

Government of Tripura
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**Call for application/nomination for PC Mahalanobis
National Award in Official Statistics- 2022**

Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, Government of India has called for application or nomination for “Prof. P. C. Mahalanobis National Award in Official Statistics-2022 to promote excellence and recognize outstanding contributions made by the official statisticians in the area of official or administrative statistics in the country.

The award will be given in three categories. Official statisticians in service of 45 years of age or less can apply for Category A. Official statisticians in service above 45 years of age can apply for Category B. Non-serving or retired official statisticians who have served in Government/Autonomous Bodies throughout their career can apply for their Lifetime Achievement in Category C. Award in each category will include certificate, shawl, memento and prize money of 2 lakh rupees.

Applicant/nominee should have made significant contribution in the field of official statistics which have significantly benefitted or may benefit in near future in contemporary policy formulation, improving official statistical system in the country, in terms of development of MIS, designing or improving survey methodology, bridging data gaps and improving reporting system in the areas such as coverage, quality, content, timeliness, policy relevance etc. The selection of awardee will be made on recommendation of the Standing Selection Committee and with the approval of Minister for Statistics and Programme Implementation, Government of India. If necessary, the short-listed nominees may be required to make a brief presentation about their contribution in the field of official statistics before the Standing Selection Committee which may be followed by a question-answer session.

The application/nomination may be submitted in particular format till February 28, 2022. The required documents including the application form shall be mailed to training-mospi@nic.in or to the postal address Deputy Director, Training Unit, Room no. 520 (D) Khurshid Lal Bhawan, Janpath, New Delhi. Awards will be given in Statistics Day programme on June 29, 2022.
