

**Award Sessions**

1. Dr. D. P. Basu Young Award in Cardiology
2. E. Merck Award
3. Dr. J. N. Berry Memorial Award
4. Dr. M. J. Shah Memorial Award in Tropical Medicine

There will be three award sessions at the 2018 Annual Conference of API at Bengaluru. The rules and regulations of these awards are as under:

1. Papers those are accepted for the Award Session have to be presented at the Annual Conference APICON 2018. The papers will be divided subject-wise into four groups.

   **Group I : Cardiology Dr. D.P. Basu Young Award**
   **Group II : Chest Diseases E. Merck Award**
   **Group III : Other Specialties Dr. J.N. Berry Award**
   **Group IV : Tropical Medicine Dr. M.J. Shah Award**

Dr. J.N. Berry Memorial Award and E. Merck Award are given alternate yearly for Group II and III papers. At the 2018 Annual Conference, Dr. J. N. Berry Award for other specialties will be awarded. Dr. D.P. Basu Young Award will be for Cardiology paper and Dr. M.J. Shah Memorial Award will be given for Tropical Medicine paper.

The competitor must be the first author of the paper submitted for presentation at the API sessions of the Annual Conference. A testimonial must be submitted from the Head of the Institution stating that the major work has been done by the competitor. Papers which are previously presented or published will not be considered. The competitor should also give a written pledge stating that the work has not been presented or published before. He / she should be a member of API.

Dr. D. P. Basu Awards are of Rs. 1,000/- each, Dr. J. N. Berry award fetches Rs. 2,000/- and Dr. M. J. Shah Memorial Award is of Rs. 2,500/-. Suggestions should be accompanied with eight copies of a brief bio-data of the suggested name, so as to reach not later than **30th November, 2017** the Hon. General Secretary – API, Dr. Mangesh Tiwaskar of API, Unit No. 6 & 7, Turf Estate, Opp. Shakti Mill Compound, Off. Dr. E. Moses Road, Near Mahalaxmi Station West Mumbai – 400 011

The upper age limit of the competitor is 40 years for all the awards.

Dr. Mangesh Tiwaskar

*Hon. General Secretary*