**Awards Categories and Criteria for Evaluation**

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| **No** | **Category of Award** | **Nature of the Award**# |

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| **Criteria** |

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| 1 | Full article published in a Refereed *Non-indexed* Journal  | **Cash Prize** Rs. 5,000/= (per article)Maximum Rs. 25,000 /=  | Cash Prize will be devided as following criteria50% for 1st Author25% for corresponding Author25% for total number of authors in UWU\*\*If two or more authors from UWU claims the same article for Research Awards |
| 2 | Full article published in a Refereed *Indexed* Journal  | **Cash Prize** Rs.15,000/= (per article)Maximum Rs. 50,000 /= + **Certificate** |
| Examples – if you are the only author for the publication, you will obtain 100% (50+ 25 + 25/1) of the award priceIf the publication has 2 authors and you are the first author, you will obtain 62.5% (50+ 0+ 25/2) of the award If you are not either the first author or the corresponding author and the publication has 5 authors you will obtain 5% (0+0+ 25/5) of the award cashAward cash less than Rs. 500/= will not be awarded. |
| 3 | Researcher having the highest citations for the year *(One Award for Each Department)* | **Cash Prize** Rs.25,000/=+ **Certificate**  | Research ID (researcherid.com)Scopus ID (scopus.com )Google Scholar (scholar.google.com)*Minimum of 20 citations, excluding self-citations are required to qualify* |
| 4 | Vice Chancellor’s Award for the Most Outstanding Young Researcher of the year | **Cash Prize** Rs.50,000/=+ **Certificate** +**Trophy** | Guidelines for Vice Chancellor’s Awards*A minimum of 15 marks is required to qualify* |
| 5 | Vice Chancellor’s Award for the Most Outstanding Senior Researcher of the year | **Cash Prize** Rs.60,000/=+ **Certificate** +**Trophy** | Guidelines for Vice Chancellor’s Awards*A minimum of 20 marks is required to qualify* |

#The cash prizes are subjected to change depending on the availability of funds.