

Late Shri Pralhad P Chhabria Award

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The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, India Council
and Women in Engineering Affinity Group, IEEE Pune Section

ABOUT AWARDS

The **Late Shri Pralhad P. Chhabria Awards** presented by Hope Foundation and Research Centre in association with IEEE India Council and WIE Affinity Group, IEEE Pune Section is instituted to honour academic and professional achievements of young women engineers. The award is intended to encourage, support and help the 'women-in-engineering community' to grow and achieve success.

It has been Late Shri Pralhad P Chhabria's dream to empower women and instill in them the confidence to believe in their abilities to make the society better. He believed that women have the ability to take what they have and bring about a change in their families, their work place and their society.

They are by nature givers which give them the ability to do good for all around them. He always encouraged female students to be courageous to pursue their professional and personal aspirations and not allow gender biases hinder their path to success.

In his honour, **Hope Foundation and Research Centre, IEEE India Council and Women in Engineering (WIE) Affinity Group, IEEE Pune Section** has announced two awards that are designed to recognize and applaud outstanding female student/s specifically from the faculties of Science, Engineering or Technology as well as young women Scientists, Engineers or Technocrats who are in their early career stage.

DESCRIPTION OF THE AWARDS

These two awards are designed to recognize and applaud outstanding female student/s specifically from the faculties of science, engineering or technology as well as young women engineers who are in their early career stage.

1. The Award

- A. **Award I** - Best Outgoing Female Student (from faculty of Science / Engineering / Technology)
- B. **Award II** - Best Women Engineer / Scientist / Technocrat (working Professional -Early Career Stage)



ELIGIBILITY

1. Award Nominee must be an

- A. IEEE Student Member for Award No 1 and IEEE Member for Award No 2.
- B. An IEEE woman in engineering membership is desirable though not necessary.
- C. Indian National

2. Award No I

The award is open to Woman Student pursuing science, engineering or technology education in India, is in the final year of studies and has been an outstanding achiever throughout her education. Demonstration of originality and innovation in the respective field/s of work is mandatory.

3. Award No II

The award is open to Woman in science, technology or engineering actively working for at least 3-7 years in India in the field of her related knowledge and skills for economic development of the community and /or country. Demonstration of originality and innovation in the respective field/s of work is mandatory.

PRIZE

1. Award I

- A. Cash prize of ₹ 1,25,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Twenty Five Thousand only) Taxes as applicable shall be deducted from this prize money.
- B. A medal
- C. A citation

2. Award II

- A. Cash prize of ₹ 1,25,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Twenty Five Thousand only) Taxes as applicable shall be deducted from this prize money.
- B. A medal
- C. A citation

APPLICATION PROCESS

Important Dates

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| 1. Application Opens | 16 December, 2017 |
| 2. Application Closes | 10 February, 2018 |
| 3. Winner Announcement | 12 March, 2018 |

To apply and know more details, visit

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