



G N RAMACHANDRAN GOLD MEDAL FOR EXCELLENCE IN BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY 2014 & 2015

CSIR instituted a Gold Medal in 2004 in the fond memory of Prof. G N Ramachandran, a pioneer of protein chemistry & the founding father of structural biology in India, for recognizing excellence in the interdisciplinary subject /field of Biological Sciences & Technology.

Till the year 2013, ten scientists have been bestowed with this prestigious award:

Prof M Vijayan (2004),	Prof P Balaram (2005),	Prof T P Singh (2006),
Prof C Ramakrishnan (2007),	Prof M R N Murthy (2008),	Prof R V Hosur (2009),
Dr Dinakar M. Salunke (2010),	Prof Jayant B. Udgaonkar (2011),	Prof Dulal Panda (2012),
Prof Raghavan Varadarajan (2013).		

G N Ramachandran Gold Medal for year 2014



PROF UMESH VARSHNEY

The G N Ramachandran Gold Medal for Excellence in Biological Science and Technology for the year 2014 has been awarded to Prof Umesh Varshney of Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore. Prof Varshney has made outstanding contributions to our understanding of the mechanism of protein translation with implications in human health.

G N Ramachandran Gold Medal for year 2015



DR RAJAN SANKARANARAYANAN

The G N Ramachandran Gold Medal for Excellence in Biological Science and Technology for the year 2015 has been awarded to Dr Rajan Sankaranarayanan of CSIR-Center for Cellular and Molecular Biology, Hyderabad, for his outstanding contributions in the field of structural biology elucidating the molecular mechanisms involved in the fundamental process of proofreading during translation of the genetic code.

