

Announcement of programmes for the year 2019-20

Dear Shastri friends,

Monsoon Greetings!

Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute is pleased to announce following programmes for the year **2019-20** administered by its offices in India and Canada. The programmes seeking applications in this round are:

1. Shastri Institutional Collaborative Research Grant **(SICRG)**
2. Shastri Mobility Programme **(SMP)**
3. Shastri Research Student Fellowship **(SRSF)**
4. Shastri Programme Development Grant **(SPDG)**
5. Shastri Publication Grant **(SPG)**
6. Shastri Membership Development Grant **(SMDG)**
7. Faculty Development Programme For Vocational Education **(FDPVE)**
8. Shastri Scholar Travel Subsidy Grant **(SSTSG)**
9. SICI Membership Development Fund **(SMDF)**

Applications from all domains of studies like Social Sciences and Humanities, Arts, Commerce & Management and STEM subjects are accepted. However, applications are encouraged in the focus areas of SICI and *[priority areas](#) of MHRD, Govt. of India i.e. Food Security and Sustainable Development, Energy, Environmental Science and Climate Change, Agricultural Science & Technology, Health Care Sciences, Nursing, Marine Sciences and Ocean Studies, Information & Communication Technology, Sustainable Habitat, Nano-technology Hardware, Water Resources & River Systems, Advanced Materials, Manufacturing, Security & Defense, Gender, Bi-lateral Trade and Investment, Securing Future of Children and Youth, Higher Education, Teacher Education and Training. Please note that for purposes of all SICI granting programs, 'research' shall be deemed to include creative activity conducted within the structures and programs of a member institution.

In order to give a wider reach to these programmes and benefit the academic and research community of your institution, we request you to kindly display the announcement on respective websites and share through various forums of students and faculty networks of your University/Institution. As per my understanding, International Research offices dealing with grants and opportunities-abroad will be ideal to circulate the notification. However, this may be differently handled at respective institutions. The poster about programme announcement is attached with email for your reference and to be used for the notice boards.

Currently, we are visiting campuses of our member institutions to promote programmes offered by Shastri Institute. You may let us know the convenient time to visit your institution/university by the next week so that we can plan the visit accordingly.

The details of the programmes are available at our web portal <https://www.shastriinstitute.org> and can be accessed through the link: <https://www.shastriinstitute.org/grants-awards-and-opportunities-for-indian-canadian-scholars>.

In case of any difficulty in submission of applications at Grant Management System (GMS), scholars can contact at siciapplications@sici.org.in. For queries related to programmes namely, **SSTSG & SMDF** (Sr. no. 8 & 9), please write to Ms. Mahmuda Aldeen at maldeen@ucalgary.ca.

[Poster for Programme Announcement](#)