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PRIME MINISTER'S SCHEME FOR MENTORING YOUNG AUTHORS

FAGREEMENT With YOUNG, UPCOMING AND VERSATILE AUTHORS



NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA

Ministry of Education, Government of India

राष्ट्रीय पुस्तक न्यास, भारत

शिक्षा मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार



Knowledge PARTNER of the NATION

Mr./Ms. Monika Rona s/d/o: Jeewan Rona (hereinafter called the "Author", which expression shall, where the context so admits, include his/her legal representatives, successors and assigns). Or in case of an Author being a minor, under the Guardianship of Mr.

- 110070 (hereafter referred to as NBT), through duly authorised representative being the Director, NBT.

WHEREAS the Author has been selected under the PM YUVA Mentoring Scholarship scheme wherein financial assistance shall be provided to the Author under the scheme on the terms and conditions of this agreement.

WHEREAS this Agreement is being made and signed into two parts namely: Part A: Terms of Scholarship and Part B: Terms and Payment of Royalty.

WHEREAS the Author has read and understood the terms and conditions of the Agreement and is willing to enter into the present agreement with free will and consent.

NOW IT IS HEREBY AGREED BY AND BETWEEN THE PARTIES AS FOLLOWS: PART A: TERMS OF SCHOLARSHIP

ABOUT THE SCHEME

This scheme is part of the India@75 Project in order to bring to fore the perspectives of the young generation of writers on themes like Unsung Heroes, Freedom Fighters, Unknown and Forgotten Places and their role in National Movement and other related themes in an innovative and creative manner. This Scheme is a social investment for a knowledge-based society, percolating the idea of appreciation of literature and language among the young creative minds. Through mentoring of the creative skills of young authors, this scheme will provide them training towards cultural and literary perspectives.

While preparing them as authors and creative leaders of the future, this scheme will ensure to bring to center stage the rich heritage of accumulated ancient Indian wisdom.

The Authors selected under the scheme are expected to show utmost integrity, professional sincerity, honesty and candor. The Author should abstain himself from getting involved in any misconduct and ill-practices.

PROPOSAL, IMPLEMENTATION & EXECUTION

This proposal of mentorship of young authors is in tune with PM's vision of Global Citizen that needs to be launched to train young and budding authors of below 30 years in order to promote reading, writing and book culture in the country, and project India and Indian writings globally.

The National Book Trust, India (under BP Division, Ministry of Education, GOI) as the Implementing Agency will ensure phase-wise execution of the Scheme under well-defined stages of mentorship.

SCHEDULE FOR DISBURSEMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP

(A) As per the scheme a consolidated scholarship of Rs. 3,00,000/- per author shall be paid under this Scheme within a period of six months from the date of commencement of this agreement, i.e. 12th January 2022. The disbursement shall be made in following manner:

Monika Rana

Author's Signature

- i. Rs. 50,000/- shall be paid at the time of signing of this agreement.
- ii. Rs. 1,00,000/- shall be paid on 15th April 2022 subject to the Author submitting a detailed report regarding the work completed so far.
- iii. Rs. 1,50,000/- shall be paid in the month of July 2022. This amount shall be paid subject to the condition that the author successfully completes and submits the work.
- iv. Author understands that he/she is not liable to receive any other amount over and above the scholarship for any expenses incurred towards travel, accommodation, research purposes or for any other expenditure.

Provided that NBT shall have the power to condone the delay in case the Author fails to complete the project within the given time on showing sufficient cause for delay.

- **(B)** By signing this agreement, the Author acknowledges the offer of the National Book Trust, India. The Author understands and agrees that these funds are to be used for education-related expenses for the Scheme. This scholarship is non-transferable.
- (C) The Author shall submit a monthly report to NBT showing the progress of WORK.

BANK DETAILS

The Author shall submit his/her bank details in the following manner:

Name: Monika Rana

Account No.: 99980106086429

IFSC Code: FDRL0001438

Branch: Federal Bank, Siliguri

PENALTY FOR NON-COMPLETION

In case the Author fails to complete and submit the work within the stipulated time of 6 months, no amount shall be paid to the Author. Further, if the Author commits any breach of the conditions mentioned hereinunder this Agreement, then a suitable action/recourse shall be taken by the appropriate authority against the Author.

RELATIONSHIP OF PARTIES

Nothing in this Agreement will be construed as creating a relationship of partnership, joint venture, agency or employment between the Parties. The student/young author shall neither act as an agent for the NBT nor has, any power or authority to speak for, represent, bind or assume any obligation on behalf of the NBT. No claim of employment shall be entertained by NBT.

WAIVER AND AMENDMENT

No waiver of any breach of any provision of this Agreement constitutes a waiver of any prior, concurrent or subsequent breach of the same or any other provisions, and will not be effective unless made in writing and signed by the waiving Party. Except as expressly set out in this Agreement, no amendment is binding on the Parties unless it is in writing and signed by the Parties.

ACCEPTANCE OF MANUSCRIPT

The Author shall prepare and deliver to the NBT, for approval, the complete clean typescript/manuscript of the WORK (soft copy to match the hard copy exactly with a printout in double space) in duplicate together with written permission for the use of any copyrighted material included in the WORK within six months from the date of this AGREEMENT.

Monika Rona Author's Signature

PART B: TERMS AND PAYMENT OF ROYALTY

- COPYRIGHT
 - (A) The Author hereby assigns to the NBT during the legal term of copyright, including any renewals thereof, the exclusive right to produce and publish the WORK in volume form in any part of the world in the original language in which it is written as also its translation in any other language including foreign languages as the NBT may in its discretion decide. During the period of this agreement the AUTHOR shall not publish or cause to be published, in any part of the world, the WORK or any translation thereof save as herein provided. The copyright of the WORK shall, however, remain vested with the NBT.
 - **(B)** The exclusive right to publish or to co-publish or to further assign the right/license to any Third Party to Publish the WORK and its various forms specified in Clause 9(A) as Digital/Electronic Book/Audio Book/Mobile Book in any formats or through any media (including CD, DVD, Blue Ray, Internet Portal/Store, etc.) throughout the Exclusive Territories.
 - (C) In the case of edited WORK of anthologies or collection of writings, the Author shall be responsible for ensuring full permission for the use of such materials included in the WORK, including all relevant correspondence concerning the granting of the permissions, and furthermore grants the NBT the right to sell the WORK in the original language as also its translation in any other language including foreign languages in any part of the world.
- UNLAWFUL MATTER

The Author shall indemnify the NBT from and against all proceedings and expenses whatsoever in consequence of the inclusion in the WORK of any pirated, libelous, seditious, scandalous, obscene or other unlawful matter. The NBT shall not be responsible for spotting and/or requesting removal of any such portions in the WORK.

ADAPTATIONS

During the continuance of this AGREEMENT, the Author shall not, without the consent of the NBT, prepare or edit for any other publisher any work that is an expansion, abridgement or revision of the WORK, or of any part of it, or publish or cause to be published any work on the same subject the sale of which may prejudice or may reasonably be regarded as likely to prejudice the sale of the WORK.

COPYRIGHT MATERIAL FROM OTHER SOURCES

The Author shall inform the NBT when delivering the WORK of any quotation or inclusion in the WORK of any textual or other copyright material from any source. The Author shall be responsible for ensuring that full permission for the use of such material is obtained and all fees are paid for the territories and editions covered by this Agreement. The Author shall forward to the NBT all relevant correspondence concerning the granting of these permissions and shall bear the cost of any fees. The NBT shall be entitled to make appropriate acknowledgement in the WORK in consequence thereof.

PREPARATION OF NEW EDITIONS

The Author, if called upon to do so by the NBT, shall revise the WORK and bring it up to date, but if the Author be dead or disqualified by mental or bodily infirmity or does not, within six weeks after being requested to do so by the NBT, undertake to prepare such revised edition, or if, having undertaken to prepare it, does not carefully and completely revise, correct and prepare such a new edition within six months (or within such time as may be agreed upon between the Author and the NBT), the NBT shall have the right to terminate this AGREEMENT or, get the WORK revised or abridged, as the case may be, by employing such other person or agency as the NBT may think fit and proper and at such remuneration as may be agreed upon, deductible from any money payable to the Author under this AGREEMENT on account of the revised edition.

For the NBT

Menika Rana Author's Signature

AUTHORSHIP

The NBT shall publish the WORK under the name of the Author. In the case of any new edition(s), prepared by another person or agency, it may, at its discretion, publish the revised edition(s) under the names of the Author and of such other person or agency making the revision.

TRANSLATION RIGHTS

As part of the Scholarship Programme, NBT retains the translation rights of the Work. The NBT will have the exclusive rights to publish the translation of the WORK in Hindi, English or any other language at its own cost, as and when required. No royalty to the Author would be paid on the translations of the WORK.

SUPPLY OF ILLUSTRATIONS

The Author shall arrange to supply, at his/her own cost, or as may be mutually agreed upon, all such photographs, pictures, diagrams, maps, charts, etc. for illustrating the WORK as may be decided mutually in writing for inclusion therein.

INDEX

The Author shall prepare and supply an Index of the WORK in the original language at his/her own cost within the time prescribed by the NBT, failing which the NBT may, at its discretion, entrust the work to any competent person and debit the cost to the AUTHOR's royalty account.

NON COMPLETION OF WORK

- (A) In case the Author be prevented by death or any other cause from completing the typescript/manuscript of the WORK within six months the NBT shall have the option either of purchasing the WORK from the Author or his executors or administrators, as the case may be, such writings as the Author may have done in respect of the WORK and the copyright therein at a price to be mutually agreed upon; or
- (B) Entrusting the completion of the WORK to another author or of commissioning the writing of a new book on the same subject by another author in which case this Agreement shall cease and determine without any liability on the part of the NBT to make any payment to the AUTHOR or his executors, administrators or assigns.

PAYMENT OF ROYALTY

The NBT, during the legal term of copyright, subject to the provision of clauses 14 and 15 hereof, shall pay to the Author royalty as per following terms and conditions:

- (A) The following royalties on the published price of all copies sold of the WORK:
- i. 10% for the original language in which the WORK is prepared on the first and all subsequent editions.
- ii. This scheme being a welfare scheme for recognition of young creative minds, the Author understands that no royalty is payable on reprinting of WORK, digital publications or sale of electronic rights. The Author shall not claim any amount for royalty apart from given under Clause 19 (A) i.
- a) Provided, however, that if any copies are sold as remainder or at prices lower than the published price of the WORK, the royalty payable on the sale of such copies shall be calculated on the basis of such lower prices. In such an event, the Author shall have the right to purchase the copies to be sold as remainder at the remaindered price.
- b) For purpose of calculating royalties on sales effected outside this country at prices fixed in terms of foreign currencies, the foreign priced edition shall be deemed to be priced in Indian currency equivalent to its price in foreign currency, and royalties on such sales, payable in Indian currency, shall be calculated on this basis.
- c) The NBT shall prepare accounts of sales of the WORK once annually as on 31 March every year and

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submit these to the Author along with a cheque or NEFT (National Electronic Fund Transfer) or RTGS (Real Time Gross Settlement) in payment of the amount due within six months thereof.

PRESENTATION COPIES

No royalties shall be payable on copies presented to the Author or on copies sent out for review, or given away free for any purpose in the interest of the WORK. All such copies and any copies which may at any time be destroyed or damaged by fire, water or from any other cause, shall not be taken into account as copies sold.

AUTHOR'S COPIES

NOMINATION

That in the event of death of the Author after the publication of the WORK, the NBT shall pay the royalty amount to:

1. Shri/Smt Amrita Rana son/daughter of Harka Bahadur Rai and Resident of Siliguri, Silver Dale 41, Sisabari, Po Champasari, Dist. Darjeding or,

2. Shri/Smt Shebdo Rona son/daughter of Joewon Rona of and Resident of Siliguni, bilven Dale II, Sisoboni, Po Chompani, Dist Daviedia, whom the Author hereby nominates as his/her lawful nominee for the purposes of receiving royalty amount after his/her death. The nominee shall be the Trustee of the royalty amount and will appropriate the amount of royalty received by the said nominee in the manner as may be directed by the Author in his/her Will or by any other legal instrument. The payment of royalty amount of the above named nominee of the Author shall fully discharge the NBT from all liabilities of payment of royalty amount and no other legal heir and/or person shall have any right, title or interest to claim the royalty amount from the NBT.

TERMINATION OF ENTIRE AGREEMENT

a. This agreement shall stand terminated if the Author fails to submit the WORK within the time frame. This agreement shall also stand terminated if the Author is adjudged insane by any competent authority.

b. If at any time the WORK goes out of print, the Author may propose to the NBT to publish a new edition and, if the NBT does not, within a period of six months of the proposal, agree and take steps to publish a new edition, then the Author may, by notice, terminate this AGREEMENT. Subsequently all rights under this AGREEMENT shall revert to the Author. Such termination will, however, not prejudice the rights of the NBT in relation to translations of the WORK published or in process of preparation or production while the AGREEMENT was in force or invalidate rights in the WORK granted to other parties during the continuance of the AGREEMENT.

JURISDICTION

Any dispute or cause of action between the parties arising out of or touching upon any matter in this AGREEMENT shall be subjected to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Delhi Courts alone.

Monika Roma Author's Signature

VITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have set their hands and their seal the day and the year written.

for and on behalf of NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA

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THE NATIONAL BOOK TRUST, INDIA

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Ref: CRS/2021-22/02/476 Date: 30-03-2022

To, Dr. Prajwal Chettri Salesian College

Subject: CRS Project Proposal at UGC-DAE CSR.

Dear Dr. Prajwal Chettri,

Thank you for submitting CRS project proposal at UGC-DAE CSR. Your proposal was evaluated by the User Committee and it has been approved as:

Research Student (@ ₹14,000/- pm) + HRA=	₹1,68,000/- + HRA
Contingency	₹15,000/-
Consumables	₹30,000/-

If the selected student has M.Sc.,with GATE/NET-JRF, then Project Associate-I may be given(@ ₹31,000/- pm)+HRA for which additional prior approval has to be taken from the Centre-Director of respective Centre.

Your Principal Collaborator from UGC-DAE CSR in this project is: Dr. Goutam Pramanik.

This project has been approved as per the guidelines/addendum available at our website.

The details of guidelines, addendum and remittance information are available at our website(https://csr.res.in/) and User portal(https://csruserportal.com/Crs information).

Dr. Sandeep S. Ghugre Centre-Director, Kolkata Centre (An Autonomous Institution of University Grants Commission, New Delhi)

Ref: CRS/2021-22/02/476 Date: 24-06-2022

Sanction Order

To,
The Registrar/Principal/Financial Authority,
Through Dr. Prajwal Chettri
Salesian College

Subject: Collaborative Research Scheme(CRS) Project of UGC-DAE CSR entitle 'Investigation of structural modifications in graphene under extreme thermal gradients and its immediate impact on physiochemical properties ' by Dr. Prajwal Chettri.

Dear Madam/Sir,

In continuation to our sanction letter the CRS project submitted to UGC-DAE CSR by **Dr. Prajwal Chettri** of your institution has been approved by the competent authority. The principal collaborator from UGC-DAE CSR is **Dr. Goutam Pramanik**. The details of the remittance are given below:

Student fellowship(@ ₹14,000/- pm+HRA)	Consumable	Contingency	Total Amount	Date of remittance	UTR No.
₹198240	₹30,000	₹15,000	₹243240	2022-03-31	SBIN122090670495
No overheads are available under this scheme					

This project has been approved as per the guidelines given below:

- 1. This is a Collaborative Research Scheme (CRS) of UGC-DAE CSR. In view of the complex and involved nature of the experiments, any publication emerging under the project must be of collaborative in nature with due consents from the scientists at UGC-DAE CSR and/or DAE centres, and in consultation with the Principal Collaborator/Coordinator. Following phrase must be included in the acknowledgement: "This work was partially/fully carried out using the facilities of UGC-DAE CSR. The authors acknowledge the financial support from UGC-DAE CSR through a Collaborative Research Scheme (CRS) project number CRS/2021-22/02/476."
- 2. This project is sanctioned for **one year** but it may be extended on yearly basis subject to a total period of three years.
- 3. In case the CRS project has been approved without student fellowship, it will not be possible to grant student fellowship in subsequent years as well.
- 4. The PI must 'Apply for an Experiment Time' through our online user portal https://csruserportal.com/ for utilization of each experimental facility each time.
- 5. The project will be reviewed at the end of each year to consider sanction and financial allocation for the succeeding year.

- 6. The release of grants for the subsequent years can be made only upon receipt of funds from UGC towards the scheme. A separate sanction order will be issued for the subsequent years.
- 7. At the end of the financial year (i.e. by March 31) the PI should submit:
- (i) Utilization Certificate in the format provided at our website for the amount spent and
- (ii) A Statement of Expenditure duly signed by the Registrar/Principal/competent financial authority of your university/institution to the Centre-Director of respective Centre. The release of funds for the subsequent year(s) can only be made after receiving the above documents.
- 8. The UGC-DAE CSR will be able to reimburse the travel expenses to Project Investigators as per rules, limited to 2nd AC train fare visiting a centre on project work. However, the student participant is permitted for a sleeper class train fare by the shortest route and is as per prevailing norms of UGC-DAE CSR.

Rules for selection of a CRS project fellow

The CRS project fellow (if approved) should be made by an open selection procedure as per UGC guidelines. The recruitment procedure should be completed within 3 months after the release of the sanction order. The details for recruitment are given below:

#	Designation	Remuneration	Qualifications
1	CRS Project Fellow (Junior) -l	₹14,000 + HRA	M.Sc. (not earlier than 3 years) with a minimum of 55% marks in the concerned subject (for Science) M.E. / M. Tech. (not earlier than 3 years) 1st Class (for Engineering)
2	CRS Project Fellow (Senior)-I	₹16,000 + HRA	After completion of 2 years as a CRS Project Fellow (Junior) -I + at least one research paper in a reputed SCI journal + assessment of the student by a 3 member expert committee approved by the Centre-Director
3	CRS Project Fellow (Junior)-II	₹31,000 + HRA	Same as (1) + valid (a) National Eligibility Tests- CSIR-UGC NET including lectureship(Assistant Professor) or GATE or(b) A selection process through National level examinations conducted by Central Government Department and their Agencies and Institutions. + Ph.D. registration of the student under the supervision of the PI at the University where PI's institute is affiliated
4	CRS Project Fellow (Senior)-II	₹35,000 + HRA	After completion of 2 years as a CRS Project Fellow (Junior)-II + at least one research paper in a reputed SCI journal + assessment of the student by a 3 member expert committee approved by the Centre-Director

- 1. All recruitment should be authorized by a selection committee as per rules of University/Institution in which the PI is working. The advertisement should be widely circulated electronically and a copy should be sent to the Principal Collaborator.
- 2. For appointing a student in the CRS project, the interview panel must be approved by the Centre-Director of the respective Centre. The PI should inform the interview schedule as least 2 weeks in advance. The entire process should be conducted in an online/hybrid mode.
- 3. A UGC-DAR CSR nominee along with Principal Collaborator is needed for all interviews and upgradations.
- 4. For all appointments, it has to be mentioned that it is on purely temporary basis and will coterminate with the CRS project. Leave rules for the appointed fellow will be as per the host institution of PI.

- 5. Appointment of student in the project is not permitted in the second or third year of the project.
- 6. While appointing as well as upgrading, a copy of relevant documents including CV along with educational qualification documents (incl. NET/GATE, etc.), minutes of the selection committee/upgradation committee, appointment letter, joining report etc. must be send to the Centre-Director of the respective Centre.
- 7. The student appointed under this project should spend a substantial amount of time at UGC-DAE CSR.
- 8. Contingency fund to be utilized for computational work, purchase of stationary and other consumables pertaining to the concerned project. No grant is allocated for any capital equipment/asset.

Copy to: Through User Portal to: Director, concerned Centre-Director, User Office, Dr. Prajwal Chettri, Dr. Goutam Pramanik, AO for remittance of funds

Propadhyaya

Administrative Officer-II (UGC-DAE CSR)