



भारतीय प्रतिष्ठान

NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR INDIA

2020 Awards for Community Action and Leadership

In memory of Bharat Ratna C. Subramaniam

Dear friends

Greetings from NFI, hope this finds you well.

As you are perhaps aware, the **Community Action and Leadership Award** programme in memory of Bharat Ratna C. Subramaniam first Chairperson of NFI, has provided recognition to over 150 grassroot works of community leaders for social change across 15 years and more. The award provides an opportunity to mid-career voluntary sector workers and community leaders to enhance their leadership qualities and gain visibility before a national audience.

The community actions taken up by the C. S. Awardees have been wide-ranging, including participatory forest resource management, freeing salt workers from the grip of money lenders in Gujarat, social audit of the Total Sanitation campaign, medical help to those affected by the Bhopal Gas leak disaster, action on malnutrition and the right to food, to mention a few.

NFI gives preference to Dalit, Adivasi, Muslim, transgender and disabled applicants; especially those working on issues related to gender justice, agriculture distress and environmental action, freedom of expression and deepening democracy.

The last date for receipt of application this year is **15th December (Sunday) 2019**, and the brochure is attached.

I would be grateful if you can encourage suitable applicants for our Awards programme for the year 2020.

With regards,


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