

**Ocean Society of India**  
**OSI FELLOWSHIP 2025 ANNOUNCEMENT**

Ocean Society of India (OSI) has introduced a Fellowship program for its Life Members who have made an outstanding contribution to the ocean and allied fields of Science and Technology. The current announcement is for the selection of not more than two Fellows for the calendar year 2025. Fellowship for Life Members of OSI will be conferred on the most outstanding/distinguished Indian researchers and other professionals in the areas related to oceans, working anywhere in India or abroad, in recognition of their contributions to the field of Ocean sciences and related fields with exceptional merit. A minimum residency period of 10 years as a Life Member of OSI shall be mandatory for the Fellowship award.

The criteria for selection of the Fellows may be one or more of the following numbered as (a) to (d):

- a) Personal achievements in ocean scientific research/education / innovative development in technology, as evident from original scientific publications of high standards/patents for new products & processes / new products & innovative processes that have significantly contributed to the development of the country and in particular in ocean development.
- b) Eminence in developing new and innovative fields in ocean science & technology.
- c) Eminence in developing ocean scientific institutions/departments and managing them, including membership of International ocean-related bodies.
- d) Outstanding contributions in the growth of Ocean Society of India, such as services rendered as a member of GC, organizing committees of OSI events, its publications, etc.

*Note: (a), (b) & (c) are the main criteria and (d) gives an additional advantage.*

The selection of OSI Fellows is from among OSI Life Members nominated by Vice-Chancellors of Universities / Directors or Heads of leading Academic Institutions / Directors of R & D Institutions in Scientific, Technological and Ocean related research in India / Fellows of Reputed Indian Academies OR Members of the prevailing Governing Council of OSI.

The nominations for the Fellowship in the enclosed proforma should be sent by email on or before 15th July 2026 to the General Secretary, Ocean Society of India at [osi.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:osi.secretary@gmail.com)

**Proforma for Nomination for the Selection of  
Fellows of Ocean Society of India (OSI)**

**Name of the Nominee:**

<b>Proposed by Name:</b>	<b>Affiliation:</b> <b>Recommendatory remarks:</b>
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Signature:

**Seconded**  
**by Name:**  
Affiliation:  
Recommendatory remarks:

Signature:

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OSI Life Membership No. of the Nominee:

Date of Admission:

Date of Receipt of the Nomination:

Authorized OSI Official:

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**TO BE FILLED IN BY THE NOMINEE**

**A. DETAILS OF THE NOMINEE**

1	Name in Full	
2	Date of Birth	
3	Place of Birth	
4	Nationality	
5	Profession	
6	Specialization	
7	Current Position	
8	Official Address (if any)	
9	Current Residential Address	
10	Mobile	
11	Email	
12	LinkedIn	

**B. ACADEMIC DETAILS**

Degree	Specialization	University	Year of Award	Class/Rank	comments, if any
Bachelors					
Masters					
MPhil					
PhD					
DSc					
Others					

**C. Employment record / Research / Teaching Experience**

Institution	Position held	From	To	Nature of duties

**D. CONTRIBUTIONS OF THE NOMINEE**

The contributions under the categories mentioned below should be provided by the Nominee. *(The nominations will be evaluated on a 100 point scale. The 100 points will be equally distributed to categories I to VIII as follows):*

No.	Categories to be provided by the Nominee in the subsequent part of the Proforma	Column for filling up by the evaluator <del>with</del> the marks
I	Research Contributions	
II	Teaching Contributions	
III	Innovation, Development, ITR Contributions	
IV	Contributions to the OSI	
V	Administrative Contributions	
VI	Extension and Outreach Contributions	
VII	Honours, Awards, Any Special Attainments	
VIII	Any Other Relevant Information	

*\* This column is for the evaluator and It should be left vacant by the Nominee.*

Instructions to the Nominee:

- a) *The Proforma for the nomination has been set to reflect the above categories*
- b) *The templated Proforma may be filled up accordingly, avoiding duplication among categories.*
- c) *Use as much space as needed.*

**I. Research Contributions**

1. Number of years engaged in research:

Degree	Period	Major Highlights
Masters		
PhD		
Post Doctoral		
DSc		
Others		

2. Publications

No.	Item	Number of publications
1	In peer reviewed journals	
2	In non- peer reviewed journals	
3	Book Chapters	
4	Books	
5	Conference papers / reports	
6	Technical reports / papers	
7	Popular articles	
8	Others	

**Note: Attach the list of top ten most important papers in peer-reviewed journals with impact factor of each and the list of books published as annexure 1.**

3. List of the most Important Projects lead by the Nominee

Type	Institution where implemented	Funding source	Grant	Duration	Major Output
External					
1					
2					
3					
Internal					
1					
2					
3					

4. Any other relevant information on Research Contributions:

**II. Teaching Contributions**

Total no. of years of Teaching:

Level	Courses	Institution	From	To

Any other relevant information on teaching contribution:

**III. Innovation, Development, ITR Contributions**

- No. of years involved in Innovation, Development, ITR related activities (excluding those in I and II above):
- Patents, if any

Title and number	Authors / Inventors	Assignee	Year of Award	Comments

- Developmental Activities (Mention if Original or process duplication/improvement/import substitution, etc)

Title	Nature	Institution	Field of Application	Period	Comments

4. IPR Contributions [Other than those in Items 2 & 3 above]

Title	Nature	Institution	Field of Application	Period	Comments

5. Contribution to Knowledge and to the Development of New Products / Items / Methodologies etc not covered by Items 1-4 above.

Title	Nature	Institution	Field of Application	Period	Comments

**IV. Contributions to the OSI**

1. Brief Summary of service to the OSI [Positions held in the Governing Council, important responsibilities handled, etc not exceeding 200 words]:
2. Any other facts relevant in connection with the activities of the OSI [Lead role in the Conferences, Seminars etc of OSI not exceeding 100 words]:

**V. Administrative Contributions** *[pertaining to science, technology and education]*

Designation/ Position	Nature of Duty	Institution	Area of service	Period	Comments

**VI. Extension and Outreach Contributions**

1. Details of extension activities: [Not exceeding 200 words. Include those in connection with science, technology and related avenues]
2. Details of science popularization and related activities: [Not exceeding 200 words]

**VII. Honours, Awards, Any Special Attainments**

Title/ Name	Awarded by	Awarded for	Year	Details of award	Comments

**VIII. Any Other Relevant Information:**

**E. BRIEF SELF-EVALUATION OF THE NOMINEE**

[A critical self-analysis highlighting the nominee's achievements in justification for the nomination as a Fellow of the OSI in 300 words or less]

***I solemnly certify that all the above information provided by me is true to the best of my knowledge.***

*Signature of the  
Nominee (with date and  
place)*