DO No. PS/DG/1/1/2022- ISA (MTech Programme) 23rd March, 2022

Subject: Request for nomination of candidates by countries under ISA Mid-Career Professionals Capacity Building Scheme (2022-23)-reg.

Your Excellency,

ISA Secretariat presents its compliments to the National Focal Point of ISA and has the honour to announce the commencement of the process for the selection of ISA Solar Fellow for 2022. You may recall that ISA had launched the Solar Fellowship Scheme for Mid-Career Professionals for ISA Member countries in 2019.

2. Under this scheme, one batch has already graduated, and two batches are undergoing training and instruction at IIT Delhi. The scheme is designed to benefit and encourage policy makers, planners, administrators, and managers in government, who have a public service commitment, a demonstrated leadership potential, and commitment to development in their own home country.

3. We invite applications for the 4th Batch for admission in MTech (Master of Technology) programme in Renewable Energy Technologies and Management (programme code: ESR) at the Indian Institute of Technology Delhi. The MTech Course begins in July 2022. This year the Course is open to all. Interested applicants need to apply online using the link https://ecampus.iitd.ac.in/IPGADM/login. The application process is given in https://international.iitd.ac.in/application-process-for-graduate-studies/. The portal will be opened in March-end.

We request you to (nominations of suitable candidates) widely circulate this notice and share this link and Nomination Form on website of your Ministry. We request you to share the URL of the website where this link is uploaded.

4. ISA will sponsor a total of 21 candidates, drawn from all its member countries. The applicant will have to meet the eligibility criteria as set by IIT, Delhi, as in the attached Annex. In case, ISA gets more than 21 nominations, the International Fellowship Committee will select the candidates based on a draw, priority being given first to Member Countries.

5. Some of the details of this scheme are as follows:
   a. Programme Name: M. Tech. in “Renewable Energy Technologies and Management”;
   b. Host Institution: Centre for Energy Studies, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Delhi, India;
c. **Last date for nomination:** 30 April 2022 (12 midnight IST) in the *Proforma attached at Annex I*.

d. **Age:** Not above 45 years for applicants from SIDS and LDCs, and not more than 40 years for applicants from other Countries.

e. **Qualifications:** *4-year* Bachelor’s Degree (or equivalent) in any of the following engineering discipline: Chemical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering, Energy Engineering, Engineering Physics, Mechanical Engineering, Power Engineering, or a Master’s and Master’s Degree in Physics, Electronics, or Applied Physics. with CGPA at least 6.00 on a 10-point scale or at least 60% marks in aggregate; (Applicants are requested to please submit copies of their certificate, with translation in English, in case certificate is in any other language) *Students with Master’s Degree need to have completed at least 3 years in the under-graduate level and at least 2 years at the post graduate level.*

f. **Experience:** Minimum 3 years

g. **Tuition fee:** USD 3698 [approx.] (to be paid by ISA);

h. **Programme commencement:** July 2022*;

i. **Living Stipend:** USD 750/month (to be paid by ISA up to 24 months) while in India.

j. **Air Fare:** Economy class for the most direct route (ISA will bear the cost)

k. **Health Insurance:** Candidate’s responsibility.

l. **Medium of Instruction:** English

* May vary during 2022.

6. Each Member Country, Signatory Member Country (who have signed but not ratified) and prospective Member Countries can nominate 2 candidates- one Candidate/Fellow each in Male/Female category

7. Your Excellency is requested to nominate one male and one female candidate who meet the eligibility criteria by 30th April 2022 and the same should be emailed to Dr Vikrant Sharma, NISE vikrant.sharma@nise.res.in and Mr. P.C. Sharma, ISA pcsharma@isolaralliance.org & Mr Amarjit Soran amarjit.soran@isolaralliance.org with a copy to your respective Embassy/High Commissions in New Delhi. The nomination form is to be sent through National Focal Point of ISA (Format available on ISA website. The list of National Focal Points of ISA for all countries is available on website of ISA https://isolaralliance.org/governance/nfp .
8. I avail this opportunity to renew to the National Focal Point of ISA, the assurances of my highest consideration.

   With regards,

   Yours sincerely,

   (Ajay Mathur)

To,
All National Focal Points of ISA

Copy to:
   Head of Missions of all ISA Ratified, Signatory and Prospective Member countries in New Delhi

Encl: Nomination Form
To,

Director General

International Solar Alliance (ISA)

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Reference to our letter dated ----------, in which we nominated the two nominees below to participate in the 4th “M. TECH course” 2022-2023. We herewith, herein confirm that:

1. The Ministry of Energy, ------- has no objection for deputing the below mentioned candidates for the ISA Fellowship programme for M. TECH course on (Renewable Energy Technologies and management) program.

2. For the period of his studies in the programme, they will be treated as on duty with usual salary and allowances, and

3. They will be fully relieved and granted study leave for a minimum period of 2 years.

The nominees are:

1. --------

2.--------

We hope they will be selected to attend this program

Yours Sincerely; -