

SCIENCE ACADEMIES' SUMMER RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMME



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Dear Mr Vetrivelan,

This has reference to your application **CHES1229** for an IASc-INSA-NASI Summer Research Fellowship in 2016. We are happy to offer you a Fellowship to work for two months during this summer subject to verification of your marks as stated by you in the application. You will be working with Professor G.U. Kulkarni, Centre for Nano and Soft Matter Sciences, Bengaluru (e-mail: kulkarni@jncasr.ac.in, gukulka@gmail.com).

We have tried as far as practicable to assign you to a guide in the area mentioned by you. **Where that has not been possible, you will work with the assigned guide in a related area that will be determined by the guide, and trust that the experience will be fruitful to you. We will not be able to make any changes in this regard.**

This Fellowship is subject to the following norms:

1. The duration of the Fellowship is **eight weeks (56 days – including Sundays and General Holidays), and is not to be reduced. If you do not complete this requirement, you will not be paid the fellowship and the certificate that is usually issued on completion.**
2. You will be provided a Second Class [sleeper] train fare from Krishnagiri to CNSMS, Bengaluru and back.
3. If you are NOT an INSPIRE/KVPY Fellowship holder, you will be paid a Fellowship of Rs. 8,000/- per month towards your boarding, lodging, local transport etc.. Those who are in receipt of INSPIRE/KVPY Fellowship will be covered by a separate arrangement, the details of which will be sent later.
4. The Academy will arrange accommodation at its Fellows Residency in Bengaluru for about 300 summer fellows on first come first serve basis.

Please also go through carefully & comply with **all the Instructions** given in the attached sheet.

You are advised to get in touch with Professor Kulkarni immediately to work out the exact period of your visit. In the meantime please communicate with Mr C.S. Ravi Kumar, Coordinator, Summer Research Fellowship Programme, your acceptance of this Fellowship. We would need a joining report from you upon your arrival, and a brief report of your work at the end of four weeks so that your Fellowship for the first month can be paid. After the receipt of the final report, we shall release the remaining amount due to you along with your travel fare.

We urge you to convey your acceptance of this fellowship within 7 days by both online (using the userid and password given at the bottom of the email) as well as by **returning the Form of Acceptance posted to you.** Even if you are not able to accept the fellowship, this should be communicated to the Academy immediately (both by email and in the Form of Acceptance) so that it can be awarded to another candidate in the waiting list.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

K.L. Sebastian