OTAI (SZ) ANNUAL MERIT AWARDS

Oil Technologists’ Association of India (Southern Zone) instituted O P NARULA YOUNG SCIENTIST AND O P NARULA TECHNOLOGY AWARD in 1998 with a capital fund provided by Sri O P Narula, President, Industrial Consultants (India), New Delhi. OTAI (SZ) has enhanced the capital fund of the award from its funds and renamed these Awards as “O P NARULA – OTAI (SZ) YOUNG SCIENTIST AWARD and O P NARULA – OTAI (SZ) TECHNOLOGY AWARD”.

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