

Dear Sir/Madam,

In order to recognize the significant contributions by Ph.D. student, a Gold Medal will be awarded to one student of Ph.D. from CIFE submitted and awarded the best Ph.D. Thesis in the Division of Aquatic Environment & Health Management' on the basis of publication and degree/Thesis awarded between 01.04.2017 to 31.3.2018 for 2018, 01.04.2018 to 31.3.2019 for 2019, 01.04.2019 to 31.3.2020 for 2020 respectively. This award will be called "**Prof. Ravindranath Krothapalli best Ph.D. Thesis Award**" in the division and is being announced for the year 2018, 2019, and 2020. The evaluation pattern, process and the application format have been thoroughly revised so as to bring more objectivity, transparency, competitiveness and professionalism in the selection process. This Award is meant to reward talent and promote high quality research in Aquatic Environment and Health Management research.

1.	"Prof. Ravindranath Krothapalli best Ph.D. Thesis Award" (2018, 2019, 2020) – 3 No. <i>Certificate and Gold Medal</i>	Annexure-I
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General Guidelines:

- i. Interested students shall apply through the Head of the Department in the prescribed application form available on the CIFE website (www.cife.edu.in). The application shall be neatly typed, duly certified, signed and forwarded through proper channel and can be send (using Annexure – I for Prof. Ravindranath Krothapalli best Ph.D. Thesis Award) to the Director, CIFE, Mumbai (For address please see serial No. iii).
- ii. It is to emphasize that, awards will be considered for 2018, 2019, 2020 and relevant period of reporting and consideration would be strictly followed from 01.04.2017 to 31.3.2018 for 2018, 01.04.2018 to 31.3.2019 for 2019, 01.04.2019 to 31.3.2020 for 2020 respectively, for the award listed in the table, on the basis of publication and degree/ thesis awarded between the above mentioned period.
- iii. The filled in Application Form should be sent as a mail attachment to the **Director, ICAR-Central Institute of Fisheries Education, (Deemed University), Panch Marg, Off Yari Road, Versova, Andheri (West), Mumbai – 400 061** **in soft Copy only on or before 06.08.2020 in his mail ID (gopalkrishna@cife.edu.in).**

- iv. Looking into Covid-19 situation in Mumbai, the award shall be given in a memorial lecture day-cum-function, to be organized on a suitable date, on Dr. C.V. Kulkarni at ICAR - Central Institute of Fisheries Education, (Deemed University), Panch Marg, Off Yari Road, Versova, Andheri (West), Mumbai – 400 061.
- v. Award Endowment Fund will contribute towards the travelling expenses of student selected for the award at a rate corresponding to the amount of 2nd Class Mail railway fare by the shortest route to the place from the Railway Station nearest to the normal place of residence of the student or from where he/she actually performs the journey, whichever, is nearer to the CIFE, Mumbai, and back to the same station or the amount of Railway fare actually incurred by the student whichever is less provided he/she fulfill all the conditions.

Sd/-

(P.P. Srivastava)

Member Secretary, Endowment Awards, of CIFE

- Copy to:
- (1) All Notice Boards of CIFE, Mumbai.
 - (2) Head of Divisions of CIFE, Mumbai (to circulate among all the eligible students awarded with their Thesis).
 - (3) SIC, CIFE Kolkata Centre, 32 "GN" Block, Sector IV/V, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700 091 (to Circulate among all the eligible students awarded with their Thesis).
 - (4) SIC, CIFE Kakinada Centre, Near Old Burmah Shell, Beach Road, Kakinada-533 007 (to Circulate among all the eligible students awarded with their Thesis).
 - (5) SIC, CIFE Powarkheda Centre, Dist. Hoshangabad, Powarkheda-461 110 (to circulate among all the eligible students awarded with their Thesis).
 - (6) SIC, CIFE Rohtak Centre, Lahli-Via-Anwal, Rohtak, Haryana -124 411 (to circulate among all the eligible students awarded with their Thesis).
 - (7) Director, CICFRI, Barrackpore; Director, CIFA, Bhubaneshwar; Director, CIBA, Chennai; Director, DCFR, Bhimtal; Director, NBFGR; Director CIFT, Kochi and Director, CMFRI, Kochi (to circulate among all the eligible students awarded with their Thesis).
 - (8) Dean, Fisheries Colleges through mail to circulate among all the to circulate among the student who had submitted and awarded their Ph.D. Thesis in ICAR-CIFE.

**Application Form for Prof. Ravindranath Krothapalli best Ph.D.
Thesis Award (2018, 2019, and 2020, Please tick one)
(at ICAR-CIFE Level)**

1. Name of the student in full (underline surname).....
2. Date and place of birth.....
3. Gender (M/F)
4. Present postal address including Telephone, Fax, Telex, E-mail, Mobile etc.
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5. Educational qualifications (starting with Master degree and above). (in a tabular form)

S. No.	Degree	Discipline	Year
1	M.F.Sc.		
2	Ph.D.		*The Ph.D. degree must be awarded between 01.04.2017 to 31.3.2018 for 2018, 01.04.2018 to 31.3.2019 for 2019, 01.04.2019 to 31.3.2020 for 2020 respectively

6. Details of the Thesis research awarded for the award:
 - (i) Title of the Thesis
 - (ii) Department/Division/where research work was done
 - (iii) Name and Designation of the Thesis Supervisor
 - (iv) Brief description, scientific, technological socioeconomic relevance and priority of the research problem and field application of the research.
 - (v) What standard methods, procedures were used in the experimental work?
 - (vi) Were any special tools/procedures specially developed for the thesis research.
 - (vii) Briefly describe the principal results obtained?
 - (viii) In what way these results have made an original contribution to the solution of the research problem?
 - (ix) List of publications from this research work? (Attach proof for Published /Accepted work)
 - (x) Xerox copy of the Summary of the Thesis with cover page and Supervisor certificate (from the Thesis).
7. A concise statement (about 200 words) highlighting the most significant aspects of the research work done that you would like to see in your citation of award, if chosen.
8. Novel technology developed. Whether any patents have been taken/applied for?
9. Award of Academic distinction received.
10. Annexures (List the documents enclosed)
11. Signature of the Candidate with date
12. Recommendation Note & Signature of the Supervisor with Seal &date
13. Forwarding note by the Head of the Division.

Name & Designation
Seal and date