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**University Grants Commission**  
(Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India)  
Bahadurshah Zafar Marg, New Delhi - 110 002

**SPEED POST**

F.NO.5-161/2016(IC)

February, 2016

✓ Dr. Anirban Guha  
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Department of Physics  
Tripura University,  
Agartala-799022

10 FEB 2016

**Subject: - Raman Fellowship for Post Doctoral Research in USA for the Year 2015-16 to be awarded by University Grants Commission.**

Sir/Madam,

With reference to your application on the subject cited above, I am pleased to inform you that the UGC has awarded you Raman Fellowship for Post-Doctoral Research in USA for a period of **12 Months**.

The candidate selected for the award of this fellowship should join the fellowship host institution in USA within six month period from the date of award announcement.

Rules governing payment of salary, Study leave, medical, gratuity, GPF and Pension etc. of the organization / institution / university to which the fellow belongs would continue to be applicable. No liability on any of these accounts will be borne by UGC. However, UGC letter No. 1-6/2012(PS) dated 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 (copy enclosed) may be referred to regarding the grant of study leave to university and college teachers.

**The terms and conditions governing the fellowship are as follows:-**

- The fellow will be entitled to fellowship amount of US \$ 3000 per month.
- The fellow will also be entitled to one time personal contingency grant of up to a maximum amount of Rs. 50,000 to cover for visa, airport transfer, medical insurance etc.
- Fellow will also be permitted to travel within USA to attend conferences or other institutes of interest with the approval of the advisor of the host institute. The fellow will be provided grants for this purpose as per the following:
  - I. Grant of \$ 600 for fellowship period up to 6 months.
  - II. Grant of \$ 1200 for fellowship period beyond 6 months.

Air-tickets for the selected fellow would be purchased by the respective university/ institution by economy class for shortest route directly from Air India from their place of work in India to the place of the American host institute and back. The actual ticket amount would be reimbursed by UGC to the institution for the same on submission of the following documents duly certified by the competent authority of the institution:

- Visit Report (pro-forma enclosed).
- Utilization Certificate and Item-wise Statement of Expenditure (pro-forma enclosed).
- Fellowship Completion Certificate from the US Host Institute.
- Original Air Tickets and Boarding Passes.
- Receipts of Visa fee, SEVIS fee & Insurance charges.

The scholar should submit the above mentioned documents as per the prescribed pro-forma within 45 days after the completion of his/her research work in USA.

In case the fellow leaves the host institution or fellowship without completing the research work, he/she shall be liable for refund of entire fellowship amount within a period of 02 months, failing which it will be treated as misconduct on the part of the fellow, and the Commission shall recommend to the parent institution in India for recovery of award amount and initiation of suitable departmental action against the erring fellow.

If the above-mentioned terms and conditions are acceptable, you are requested to convey your acceptance for availing the fellowship as well as your tentative / final tour program by 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2016. However, one shall have to submit the final tour program before leaving India to pursue the research work at USA. You are also requested to submit the duly filled mandate form (account details of your university/college) along with the acceptance letter (a blank copy of mandate form enclosed).

**Encl. As above**

Yours faithfully,

  
**(Dr. (Mrs) Manju Singh)**  
**Joint Secretary**





पंजीकृत पत्र  
Registered Letter

भारतीय राष्ट्रीय विज्ञान अकादमी

बहादुर शाह ज़फ़र मार्ग, नई दिल्ली-110 002  
INDIAN NATIONAL SCIENCE ACADEMY  
Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi - 110 002

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No.Intl/ISRAEL / 2016/  
09 December, 2015

Dr. Anirban Guha  
Assistant Professor  
Department of Physics  
Tripura University  
Suryamaninagar, Tripura- 799 022

Sub: Your Selection to Israel for **3 weeks** under International Collaboration/Exchange Programme during 2016

Dear Dr. Guha,

We wish to inform you that on the recommendations of the Inter-Academy Exchange Committee, the Academy has short listed your name for your visit to above country with **50%** travel support. The local hospitality and internal travel will be borne by the host Academy/Organisation in the above country. You are required to send the following documents duly completed:-

1. Form of Proposal (*one hard copy and the other through e.mail*). Please note that the Form of Proposal should reach INSA at least 3 months before your proposed visit.
2. Certificate duly signed by the Head of your Organisation/Institute

According to the guidelines of the Academy, scientists considered for Selection under the programme are expected to undertake the visit within the calendar year i.e. up to **December 31, 2016** and it is subject to the acceptance by the host Academy/Organisation. We would be happy to receive your acceptance of this offer within **30 days** of issue of this letter. In case, you are not able to avail this offer please do let us know so that this offer can be transferred to the next person.

Please ensure that the dates indicated by you in your proposal are acceptable to your host and also your parent institute. Only in extreme circumstances, the change of dates will be considered by the Academy.

Kindly acknowledge the receipt,

Yours sincerely,

*Brotati Chattopadhyay*

(Dr (Mrs) Brotati Chattopadhyay)  
Assistant Executive Director (International)

Encl:a/a.

**Important Note:**

- \* Please do not proceed to foreign country until you receive the Final Deputation Letter and Visa Advice from INSA . Without these documents your visit will not be considered under INSA Bilateral Exchange Programme.
- \* Your stay in foreign country should not exceed the period sanctioned by the Academy

Copy to: The Registrar, Tripura University, Suryamaninagar, Tripura- 799 022.



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## Proposal for the Deputation of Scientists under the Agreement of Scientific Cooperation (To be typewritten)

Photo

1. Country to be visited: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Full Name & Present Position:  
(Indicate Surname first)

Date of Birth:

3. Address for correspondence : (Tel.No. (including mobile No.) /Fax/e.mail)

4. Brief Biodata: (maximum 200 words)

**5. Significant Publications:(maximum of 4 related to proposed work)**

**6. (a) Duration of visit: ..... Days /weeks/months**

**(b) Expected date of departure:.....**

**7. Programme of visit: (with tentative dates)**

**(Please attach copy of the Formal Invitation Letter from the host scientists in the country to be visited)**

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<b>Name of host Scientist &amp; Institution</b>	<b>Period of stay</b>
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**8. Brief plan of research to be carried out/proposed joint project: (attach separate sheet)**

**9. Title of the lecture: ( for short term visitors)**

**10. Passport No. .... Date of issue ..... Place of issue .....**

**(Signature of the Applicant)**



**CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY THE HEAD OF THE**  
**INSTITUTE/ORGANISATION/UNIVERSITY**

Certified that Professor / Dr..... Selected.....  
under the Bilateral Exchange Programme of Indian National Science Academy to  
visit .....for ..... weeks/months will be  
provided 50% / 100% air fare ( from place of duty to  
..... and back) by our Institute /University or  
without financial assistance and the period of deputation abroad will be treated as  
on duty. The Institute/University will provide full salary and allowances.

Date.....

Signature of the Head of  
the Institute/University/Organisation  
with seal of the Officer

\*strike out whichever is not applicable.



**Science and Engineering Research Board**  
**International Travel Support Scheme**

Established through an Act of Parliament: SERB Act 2008, Department of  
Science & Technology, Government of India

Application No. - ITS/163/2016-17

Dated: 16-03-2016

To

Dr. Mrinal kanti Bhowmik  
ASSISTANT PROFESSOR  
DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING  
TRIPURA UNIVERSITY (A CENTRAL UNIVERSITY)  
AGARTALA-799022(TRIPURA)

Sub. : Financial Assistance to Dr. Mrinal kanti Bhowmik for participating in SPIE Defense + Security to be held from 17-04-2016 to 21-04-2016 in Baltimore, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Sir/Madam,

We are happy to inform you that your application seeking financial grant to attend the above mentioned international scientific event has been recommended for support by the Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB). We will provide to and fro economic class air-fare by the shortest route, airport tax & visa fees. It is hoped that the support will give you an opportunity to interact with leading international experts in the area. The support, however, is subject to the following conditions.

1. You should not have received financial support during the last three years under this scheme.
2. The air tickets are to be booked in economic class by the shortest route in a National Carrier, i.e., Air India. If you are traveling by Private Airline because of non-availability of tickets or any other reason, you are requested to seek relaxation from the Ministry of Civil Aviation. Detailed guidelines for travel by private airlines other than Air India are available at Ministry of Civil Aviation website (<http://www.civilaviation.gov.in>). SERB will not entertain any request seeking permission to travel by Private Airlines. You are advised to attach a copy of permission letter from Ministry of Civil Aviation for travel by private airlines while claiming reimbursement. Without this permission letter, it will not be possible to reimburse the travel grant.
3. E-ticket is acceptable provided the amount of the fare is clearly reflected on the ticket.
4. The signed print copy of Claim Form along with the original Boarding passes must be sent to the SERB immediately after completing the online Claim Form to the following address.  
*ITS Section*  
*Science and Engineering Research Board*  
*5 & 5A, Lower Ground Floor, Vasant Square Mall, Sector B, Pocket 5*  
*New Delhi, Delhi-110070*
5. SERB will reimburse the grant after deducting the financial assistance received from any other sources, if any.
6. All other expenses such as per diem, taxi fare etc. will not be reimbursed by SERB.
7. You will have to make your own arrangements for foreign exchange required for the purpose.
8. You will not be treated as a delegate sponsored by the Government of India.
9. Based on this offer letter, your Institute may consider advancing necessary funds to enable you to attend the above event.
10. We request you to either accept or decline this offer at the earliest online. On acceptance only, you will be able to submit the Claim Form. Please note that once you decline this offer, it will be assumed that you are not interested in availing this offer and no further communication will be entertained in this matter.
11. You must submit Claim Form and other documents online within 90 days of the Last Date of the Event, failing which SERB will not reimburse the Travel Grant.

With kind regards,

Your's Faithfully

R K Joshi  
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