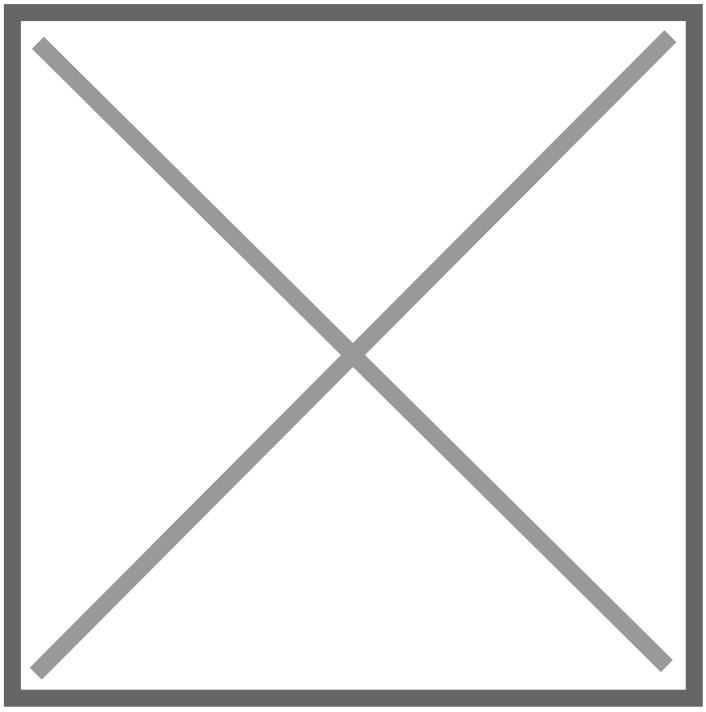


BioSpectrum Awards 2009

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December is the time for the annual BioSpectrum Awards, which were started in 2003. The awards are to recognize the exceptional contributions of the industarum-ABLE Survey of the Biotech IndustryÃ¢â?¬?. The top ranked companies (by revenues) in each of the sectors are the winners.

The BioSpectrum Biotech Industry Awards were selected by a panel of eminent people, who come from various backgrounds. The panel is empowered to nominate or introduce any special category of award.

Jury

BioSpectrum Awards 2009 jury and deliberations

The process started with the constitution of the panel in the first week of September 2009 and laying down the criteria for the selection of BioSpectrum Awards 2009. This was followed by the members of the jury meeting in New Delhi on October 23, 2008 for making the final choice.

BioSpectrum Jury Award Winners 2009

The jury was unanimous in its choice of selecting the winners in most of the categories. The awardees of 2009 are:

BioSpectrum Life Time Achievement Award 2009:

Dr. D. Balasubramanian, Director of Research, LV Prasad Eye Institute

BioSpectrum Person of the Year 2009: Hari Bhartia, co-chairman and managing director, Jubilant Organosys

BioSpectrum Entrepreneur of 2009: Binoy Gardi and Apurva Shah of Veeda Clinical Research

BioProduct of 2009: Dry Tri T-STAT Diagnostic Kit, ReaMetrix

BioSpectrum Company Award winners:

BioPharma Company of the Year: Serum Institute

BioAgri Company of the Year: Rasi Seeds

BioServices Company of the Year: Jubilant Organosys, Syngene Intl

BioIndustrial Company of the Year: Novozymes South Asia

BioSuppliers Company of the Year: Waters India

Public Institute of the Year: Jawaharlal Nehru University

Private Institute of the Year: Sastra University, Thanjavur

The jury chair, Samir Brahmachari, guided the entire process of arriving at unanimous decisions and notified each winner of the selection and the winners have agreed to accept the awards.

The winners of BioSpectrum Awards 2009 would be honored on December 22, 2009 at the Awards ceremony in Bangalore.