



INTERNATIONAL PHYSICAL EDUCATION & SPORTS SCIENCES CONCLAVE AND AWARDS (IPESSCA-2026)

ORGANIZED BY
AMATEUR SPORTS DEVELOPMENT FEDERATION (ASDF), BANGALORE



About us:

- The Amateur Sports Development Federation (ASDF) was founded on 12th November 2025 and is registered under Section 8 of the Companies Act, 2013, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India.
- The organization is committed to promoting advancing Physical Education and Sports Sciences research at both national and international levels.

Aim:

- The ASDF Excellence Awards 2026 aim to recognize, celebrate, and honor outstanding contributions and exemplary achievements of researchers, academicians, coaches, sports professionals, and institutions across the globe in the fields of Physical Education, Sports Sciences, and allied disciplines.

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Objectives:

- The International Physical Education & Sports Sciences Conclave and Awards – 2026 seeks to provide a global platform for distinguished scholars, emerging researchers, academicians, practitioners, coaches, and industry experts to exchange knowledge, present innovative research, foster academic and professional collaborations, and recognize excellence in Physical Education, Sports Sciences, Coaching, Health, Fitness, and Sports Research.

Organizing Committee:

Convener

- Mrs. E. Radha, Co-Founder & Director, ASDF, Bangalore

Organizing Secretary

- Dr. Kasi Kamalakannan, Founder & Director, ASDF, Bangalore

Organizing Joint Secretary

- Dr.P.Rajinikanth,DPE,Tagore Engineering College,Chennai.
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Call for Nominations:

- We warmly invite researchers, academicians, coaches, and professionals from around the world to submit their CVs along with relevant supporting documents for nomination.

Domains

- Physical Education
- Sports Sciences
- Sports Medicine
- Sports Technology
- Sports Coaching
- Yoga

Award Categories:

- 1.Young Sports Administrator
- 2.Outstanding Sports Administrator
- 3.Outstanding Women Sports Administrator
- 4.Outstanding Physical Education Teacher
- 5.Outstanding Physical Education & Sports Promotion Institution(Rural Area)
- 6.Outstanding Yoga Teacher
- 7.Lifetime Achievement in Physical Education
- 8.Lifetime Achievement in Sports Coaching
- 9.Distinguished Professor
- 10.Global Eminent Scientist
- 11.Young Sports Coach
- 12.Outstanding Sports Coach
- 13.Young Sports Technology Professional
- 14.Outstanding Sports Technology Professional
- 15.Young Sports Medicine Professional
- 16.Outstanding Sports Medicine Professional



Eligibility Criteria

1. Young Sports Administrator

- Below 35 years with a minimum of 5 years of administrative experience and participation in at least 3 state/national-level events.

2. Outstanding Sports Administrator

- Minimum 10 years of administrative experience and participation in at least 3 state/national-level events.

3. Young Sports Technology Professional

- Below 35 years of age with a minimum of 3 innovation projects, software/app developments, patents/product contributions, or athlete performance analysis experience in Sports Technology

4. Outstanding Sports Technology Professional

- Minimum 5 years of experience with at least 5 significant contributions/projects in innovation, software/app development, patents/product development, or athlete performance analysis in Sports Technology.

5. Young Sports Coach

- Below 35 years of age with a minimum of 3 years of coaching experience and at least 5 State/National level medal achievements through coaching.

6. Outstanding Sports Coach

- Minimum 5 years of coaching experience with at least 10 State/National/International level medal achievements and significant contributions to athlete development and sports performance.

7. Young Sports Medicine Professional

- Below 35 years with minimum 3 years of professional experience and demonstrated contributions in sports medicine, rehabilitation, athlete care, or sports physiotherapy. Preference will be given to professionals who have successfully managed the recovery or rehabilitation of at least three State, National, or International level athletes.

8. Outstanding Sports Medicine Professional

- Minimum 8 years of professional experience with distinguished contributions in sports medicine, rehabilitation, athlete care, or sports physiotherapy. Preference will be given to professionals with experience in managing the recovery or rehabilitation of State, National, or International level athletes.



9.Outstanding Women Sports Administrator

- Minimum 10 years of administrative experience and participation in at least 3 state/national-level events

10.Outstanding Physical Education Teacher

- Minimum 5 years of Physical Education Teaching experience and participation in at least 3 state/national-level events

11.Outstanding Physical Education & Sports Promotion Institution (Rural Area)

- Minimum 5 years of Physical Education & Sports Development and Participate in at least 3 State/National-level events

12.Outstanding Yoga Teacher

- Minimum 5 years of Yoga Teaching experience and participation in at least 3 state/national-level events

13.Lifetime Achievement in Physical Education

- Minimum 15 years of experience in Teaching in Physical Education, 5 Scopus/Web of Science publications, and produced under the guidance of at least 8 PhD scholars.

14.Lifetime Achievement in Sports Coaching

- Minimum 15 years of experience in Sports coaching (only Olympic Sports), State/National-level medal winners

15.Distinguished Professor

- Minimum 20 years of experience, 10 publications, and produced under the guidance of at least 8 PhD scholars.

16. Global Eminent Scientist

- Minimum 15 years of experience Minimum 10 Scopus/Web of Science publications, at least 1 patent, and produced under the guidance of 8 PhD scholars.

Method of Selection:

- The selection will be conducted by an expert committee, followed by approval from the apex governing body of ASDF.

Guidelines for the Nomination:

- 1.Applicants must be affiliated with recognized institutions.
- 2.Only one category per applicant is allowed.
- 3.Applicants must maintain ethical standards with no ongoing legal disputes.
- 4.Complete CV with supporting documents is mandatory.
- 5.Evaluation will be conducted by an international panel.
- 6.Shortlisted candidates/institutions must submit relevant supporting documents whenever requested by the Selection Committee. Failure to do so may result in cancellation or suspension of the award.
- 7.The jury has the right to cancel or add any number of awards in the above category, the decision of the jury will be final.
- 8.Only the selected awardees are required to pay the processing fee for the Individual or Institutional Category.

Key Benefits of Participation:

1. Award Kit comprising a Trophy, Certificate of Honour, Laminated A4 Certificate, and A4 Certificate for official documentation
2. Official publication of the Award Proceedings
3. Media coverage through ASDF social media platforms and print media
4. Full event video coverage on the ASDF YouTube Channel
5. Complimentary One-Year ASDF Annual Membership
6. 80G Tax Exemption Benefit Receipt
7. Publication of awardee profiles on the official website

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Important Dates:

- Last Date: **30 June 2026**
- Award Ceremony: **16 July 2026**
- Venue: **IIT Madras Research Park, Chennai**

Processing Fees:

- Indian Faculty: ₹1500
- International Faculty: \$50
- (Includes 1-Year Membership: 2026-2027)

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