# LIST OF CANDIDATES PROVISIONALLY RECOMMENDED TO RECEIVE PRIME MINISTER'S FELLOWSHIP FOR DOCTORAL RESEARCH

Following candidates have been provisionally recommended to receive the Prime Minister's Fellowship for Doctoral Research, as per the meeting of the Apex Council held on 29th November 2018. Their final selection will be subject to fulfillment of the Terms and Conditions appended below.

S. No.	Name	Institute	Partner Company
1.	Ms Anita Leishangthem	Acharya and BM Reddy College of Pharmacy, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health sciences, Acharya Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan Raod, Soldevanahalli, Chikkabanavara Post. Bangalore – 560090, Karnataka	Bengaluru Allergy Centre,  169/170, 31st Cross, 11th Main, Jayanagar 4th Block, Bangalore –  560011, Karnataka
2.	Mr Anto Lawrence F	Central Institute of Plastics Engineering & Technology, Anna University, ARSTPS, T.V.K. Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai – 600032, Tamil Nadu	Adtech Systems Ltd.  2/796, Kazura Gardens, First Main Road, Second Floor, Neelankarai, Chennai – 600041, Tamil Nadu
3.	Mr Kaushik Saha	Indian Agricultural Research Institute outreach campus, Indian Institute of Horticultural Research Hessaraghatta Lake Post, Bangalore – 560089, Karnataka	BASF India Limited (Outreach company Nunhems seed Pvt. Ltd.) Sri Hari" #No 16, 18th Main Road, Padmanabha Nagar, Bengaluru - 560061, Karnataka
4.	Ms Mamata Joysowal	National Dairy Research Institute GT Road, Karnal – 132001, Haryana	ARCL Organics Ltd  13, Camac Street, Kolkata – 700017, West Bengal

6.	Mr Nikhil Deorao Ambatkar Mr Oinam Washington	Savitribai Phule Pune University Ganeshkhind, Pune - 411007, Maharashtra  Indian Agricultural Research Institute Pusa Campus, Hill Side Road, New Delhi – 110012	Praj Industries Limited Praj Tower (Main office) 274 & 275/2, Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road, Hinjewadi, Pune - 411057, Maharashtra  Sri Bioaesthetics Pvt. Ltd H. No. 3-35-319, Sai Baba Colony, Kukatpally, Hyderabad – 500072, Telangana
7.	Ms Pooja Saxena	Indian Institute of Technology Bombay Powai Mumbai - 400076, Maharashtra	Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Institute of Oil & Gas Production Technology, ONGC Complex Phase- II, Panvel, New Mumbai - 410221, Maharashtra
8.	Ms Poonam Ramesh Sutar	Institute of Chemical Technology, Mumbai Nathalal Parekh Marg, Matunga East, Mumbai- 400019, Maharashtra	ONGC Energy Centre  8th Floor, SCOPE Minar, Laxmi Nagar, Delhi - 110092
9.	Mr Ramdas Subhash Kadam	Institute of Chemical Technology, Mumbai Nathalal Parekh Marg, Matunga East, Mumbai- 400019, Maharashtra	ONGC Energy Centre  8th Floor, SCOPE Minar, Laxmi Nagar, Delhi – 110092
10.	Mr Sameer Ranjan Misra	Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi Pusa Campus, Hill Side Road, New Delhi – 110012, Delhi	PI Industries Ltd  5th Floor, Vipul Square, B Block, Sushant Lok, Phase-1, Gurgaon- 122009, Haryana

11.	Mr Sandesh Vishnu Sutar Mr Shashi Bhushan Gunjan	Institute of Chemical Technology, Mumbai Nathalal Parekh Marg, Matunga East, Mumbai- 400019, Maharashtra  Indian Institute of Technology Madras Chennai - 600036, Tamil Nadu	ONGC Energy Centre  8th Floor, Core- 3&4, SCOPE Minar, Laxmi Nagar, Delhi - 110092  Micromatic Grinding Technologies Ltd.  5/A Survey No 74, 103, 106, 107, KIADB Dobaspet Industrial Area,
13.	Mr Shubham Arun Kalore	Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore	Neelamangala Taluk, Bangalore – 562111, Karnataka  Maccaferri Environmental Solutions Private Limited
		CV Raman Road, Mathikere, Bangalore – 560012, Karnataka	403-409, Fourth Floor, Suncity Success Tower, Golf Course Extension Road, Sector-65, Gurgaon – 122001, Haryana
14.	Ms Venus Mohan Chaudhary	Institute of Chemical Technology, Mumbai Nathalal Parekh Marg, Matunga East, Mumbai- 400019, Maharashtra	ONGC Energy Centre  8th Floor, Core- 3&4, SCOPE  Minar, Laxmi Nagar, Delhi - 110092
15.	Mr. Arul Kumar S.	Indian Institute of Technology Madras Chennai, Tamil Nadu- 600036	Google India St Johns Wood, Taverekere Mn road, Bengaluru, Karnataka- 560029
16.	Mr. Ankit Sharma	Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee, Haridwar, Uttarakhand - 247667	Shell India Markets Private Limted, Bangalore Hardware Park, Karnataka- 562149

17.	Mr. Keyur	Institute of Chemical	Reliance Industries Limited,
	Karshanbha i Moradiya	Technology, Mumbai	Navi Mumbai, Reliance Corporate Park, Maharashtra- 400701
		Nathalal Parekh Marg, Matunga, Maharashtra- 400019	

#### **Eligibility**

- 1) Candidates should be registered in full-time PhD course, for not more than 14 months from the date of application, in Science / Technology / Engineering / Agriculture / Medicine stream in any recognized Indian university or institute or research laboratory in India.
- 2) They should also have identified an industry partner who is willing to support their research with scholarship amount equivalent to that being provided by SERB.
- 3) The proposed research topic should qualify on criteria of industrial relevance.
- 4) The candidate should be willing to work in / with industry on specific projects.
- 5) The selected Fellow will cease to receive any other scholarship or salary from any source which he / she may be receiving before the award of the Prime Minister's Fellowship.

## **Intellectual Property Rights**

- 6) All issues pertaining to IP arising out of the research project will be decided mutually by the industry partner, institute and the researcher. They will be required to sign an agreement on plain paper listing out the timelines for the researcher and the sharing of intellectual property.
- 7) All publications / patents by the Fellow, arising from the work under this Fellowship must contain an acknowledgement of funding from SERB, Industry and CII or FICCI (respective coordinating industry chambers).
- 8) The Organization/Institute/University should ensure that the technical support / financial assistance provided to them by the Science & Engineering Research Board, a statutory body of the Department of Science & Technology (DST), Government of India should invariably be

highlighted / acknowledged in their media releases as well as in bold letters in the opening paragraphs of their Annual Report.

9) In addition, the fellow/host Institute must also acknowledge the support provided to them in all publications, patents and any other output emanating out of the project/program funded by the Science & Engineering Research Board, a statutory body of the Department of Science & Technology (DST), Government of India.

#### **Review Process**

- 10) The Fellow will be required to submit a written progress report to the Apex Council every academic year.
- 11) Based on this, there will be an annual review of the progress made.
- 12) Subsequent release of funds will be based on the satisfactory progress of the work done and letters of recommendation from research guide and industry mentor / guide.

#### **Transfer to other Institute**

13) Once accepted, the offer for implementing the Prime Minister's Fellowship at a particular university / institute / laboratory in the country will not be allowed to be transferred to any other university / institute / laboratory.

### **General Terms**

- 14) The Prime Minister's Fellowship shall be tenable for a maximum period of four years or completion of the PhD programmes (i.e. till the final defence of the PhD thesis), whichever is earlier.
- 15) It will be the responsibility of the Fellow's guide and the host institute to ensure that if the Fellow leaves his / her institution, or is not dedicating sufficient time or effort to the project, the industry partner, industry mentor and CII or FICCI (respective co- ordinating industry chambers for each case) will be informed immediately.
- 16) If the host institute recognizes that for personal, professional or other reasons the researcher wishes to terminate his / her Fellowship prematurely, then this action should be taken in consultation with CII or FICCI (respective co-ordinating industry chambers).

- 17) Should the Fellow be unable for medical reasons to pursue his / her studies in accordance with the Terms and Conditions of the Fellowship, he/she must inform CII or FICCI (respective co-ordinating industry chambers) within two weeks of such a situation coming to his / her attention. In such situations, CII or FICCI (respective co-ordinating industry chambers) will have the right to defer (for a maximum period of nine months) or close the Fellowship.
- 18) These Terms and Conditions will be governed by and construed in accordance with the Indian Penal Code and all parties will expressly and irrevocably submit to the word of the Apex Council in case of any dispute. If the dispute remains unresolved, then final arbitration will rest with Chairman-SERB.
- 19) Good practices will be observed in relation to data management, protection and security.
- 20) It is the responsibility of the Fellow to inform CII or FICCI (respective co-ordinating industry chambers) of any change of address, telephone, or e-mail within two weeks of any such change.
- 21) SERB reserves the right to revise the Terms and Conditions of this scheme at any time.
- 22) Neither SERB, nor CII or FICCI (respective co-ordinating industry chambers) or Apex Council or the Government of India can be held legally liable for breach of trust by candidates, host institute or industry partner.

## **Finance / Payment of Fellowship**

- 23) Subject to the compliance of the host institute with these terms and conditions and to the receipt by CII or FICCI (respective co-ordinating industry chambers) of satisfactory reports on the progress of the Fellowship. The Fellowship will be paid to the candidate directly every month by CII or FICCI (respective co-ordinating industry chambers).
- 24) The Fellow will be required to submit Progress Report every year duly authenticated by the concerned guide and industry mentor.

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