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Subject: **Announcement of COMSTECH Awards 2019**

Excellency,

I am enclosing the announcement for COMSTECH Awards 2019. Every two years COMSTECH gives a number of awards based on excellent performance in S&T. These awards are restricted to scientists who are citizens of, and working in, OIC member states. For the year 2019, the following categories are announced (copy attached):

1. COMSTECH Awards 2019 in 'Mathematics' and 'Physics'
2. COMSTECH Awards for Excellence in S&T 2019

The awards mentioned in serial no. 1 will be conferred by H.E. The President of Pakistan (Chairman COMSTECH) on the occasion of the COMSTECH General Assembly. Since these awards have been initiated for giving recognition to eminent scientists in the OIC member countries, we are trying to give the announcement wide publicity. I shall be grateful for your support in this regard, and request for placement of the announcement on your website as well as circulation in the universities and related research institutes in your country.

Application forms may please be downloaded from our website <http://comstech.org/comstech-awards-2019.aspx>. Last date for the receipt of applications is Thursday, October 31, 2019.

Accept, please Excellency, assurances of my highest consideration and best regards.

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COMSTECH AWARDS 2019

LIFE-TIME CONTRIBUTIONS IN 'MATHEMATICS' AND 'PHYSICS'

The Organization of Islamic Cooperation Standing Committee on Scientific and Technological Cooperation (COMSTECH) announces awards intended to encourage and support scientific contributions in basic sciences. COMSTECH will offer awards in the fields of **Mathematics** and **Physics** during the forthcoming Session of COMSTECH General Assembly. Each award consists of a certificate, shield of honour, and cash prize of US\$5000.

COMSTECH AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE IN SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

- **COMSTECH Young Researcher Award**
 - › Under the age of 40 years by Thursday, October 31, 2019.
- **Best Scientific Book**
 - › Published by an International Publisher during 2017-2018
- **Patent**
 - › The award recognizes individuals for their outstanding contributions to their respective field for discovery that has had lasting impact in furthering the theory and/or development of commercial systems
 - › Only those patents registered during the past five years would be considered

Each of the above three awards carries a certificate, shield of honour, and cash prize of US\$3000.

- **Best Research Paper**
 1. **Biology**
 2. **Chemistry**
 3. **Mathematics**
 4. **Physics**
 - › Based on original Research. Review paper is not acceptable.
 - › Published in Impact Factor International Journal during 2017-2018

The above award in each discipline carries a certificate, shield of honour, and cash prize of US\$2000.

IMPORTANT:

Nominations for the COMSTECH Awards 2019 are invited from science academies, national research councils, universities, research institutions, and internationally distinguished **scientists who are citizens of, and working in, OIC member states**. Nominations will be judged by the committees of distinguished scientists appointed by Coordinator General COMSTECH.

A signed cover letter by the applicant along with softcopies of the relevant nomination papers be sent to COMSTECH Secretariat (awards@comstech.org). Applications received after the closing date shall not be entertained. Nominations should clearly state the contributions made in the field for which the prize would be given. The nominations must be submitted in the English language and English translation of the related documents must be accompanied along with the following documents.

- ❖ Complete application form with signatures
- ❖ CV (*no longer than 4000 words*)
- ❖ List of Publications
- ❖ Endorsement letter from the Head of Institution

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