

CCE SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARD

Special Recognition Award for Excellent Service to the Committee on Chemistry Education (ESCCE)

to be presented at the 28th ICCE in 2026

Chair of the Committee: Uday Maitra; Members of the Committee: Felix Ho, Mauro Mocerino

Award Description:

The IUPAC Committee on Chemistry Education (CCE) Award Committee is soliciting nominations for the CCE Special Recognition Award for excellent service to the CCE. This award, sponsored by the CCE, recognizes individuals who have given excellent service to the CCE, *i.e.* to further CCE priorities and IUPAC strategic objectives related to chemistry education. The awardee will have contributed to international chemistry education initiatives at local and international levels.

The IUPAC Committee on Chemistry Education ESCCE Award Committee will meet to decide the awardees by consensus. The award(s) will be presented at the 28th ICCE which will be held in Erzurum, Türkiye, during July 13-17, 2026.

Number of Awards

Up to three awardees will be offered a plaque and a certificate in appreciation of their excellent service to the Committee on Chemistry Education.

Eligibility

All members of IUPAC-affiliated countries will be encouraged to consider nominating officers, titular members (TMs) and/or national representatives (NRs) of the Committee on Chemistry Education who have given excellent service to the committee and will or have stepped down from the CCE. Examples of exemplary contribution are provided in the award document.

Submission

Nominations (deadline October 15, 2025) and the required supporting material include:

- A completed official nomination form (available from CCE website)
- The nominee's curriculum vitae (max 5 pages)
- A nomination letter from the primary nominator describing in 750 words or less how the nominee's contribution to the Committee on Chemistry Education aligns with the criteria for this award
- Up to two supporting letters (max 400 words each) from other relevant people may also be included.

Create a pdf combining the nomination and supporting materials into one document. Send the pdf and the name of the nominee via email to Uday Maitra, maitra@iisc.ac.in.