**Nomination Form**

**Bhagirath Prayaas Samman 2016**

**Last date for submission: July 15, 2016**

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| **1. The Nominee** | |
| Please fill in the following details. Please provide contact details for the key functionary, if you are nominating an organisation.   |  |  | | --- | --- | | Name: | Geographical area of work which is being nominated   * State: * River Basin: * Sub-basin: | | Organisation: | | Address: | Type of nominee: (pl tick one)   * Individual  1. Activists 2. Researchers 3. Professionals[[1]](#footnote-1) 4. Government 5. Media  * Organisation  1. NGOs 2. Community Based Organisations 3. Government 4. Media | | Mobile Phone No:  Landline No:  Email  Website: | | |
| **2. Details regarding the nominated initiative** | |
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Criteria:

* Self nominations are not eligible; Nominator cannot be a relative or supervisor/superior/colleague of the nominee.
* Individuals and organizations who have been widely honoured in the past and received awards for their work and posthumous nominations will not be considered
* Samman will be a motivation for continuing the work in future and not merely recognition of past work. Initiatives which are less than three years will not be considered.
* Samman will consider the nature, length and persistence of the effort, the results achieved and the impact on society, etc.
* Following aspects will be considered for selection of the winner:
  + Significance of issue addressed and the process adopted
  + Field action leading to results on the ground, policy
  + Stakeholder perceptions (during field trip by Jury)
  + Inspirational value (for eg; working with limited resources, working against all odds
  + Sustainability (durability of the initiative beyond project life span) & replicability
  + Unsung initiatives

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1. Professor; Lawyer; Writer; Film maker; any other [↑](#footnote-ref-1)