



**Invitation of applications for Dr. D.S. Balain Memorial  
Award (2024)  
and  
XXI Annual Convention and National Symposium, SOCDAB**

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Applications are invited from the Life-Members of the Society for Conservation of Domestic Animal Biodiversity (SOCDAB) for **Dr. D.S. Balain Memorial Award** from the scientists/researchers of Animal Science discipline for the **year 2024**. Award will be conferred to an individual scientist during the “National Symposium and **XXI Annual Convention of Society for Conservation of Domestic Animal Biodiversity (SOCDAB)-2025** on “Technological advancement and their application for management of native Animal Genetic Resources (AnGR)” under the aegis of the Society for Conservation of Domestic Animal Biodiversity (SOCDAB) during 21-22 January, 2025 at **Veterinary College, Hebbal, Bengaluru- 5660024, Karnataka**. The award will be given on the basis of merit to a scientist for his/her best research work conducted during last 5 years (January, 2020 to December, 2024). TA/DA will be borne by the awardee.

The application form of the award is enclosed herewith and can also be downloaded from NBAGR Website (<https://nbagr.icar.gov.in>).

Applications (**only soft copy and in PDF format**) in prescribed format should reach to The President SOCDAB and Director, National Bureau of Animal Genetic Resources (NBAGR), Karnal 132 001 Haryana by **November 15, 2023** by e-mail only ([socdabgs@gmail.com](mailto:socdabgs@gmail.com), [anilmishra65@gmail.com](mailto:anilmishra65@gmail.com)) along with a citation (500 words).

You are also cordially invited to attend the symposium and requested to kindly give the wider circulation to the Announcement so more and more researcher/teacher/Extension workers may get opportunity to attend the Symposium.

**The Last date of receiving the application is: 15.11. 2024**

With kind regards.

Yours sincerely

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