AWARDING BODIES

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SEC - State Examinations Commission (Department of Education and Skills)

Institutes of Technology

Universities

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AWARDS IN THE FRAMEWORK

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Major Awards: named in the outer rings, are the principal class of awards made at a level

Minor Awards: are for partial completion of the outcomes for a Major Award

Supplemental Awards: are for learning that is additional to a Major Award

Special Purpose Awards: are for relatively narrow or purpose-specific achievement

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