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Press Release

**SERB women excellence award to DST-Inspire faculty at Department of Biotechnology,  
JMI**

Dr Aastha Mishra, a DST-Inspire faculty at the Department of Biotechnology, Faculty of Natural Sciences, JMI had been conferred with SERB women excellence award for her research project entitled '*Interplay between unfolded protein response and inflammatory pathways in hypoxia-induced thromboembolic disorders*'. This award is instituted by Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB), Department of Science & Technology, Government of India. The award is supported with a research grant of Rs.5.00 lakh per annum for a period of 3 years.

SERB women excellence award is given to women scientists below 40 years of age and who have received recognition from any one or more of the following national academies such as NSAI, IASc, INSA, INAES, NAAS, NAMS.

Dr Aastha Mishra has been awarded the Indian National Science Academy (INSA) young scientists award' by the Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India in the year 2016. Besides that she is the recipient of several awards at various conferences and workshops such as the 'Young investigator award 2018' in XII ISMM World Congress on Mountain Medicine, Kathmandu, Nepal, 'Best presenter award 2012' in International Leh Symposium, Leh, Ladakh, J&K, India and 'Young investigator award 2012' in the 5<sup>th</sup> PVRI Workshop and Debate Symposium, CapeTown, South Africa. She has done her Ph.D. from CSIR-Institute of Genomics and Integrative Biology (IGIB), Delhi under the supervision of Dr Qadar Pasha. She has proved her proficiency in research, which is evident from her published work in high impact journals like Proceedings of National Academy of Sciences, USA, Clinical Science and many more. She has also worked as Research Associate at the Cambridge University, UK.

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