



**THE ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY KOLKATA- INDIA**  
**NATIONAL INTERNSHIP AWARD, 2021**  
**GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR AWARDEE**

**Internship:** The internship will be **Rs. 6,000/-** per month

**Contingent Grant:** The Contingent grant is **Rs. 5,000/-** for the entire tenure i.e. 6 months.

**Tenure:** The Internship will be tenable initially for a period of 6 months effective from 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2021, the date of joining. It may be extended further for another 4 to 6 months depending on the Assessment Committee Report after final presentation after the completion of the tenure of Internship.

**Conditions for the Award:** The acceptance of Fellowship should be communicated by the candidate to the General Secretary, The Zoological Society, Kolkata- India under whom the fellowship is assigned, within a week of issuance of the offer letter for the Internship award. If the joining report and Undertaking duly attested by the Mentor are not received within the specified period without any valid reason the offer of fellowship will be withdrawn. The internship will take effect from the date the Fellow joins the scheme.

**Report and Claim bill:** The intern shall present monthly progress report of his/ her work and the internship claim bill through the mentor in the prescribed format.

**The Interns** shall, at the completion of the tenure submit a comprehensive report of the work done during the entire period of Internship, through the Mentor including preprints and reprints of Manuscripts, if any. The research intern will be required to attend any soft skill development course as well as seminars and lecture series conducted by the society free of cost as and when informed. This endeavour is meant for all round progress of the interns in the initial years of research. The copy of certificates of such programmes should be submitted with the final report. The interns may be required to deliver oral presentation on their research outcome at the end of the tenure. Any publication out of the internship programme should acknowledge funding from the society.

The internship can be terminated, if the Assessment Committee, ZSK- India is not satisfied with the progress of the Intern.

**Any sort of paid or honorary, part-or-full- time employment or private practice even in honorary capacity is not permissible during the tenure of Internship.**

The stipend of interns is exempt from the payment of income under 10(16) of IT Act.

**I have gone through the above, agreed and accept the above terms and conditions.**

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**Signature of Intern**

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**Signature of Mentor with seal**