**CMS PSA Young Environment Journalist Awards 2014**

**Application Form**

**Last date for submitting entries: December 30, 2013**

**Award Applied for:**

Y Young Environment Journalist Award (Print)

Young Environment Journalist Award (Electronic)

**Type of Media Institution:**

Newspaper/ Journal TV Channel Freelancer

**Name of the organisation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Contact address of the Organisation:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**Applicant’s Details (IN BLOCK LETTERS ONLY)**

**Name : \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Designation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Age: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**City : \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Zip/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Fax : \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Area of Specialisation**[max 100 words]:

**Why you think you should be considered for the award**[max 250 words]:

**GUIDELINES**

**Young Environment Journalist Award (Print and Electronic)**

Initiated in the year 2007 by CMS Environment, the awards are for excellence in environmental journalism. It is presented to an individual who has done exemplary investigative and inspired reporting on environmental issues in the country. These biennial awards are a countrywide recognition of two journalists (21-35 years of age) who have made a significant contribution in either the print or electronic media to an understanding of the nation's environmental problems.

The winners of the previous awards include Bahar Dutt (CNN-IBN) and Amarjyoti Borah (Freelancer) in 2007 | Aarti Dhar (The Hindu) and Pierre Fitter (NEWSX) in 2009 | Soma Basu (The Statesman, Kolkata) and Manu C Kumar (Manorama News, Mumbai) in 2011. Forum of Environmental Journalists of India (FEJI), TVE Asia Pacific and PANOS South Asia (PSA) has been the supporting partners for these honours over the years.

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* The applicants should be in the age group of 21-35 years.
* The awards are open to Indian Journalists from both print and electronic media (national as well as regional and freelance journalists).
* There are two awards. One each in print and electronic.
* The applicants would be required to submit their work i.e. published/ broadcast stories (not more than 3 stories, i.e. print’s scanned copy/e-news or news video or series) along with their application.
* Work done during January 2012- till the last date can be submitted.
* The award comprises of a trophy, citation and prize money of Rs 25,000/- each.

**Key Details**

* The last date for receiving applications with all the supporting details is December 30, 2013.
* The applicants would be required to print the application; fill the details; get their editor’s or bureau chief’s signature and organisation seal; scan the filled & signed/stamped application and email the application along with their work to [psa@panossouthasia.org](mailto:gopi@panossouthasia.org) with cc to [info@cmsvatavaran.org](mailto:info@cmsvatavaran.org)
* The awards will be selected by an independent eminent jury.
* The awards will be presented on January 30, 2014 (Thursday) at New Delhi during the inaugural ceremony of 7th Competitive Edition of CMS VATAVARAN at IGNCA lawns.

I certify that that the above-mentioned information provided by me is correct to the best of my knowledge.

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**Applicant’s Signature Editor/ Bureau Chief’s Signature**

Date:

Place: Organisation Seal

**For more details contact:**

Award Coordinator, Panos South Asia at e-mail [psa@panossouthasia.org](mailto:psa@panossouthasia.org), with a copy to info@cmsvatavaran.org  
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