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Date: 19 December, 2017

Subject: Provisional Offer to the Research Student under INSPIRE Fellowship [DST/INSPIRE/03/2017/000845]

Dear Shiuli Jana,

The Government of India has launched a unique Scheme "Innovation in Science Pursuit for Inspired Research (INSPIRE)" with several components. **One of the components:INSPIREFellowship** provides fellowship in Basic and Applied Sciences.

I am pleased that your name has been **provisionally** short-listed for the award of **INSPIRE Fellowship**, subject to fulfillment of conditions for Final Offer. The Provisional Offer is issued now without evaluation on i). Academic merit, ii). Host Institution including Host Department and Research Supervisor and iii). The detailed Research Proposal by the Expert Panel. **This Provisional Offer will be valid for one year from the date of issue of this letter.**

The final selection to the Fellowship will be subjected to 1) gaining admission into doctoral (PhD) program in the any recognized University/ Institute of the country **within one year from the date of issue of this Offer**, 2) on evaluation of i). Academic merit, ii). Host Institution including Host Department and Research Supervisor and iii). The detailed Research Proposal by the Expert Panel, in which candidate has to secure the minimum marks of 60 (out of 100). Hence, this Provisional Offer does not have any guarantee for offering the Final Offer.

The value of the Fellowship will be at par with the Junior Research Fellowship (JRF) or Senior Research Fellowship (SRF) of Government of India along with a Contingency grant. The Fellowship shall be tenable to you for a period of five years or completion of your doctoral (PhD) program Viva Voce , whichever is earlier.

After gaining admission into PhD program at any recognized University/ Institute, you need to ensure of preparing a well meaning research proposal of PhD feasible to do at the given Host institution. You will be required to upload through online system (<http://online-inspire.gov.in>) i) the PhD admission related documents along with Endorsement Certificate (Endorsement Certificate template is available in your dashboard in online system), ii) Write-up on the detailed Research Proposal to be pursued during the doctoral research and iii) the CV of the Research Supervisor. Please note that once you submit these documents, there will be no scope to alter them in the web-portal unless they are rejected by us. Students are advised to upload these documents within **one month** of gaining their admission in to PhD course. Terms and conditions are also available in website http://www.inspire-dst.gov.in/Fellowship_guidelines.pdf.

The final offer can only be provided on evaluation of your Research Proposal with respect Host Institution etc. by the Expert Committee, securing the minimum score in evaluation and also the availability of seats under INSPIRE Fellowship in that year.

Without confirmation of your PhD admission and non-submission of your research proposal within the validity period of one year (365 days), the validity of your Provisional Offer will be expired automatically. On expiry of this offer, the online portal for submission of PhD details shall be closed in that case and then you will not be able to submit the documents. There will be no scope for giving any extension on the validity of the Provisional Offer in any situation. Documents sent as Email attachment or any other mode will be treated as invalid and no actions will be taken from DST.

In the event of you having being found ineligible at any state in future for the award/eligibility for INSPIRE Fellowship due to any reason (including unintentional computer error or printer's devil etc) this will be deemed withdrawn.

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Dear Shiuli Jana,

Please note that these documents are necessary to upload at INSPIRE Online Webportal only for final Selection under INSPIRE Fellowship

Following documents need to be uploaded in online portal <http://online-inspire.gov.in/> for further processing.

1. PhD admission Letter. (By which you got the confirmation about your PhD admission from your Host Institute Administration (Registrar/Comptroller/Dean/Director)). Please note that Admission Letters/Joining Letters endorsed/issued by Supervisor/Heads of Departments will not be accepted.
2. Endorsement Certificate (Template available in your dashboard in online portal).
3. Fee receipt (if deposited).
4. C.V. of the Supervisor.
5. Approved Research Topic (Approved by Research Supervisor is mandatory) and its detailed write-up which will be pursued during the PhD programme under this Fellowship.(4-5 PAGES IN PDF FORAMT).

No change in Research Prposal and Host Institution oand Supervisor would be entertained in later date once submitted or Fellowship offered.

Please don't send any of these documents by post, any hard copy will not be entertained at this end.

This is for your kind information and necessary action.

Thanking you.

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