ICAR – National Bureau of Plant Genetic Resources (NBPGR), New Delhi	Best Young Scientist Award in Agricultural Sciences
139.	<b>Dr. S.K. Hemalata</b> Department of Botany, Bangalore University, Bangalore, Karnataka	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Botany

140.	<b>Dr. Sabariswaran, K.</b> Department of Natural Resources & Waste Recycling, School of Energy Sciences, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Best Young Scientist Award in Natural Resources & Waste Recycling
141.	<b>Dr. Syamala, M.</b> Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Agricultural Sciences
142.	<b>Dr. Leon Stephan Raj, T.</b> St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Palayamkottai, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Botany
143.	<b>Dr. Ciba, C.</b> Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Horticultural Sciences
144.	<b>Dr. Narayanareddy, A.B.</b> University of Agricultural Sciences, Gandhi Krishi Vigyan Kendra (GKVK), Bangalore, Karnataka	Best Young Scientist Award in Agricultural Sciences
145.	<b>Dr. Nazni, P.</b> Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, Periyar University, Salem, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Food Science and Nutrition
146.	<b>Dr. Shankar, I.</b> Self-Employed, 4/697, Chandrasekaran, Oggiamthoraiappakkam Post, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Food Biotechnology
147.	<b>Dr. Suganyadevi, M.V.</b> Saranathan College of Engineering, Tiruchirapalli, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Engineering
148.	<b>Dr. Vanitha G Ramesh</b> Indian Academy Degree College, Bangalore, Karnataka	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Zoology
149.	<b>Dr. Marimuthu, N.</b> Zoological Survey of India, Kolkata, West Bengal	Best Young Scientist Award in Marine and Fisheries Sciences
150.	<b>Dr. Jerald Wilson, J.</b> Department of Food Science & Technology, Arul Anandar College (Autonomous), Karumathur, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Marine and Fisheries Sciences

151.	<b>Dr. Suresh Kumar, G.</b> K.S. Rangasamy College of Arts and science (Autonomous), Tiruchegode, Namakkal, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Physics
152.	<b>Dr. Rameshkumar, A.</b> Scientist C, Zoological Survey of India, Kolkata, West Bengal	Best Young Scientist Award in Zoology
153.	<b>Dr. Sathiyavani, E.</b> Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Woman Scientist Award in Agricultural Sciences
154.	<b>Dr. Lakshmidevi, P.</b> Scientist, Shittah Agri and Biotech Private Limited, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Plant Pathology
155.	<b>Dr. Phani Madhavi, T.</b> Dept. of Civil Engineering, Sathyabama University, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Civil Engineering
156.	<b>Dr. Saranya, A.</b> V.V.V. College for Women, Virudhunagar, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Computer Sciences
157.	<b>Dr. (Mrs.) Ekta Sharma</b> Sam Higginbottom University of Agriculture, Technology and Sciences (SHUATS), Allahabad, Uttar Pradesh	Best Young Women Scientist Award
158.	<b>Dr. Usha, R.</b> Associate Professor, Dept.of Microbiology, Karpagam Academy of Higher Education, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Microbiology
159.	<b>Dr. Manpreet Kaur</b> Department of Human Genetics, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, Punjab	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Human Genetics
160.	<b>Dr. Siva Vijayakumar, T.</b> Srimad Andavan Arts and Science College, Tiruchirappalli, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Biological Sciences
161.	<b>Dr. Senthilkumar, K.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of PG Zoology, Aditanar College of Arts & Science, Tiruchendur, Thoothukudi	Best Young Scientist Award in Zoology
162.	<b>Dr. Sangeetha, V.</b> Department of Vegetable Crops, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Vegetable Sciences

163.	<b>Dr. Anandkumar, V.</b> Scientist (Agricultural Entomology), ICAR-Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Hagari, Ballari, Karnataka	Best Young Scientist Award in Agricultural Entomology
164.	<b>Dr. Saranya, R.</b> Assistant Professor, 407-A Wellington Road, NGGO Colony, Nagamalai, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Women Scientist Award in Computer Sciences
165.	<b>Dr. Sangeeta Yadav</b> Babasaheb Bhimarao Ambedkar University, Vidya Vihar, Raebareli Road, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh	Best Young Women Scientist Award
166.	<b>Dr. Ravisankar, D.</b> Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Agricultural Sciences
167.	<b>Dr. Ramachandran, R.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, The Madura College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Chemistry
168.	<b>Mr. Visnu, K.V.</b> Biochemistry & Nutrition Division, ICAR – Central Institute of Fisheries Technology (CIFT), ICAR- CIFT Cochin, Kerala	Best Young Scientist Award in Fisheries Sciences
169.	<b>Mr. Bharathi Raja, M.</b> Horticulture College and Research Institute, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Agricultural Sciences
170.	<b>Mr. Kannan, V.</b> Department of Agronomy, Agricultural College and Research Institute, Y. Othakkadai, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Agricultural Sciences
171.	<b>Ms. Sindumathi, G.</b> Department of Food Science and Nutrition, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Young Scientist Award in Food Sciences

**20. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Educator Awards 2017  
by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
172.	<b>Dr. Radhika Devi, R.</b> Director, Women's Studies Centre, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Best Women Educator Award in Women Studies
173.	<b>Dr. Nirav Rajendrakumar Soni</b> A-ONE Pharmacy College, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	Best Educator Award in Pharmacy
174.	<b>Dr. Jeyapandi, R.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Biochemistry, The American College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Educator Award in Biochemistry
175.	<b>Dr. Alamelumangai, S.</b> Bharathidasan Government College for Woment (Autonomous), Puducherry	Best Women Educator Award in Home Science
176.	<b>Dr. Malar, K.S.</b> Nadar Mahajana Sangan S. Vellaichany Nadar College, Nagamalai, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Educator Award in Zoology
177.	<b>Dr. Grace Lydial Pushpalatha</b> Sri Meenakshi Government Arts College for Women, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Educator Award in Botany
178.	<b>Dr. Syed Shabih Hassan</b> Department of Fisheries Resource Management, Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Punjab	Best Educator Award in Fisheries Sciences
179.	<b>Dr. Salini, M.P.</b> Sree Narayana College for Women, Kollam, Kerala	Best Educator Award in Zoology
180.	<b>Dr. Snehal S Donde</b> Shri Halari Visa Oswal Commerce College Mhavir Chawlk, Anjurphata, Bhiwandi	Best Women Educator Award
181.	<b>Dr. John. T. Abraham</b> Assistant Professor, Bharata Mata College, Kochi, Kerala	Best Educator Award in Physics

182.	<b>Dr. Jeyasundari, J.</b> Assistant Professor, NMSSVN College, Nagamalai, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Educator Award in Chemistry
183.	<b>Ms. Hema Pranav Mehta</b> Tolane College of Commerce, Andhere (East), Mumbai, Maharashtra	Best Women Educator Award
184.	<b>Mr. Sivasubramanian, B.K.</b> Praja-Pita Brahma Kumaris Ishwarya Vishwa Vidyalaya Brahma Kumaris - Rajyaga Centre, Dindigul, Tamil Nadu	Best Educator Award in Meditation Sciences
185.	<b>Mrs. Krishnaveni, K.</b> G.T.N. Arts College, Dindigul, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Educator Award in Zoology
186.	<b>Mr. Gogul, I.</b> PSG Polytechnic College, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Educator Award in English

### **21. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Physical Education Director Award 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
187.	<b>Mr. Gautam Shahuraje Jadhav</b> Tuljaram Chatuchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Baramati, Maharashtra	Best Physical Education Director Award

### **22. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best NSS Coordinator / Programme Officer Awards 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
188.	<b>Dr. Bhagawan Shankar Mali</b> Tuljaram Chatuchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Baramati, Maharashtra	Best NSS Coordinator Award
189.	<b>Dr. Sivakumar, P.</b> Agricultural College and Research Institute, Eachanakottai, Thanjavur, Tamil Nadu	Best NSS Coordinator Award

190.	<b>Dr. Prakash, S.</b> NSS Programme Officer, Virudhunagar Hindu Nadars' Senthikumara Nadar College (Autonomous), Virudhunagar, Tamil Nadu	Best NSS Programme Officer Award
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### 23. Conferring PEARL Foundation Science Enrichment Award 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
191.	<b>Dr. Ginson Joseph</b> Assistant Professor, Research Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture, St. Albert's College (Autonomous), Ernakulam, Kerala	Science Enrichment Award in Fish Processing Technology
192.	<b>Dr. Chakkaravarthi, S.</b> National Institute of Food Technology Entrepreneurship and Management (NIFTEM), Kundli, Sonapat, Haryana	Science Enrichment Award in Biochemistry
193.	<b>Dr. Jeyakumaran, N.</b> Associate Professor, Virudhunagar Hindu Nadars' Senthikumara Nadar College, Virudhunagar, Tamil Nadu	Science Enrichment Award in Physical Sciences

### 24. Conferring PEARL Foundation Excellent Researcher Awards 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
194.	<b>Prof. Jawahar Abraham, T.</b> Department of Aquatic Animal Health, West Bengal University of Animal and Fishery Sciences, Kolkata, West Bengal	Excellent Researcher Award in Fishery Sciences
195.	<b>Dr. Aman Babanrao Upaganlawar</b> Department of Pharmacology, Associate Professor, SNJB's SSDJ College of Pharmacy, Nashik, Maharashtra	Excellent Researcher Award in Pharmacy

196.	<b>Dr. Chithra, N.</b> Khadir Mohindeen College, Pattukkottai, Thajavur, Tamil Nadu	Excellent Researcher Award in Economics
197.	<b>Dr. Halagundegowda, G.R.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Agricultural Statistics, UAS, GKVK, Bangalore, Tamil Nadu	Excellent Researcher Award in Agriculture
198.	<b>Dr. Keerthi, C.M.</b> Research Associate, University of Agricultural Sciences, Bengaluru, Karnataka	Excellent Researcher Award in Agricultural Sciences
199.	<b>Mr. Jalal Uddin, MD</b> Jayprakash Narayan College of Engineering, Dharmapur, Mahbubnagar, Telangana	Excellent Researcher Award in Civil Engineering
200.	<b>Mr. Nataraj, B.</b> Unit of Toxicology, Department of Zoology, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Excellent Researcher Award in Zoology
201.	<b>Mr. Ramachandran, R.</b> Department of Economics, Jairam Arts and Science College, Salem, Tamil Nadu	Excellent Researcher Award in Economics

## 25. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Administrator Award – 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
202.	<b>Dr. Jeganmohan, M.</b> Principal, Government Polytechnic College, Usilampatti, Tamil Nadu	Best Administrator Award in Engineering Education - Principal
203.	<b>Dr. Nagarajan, K.</b> VHN. Senthikumars Nadar College (Autonomous), Virudhunagar, Tamil Nadu	Best Administrator Award – Exam Coordinator (Plus Two TCE)
204.	<b>Dr. Girish, K.</b> Department of Microbiology, Maharani's Science College for Women, Mysuru	Best Administrator Award – Coordinator



205.	<b>Dr. Gunita Arun Chandhok</b> Guru Nanak College (Autonomous), Velachery, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Administrator Award – Director
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### **26. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Village Adoption Institution Award 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
206.	<b>Mr. Vilas Vasantrao Kardile</b> Tuljaram Chatuchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Baramati, Maharashtra	Best Village Adoption Institution Award

### **27. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Youth Welfare Coordinator Award 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
207.	<b>Dr. Avinash Shrirangrao Jagtap</b> Tuljaram Chatuchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Baramati, Maharashtra	Best Youth Welfare Coordinator Award

### **28. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Researcher and Innovation Award 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
208.	<b>Dr. Periyasamy, C.</b> Pasumpon Muthuramalinga Thevar College, Melaneelithanallur, Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu	Best Researcher and Innovation Award in Botany

**29. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Placement Officer Award 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
209.	<b>Mr. Nivas Kumaar, M.K.T.</b> Misrimal Navajee Munoth Jain Engineering College, Thorapakkam, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Placement Officer Award

**30. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Psychology Counselor Award 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
210.	<b>Ms. Damayanthi, S.</b> Plot. No. 4, Sri Vignesh Nagar, M.V.M. Nagar Extension, Dindigul, Tamil Nadu	Best Psychology Counselor Award

**31. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Meditation Trainer Award 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
211.	<b>Ms. Siva Sakthi Vimala, R.K.R.</b> Inner Heating Trainer, Masilamanipuram, Dindigul, Tamil Nadu	Best Meditation Trainer Award

**32. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Librarian Award 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
212.	<b>Mr. Pandiyarajan, K.</b> Tamilnadu National Law School, Trichy, Tamil Nadu	Best Librarian Award

**33. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Biodiversity Conservation Award 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
213.	<b>Dr. M.N. Shivakameshwari</b> Associate Professor, Department of Botany, Bangalore University, Bangalore, Karnataka	Best Biodiversity Conservation Scientist Award
214.	<b>Dr. Kamarudeenkunju, M.</b> Reader, Department of Botany, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram	Best Biodiversity Conservation Practices Award
215.	<b>Mr. Kanthasamy, R.</b> Research Scholar, PG & Research Department of Botany, Rani Anna Govt. College for Women, Tirunelveli	Best Biodiversity Conservation Practices Award

**34. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Research Supervisor Award 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
216.	<b>Dr. Brijendra Singh Yadav</b> G.L. Bajaj Institute of Management & Research, Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh	Best Research Supervisor Award in Management

**35. Conferring PEARL Foundation Young Engineer Awards 2017 by Nomination**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name and Address</b>	<b>Award Category</b>
217.	<b>Mr. Piyush Mishra</b> ICAR, Pusa, New Delhi	Best Young Engineer Award
218.	<b>Ms. Ketharaju Shivani</b> Osmania University, Hyderabad, Telangana	Best Young Women Engineer Award

### 36. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Ph.D. Thesis Awards 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
219.	<b>Dr. Debarun Chekraborty</b> Department of Management & Social Science, Haldia Institute of Technology, Haldia, East Midrapore, West Bengal	Best Thesis Award (Ph.D.)
220.	<b>Dr. Simer Preet Kaur</b> Department of Botanical and Environmental Sciences, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, Punjab	Best Thesis Award (Ph.D.)
221.	<b>Dr. Swapna K. Cherian</b> Assistant Professor, Dept. of Commerce, M.S.M. College, Kayamkulam, Kerala	Best Thesis Award (Ph.D.)
222.	<b>Dr. Pavan, R.</b> Department of Genetics & Plant Breeding, University of Agricultural Sciences, GKVK, Bangalore, Karnataka	Best Thesis Award (Ph.D.)
223.	<b>Dr. Gopikrishnan, V.</b> Center for Drug Discovery and Development, Sathyabama University, Chennai	Best Thesis Award (Ph.D.)
224.	<b>Dr. Shanmugasundaram, T.</b> DRDO-BU Center for Life Sciences, Bharathiar University Campus, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Thesis Award (Ph.D.)
225.	<b>Dr. Gopalasundar, R.</b> Saraswathi Narayanan College, Perungudi, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Thesis Award (Ph.D.)
226.	<b>Dr. Ahilandeswari, A.</b> Kunthavai Naacchiyaar Government Arts College for Women, Thanjavur, Tamil Nadu	Best Thesis Award (Ph.D.)
227.	<b>Dr. Vidya, R.</b> Kunthavai Naacchiyaar Government Arts College for Women, Thanjavur	Best Thesis Award (Ph.D.)

228.	<b>Mr. Sivakumar, P.</b> Department of Biology, Gandhigram Rural Institute - Deemed University, Gandhigram, Tamil Nadu	Best Thesis Award (Ph.D.)
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### 37. Conferring PEARL Foundation Best Researcher Awards 2017 by Nomination

Sl. No.	Name and Address	Award Category
229.	<b>Ms. Shanmuga Priyaa, G.</b> Ph.D. Research Scholar, Department of Economics, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Researcher Award in Economics
230.	<b>Ms. Anitta Varghese</b> Amritha Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Ettimadai, Amrita Center for Nanosciences and Molecular Medicine, Kochi, Kerala	Best Women Researcher Award in Nanotechnology and Renewable Energy
231.	<b>Dr. Geetha, T. S.</b> Associate Professor of English, J.K.K. Nataraja College of Arts & Science, Komarpalayam, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Researcher Award in English Literature
232.	<b>Ms. P. Prathima</b> Research Scholar, Department of Botany, Bangalore University, Bangalore	Best Women Researcher Award in Botany
233.	<b>Ms. Nazeema, M.</b> Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women, Periyakulam, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Researcher Award in Zoology
234.	<b>Ms. Thamarai Selvi, V.P.</b> Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women, Periyakulam, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Researcher Award in Zoology
235.	<b>Ms. Brintha Jane Justin, J.</b> Jerusalem College of Engineering, Pallikaranai, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Researcher Award in Engineering and Technology
236.	<b>Mr. Raghavendra, K.V.</b> Department of Agricultural Entomology, Agricultural College & Research Institute, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Researcher Award in Agricultural Sciences

237.	<b>Mr. Manimaran, P.</b> Dept. of Floriculture and Landscaping, Horticulture College and Research Institute, TNAU, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Researcher Award in Agricultural Sciences
238.	<b>Mr. Abhijit Manna</b> Department of Animal Behavior & Physiology, School of Biological Sciences, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Researcher Award in Animal Behavior & Physiology
239.	<b>Mr. Avinash Krishnan</b> AROCHA INDIA (Bangalore), Bangalore, Karnataka	Best Researcher Award
240.	<b>Ms. Samundeswari, R.</b> Department of Crop Physiology, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Researcher Award in Dry Land Farming Systems
241.	<b>Mr. Renganathan, V.G.</b> Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics, Agricultural College and Research Institute, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Researcher Award in Agricultural Sciences
242.	<b>Dr. Karthika, V.</b> Water Technology Center, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Researcher Award in Agricultural Sciences
243.	<b>Dr. Jannathul Firdhouse, M.</b> Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, Lady Doak College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Researcher Award in Chemistry
244.	<b>Mr. Brawin Kumar</b> 4, 58/2, South Street, Sasthan Kovil Villai Swamithoppu, Kanyakumari, Tamil Nadu	Best Researcher Award in Biological Sciences
245.	<b>Ms. Divyabharathi, R.</b> Department of Bioenergy, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore	Best Women Researcher Award in Bioenergy
246.	<b>Mr. Binu George</b> Kanchimamunivar Centre for P.G. Studies, Koundanpalayam, Pondicherry	Best Researcher Award in Biochemistry
247.	<b>Mr. Antony William, J.</b> NID Bangalore Campus, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore, Karnataka	Best Researcher Award

248.	<b>Mr. Rajan George</b> R.V. Nagar, Kalapet, Puducherry	Best Researcher Award in Language (French)
249.	<b>Dr. Anila P. Ajayan</b> Department of Botany, Environmental Biology Division, Mahatma Gandhi College, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala	Best Women Researcher Award in Botany
250.	<b>Mrs. Umadevi, S.</b> Ph.D. Research Scholar, Department of Energy, Environment and Natural Resources, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Women Researcher Award in Microbiology
251.	<b>Mr. Vinothkumar, B.</b> Ayya Nadar Janaki Ammal College, Sivakasi, Tamil Nadu	Best Researcher Award in Computer Sciences
252.	<b>Ms. Seshapriya, Ve.</b> Research Scholar, Department of Bio- Energy, School of Energy Sciences, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Researcher Award in Environmental Sciences
253.	<b>Mr. Rajeshkumar, R.M.</b> Research Scholar, Department of Bio- Energy, School of Energy Sciences, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Best Researcher Award in Physics
254.	<b>Ms. Kanchilakshmi, M.</b> Research Scholar, P.G. & Research Center of Zoology, Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women (Autonomous), Periyakulam, Tamil Nadu	Best Researcher Award in Zoology