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IISER professor wins prestigious EMBO YIP

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PUNE: European Molecular Biology Organisation (EMBO)'s has selected 27 life scientists from across the world and Siddhesh Kamat, assistant professor in the Biology department at Indian Institute of Science Education and Research is one of them. His selection as a Young Investigator is for a period of four years starting from January 2020.

'Through the Young Investigator Programme, EMBO identifies and supports some of the best young researchers in the life sciences. EMBO Young Investigators are group leaders in the early stages of setting up an independent laboratory in European Molecular Biology Conference (EMBC) member or associate member states. They receive financial and practical support for a period of four years to help them develop skills and

connections that will help them during this career stage,' said the official website of EMBO.

"Through the EMBO YIP, Dr. Kamat joins an elite network of 129 current and 340 former fellows globally. EMBO Young Investigators enjoy a range of benefits to support them in their careers, that include access to core facilities at European Molecular Biology Laboratory (EMBL) in Heidelberg, Germany, additional research funding, networking and training opportunities, and an award. Siddhesh Kamat's group studies biological processes involved in lipid signaling and metabolism in the nervous and immune system," said the release from IISER.

