

ANNOUNCEMENTS

INSA MEDAL FOR YOUNG SCIENTISTS-1996. Instituted by the Indian National Science Academy in 1974 the Medal is awarded annually in recognition of outstanding work of scientists below the age of 32 (as reckoned on 31st December preceding the year of award). Only those born on or after 1 January 1964 are eligible for consideration in 1996. The work done in India by the nominee will be taken into consideration for the award.

The awardee is presented a **medal** and a **cash award of Rs. 10,000**. In addition, the recipient is considered for a research grant by the Academy not exceeding **Rs. 50,000** per year.

Nominations for the awards for 1996 may be made by Fellows of the Academy, as also by the established scientific societies of all India character, University faculties and departments, or the research institutions. The last date for the receipt of nominations in the Academy is 15 November 1995.

Nomination proforma can be obtained from the Executive Secretary, Indian National Science Academy, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi 110 002 by sending a self-addressed envelope of 25cm x 12cm size.

SEVENTH CONFERENCE OF INDIAN INSTITUTE OF GEOMORPHOLOGISTS (IGI). October 1-3, 1995 at the Department of Earth Sciences, Tamil University, Thanjavur. Focal theme : Geomorphology and Society. For further particulars write to : Prof. G. Victor Rajamanickam. Dept. of Earth Sciences, Tamil Univeristy, Thanjavur - 613 005.

32ND ANNUAL CONVENTION AND MEETING ON MARINE GEOPHYSICS. 19-21 December 1995. Indian Geophysical Union, at National Geophysical Research Institute, Hyderabad. For details write to Dr. P.R. Reddy, Hon. Secretary, Indian Geophysical Union, NGRI Campus, Hyderabad - 500 007.

MINERALIZATION AND ALKALINE MAGMATISM IN THE DECCAN IGNEOUS PROVINCE AND IN OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD. Workshop No.W103, 10-11, August 1996, during the 30th International Geological Congress at Beijing, China. For further particulars write to : Dr. L.G. Gwalani, Department of Geology, University of Nagpur, Nagpur - 400 001.

INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON GEOLOGY AND GEOPHYSICS OF THE INDIAN OCEAN - GIO, 1996: 21-24 October, 1996. at the National Institute of Oceanography, Goa. For further particulars write to : Dr. Ch. M. Rao, Convenor, ISGIO, National Institute of Oceanography, Dona Paula, Goa - 403 004.