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Science and Engineering Research Board  
3rd & 4th Floor, Block II  
Technology Bhavan, New Mehrauli Road  
New Delhi - 110016

Approval Letter

File Number: SRG/2022/000641

Dated: 22-Aug-2022

Subject: Project titled "Search for nutraceutical lead molecules from wild edible mushroom (WEMs) extracts and utilization as prebiotic sources to develop synbiotic microcapsules".

Dear Dr. Yugal Kishore Mohanta,



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The project cited above has been technically approved by Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) as per the following :

**The committee recommended the following budget**

**Manpower :**

-> Junior Research Fellow - 1

Equipment Details : Rs.1050000

-> Refractive Index Detector and Aminex Column for sugar analysis - 1

Consumables : Rs.500000

Travel Cost : As per norms

Contingencies : As per norms

Overhead : As per norms

The final budget to be sanctioned would be based on quotations received, existing norms, funds availability etc.

Kindly follow the below steps to acknowledge the approval :

1. Go to [www.serbonline.in](http://www.serbonline.in) through your credentials
2. Go to Menu --> Proposal submission --> View submitted proposals
3. Click on the link under Status column "Proposal Approved, Acknowledgment pending from PI"

**You are requested to upload the Quotations of the approved equipment (if any), and salary structure for the project staff (including HRA, Medical Benefits, if applicable etc.) strictly within 15 days from the date of this letter** so as to enable us to issue the financial sanction.

Kindly also provide us the detailed breakup for approved 'Consumables' Head in a table containing Item, Quantity, Approximate Cost etc. for 2 year duration.

A certificate stating that any visit abroad for a period more than eight weeks would be undertaken after due permission from SERB, may also be submitted.

SERB has adopted the Scientific Social Responsibility (SSR) Policy which mandates SERB Grantees to undertake some SSR activities during their project period. You are requested to read the SSR guidelines available under SSR menu in the online portal and choose the activities according to your preference. Depending on the activity chosen, additional budget would be provided under separate head to carry out the chosen activities. It is mandatory to submit SSR details along with RTGS and other relevant documents.

Kindly upload RTGS details of the implementing institute to facilitate transfer of the fund as per the template. Kindly quote the reference number in all future correspondence. The project's reference no. SRG/2022/000641 may also be mentioned in all research communications arising from the above project.

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Please note that the project starts only after it is accorded financial sanction by SERB and the date of start of the project will be the date on which your host institute receives the first instalment of funds.

Yours sincerely,

(Dr. Pramod Kumar Prasad)

Scientist-D

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Ph: 011-26511077/011-26552109

Dr. Yugal Kishore Mohanta

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Dr. Yugal Kishore Mohanta <[ykmohanta@gmail.com](mailto:ykmohanta@gmail.com)>

Tue, Jan 24, 2023 at 10:46 AM

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File Number: TAR/2022/000139

Dated: 06-Oct-2022

Subject: Project titled "Synthesis of mesoporous transition metal doped g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> and photocatalytic phosphinylation of alkenes and synthesis of biologically relevant heterocycles "

Dear Dr. Mitali Paul,

We are happy to inform you that your application cited above has been approved by the Science and Engineering Research Board for funding under **Teachers Associateship for Research Excellence (TARE)**. The following are the approved items for a period of three years.

Research Grant ? As per SERB-TARE norms

Fellowship ? As per SERB-TARE norms

Overhead Charges ? As per SERB-TARE norms

1. This approval letter is valid subject to the fulfilment of all the eligibility criteria for the TARE and submission of required documents.
2. You are requested to submit the joining report in the host institute and submit relevant documents within one month from the date of receipt of this letter. Projects requires ethical / biosafety / stem cell / wildlife clearances etc.candidate will be allowed to join the host institute only after acquiring such clearances.
3. The grant will be effective from the date of joining in the host institution.
4. Follow the norms of host and parent institutions while implementing the project. Please visit our website [www.serbonline.in](http://www.serbonline.in) for the terms & conditions of the grant.

Kindly quote the reference number in all future correspondence. The reference no. **TAR/2022/000139** should be mentioned in all research outputs(publications/patent etc.) arising from the TARE grant.



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Kindly upload RTGS details of the parent as well as host institute to facilitate transfer of the fund as per the template

Yours sincerely,

(Dr. Arvind Chaudhary)

Scientist D

**Dr. Mitali Paul**

**Chemistry**

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File No. 02/49/2022-23/RP/MJ

Dated: 10 /March/2023

### Award Letter of Major Research Project

Dear Dr. Saru Joshi ,

Please refer to your Interaction with Expert Committee regarding Major Research Project under the Major Research Project Scheme of the ICSSR. Although you have made a presentation for the Major Research Project , the final selection is made on the basis of recommendations of the Expert Committee.

**Title Proposed: " Experiential Learning in Meghalaya : "A case study of Ri-Bhoi District" .**

**Revised Title approved by the Expert Committee: NA.**

**Budget Approved: ₹ 10,00,000 ( Rupees Ten Lakh Only )**

**First Instalment: 40% of the awarded grant, detailed Budget in break-up will be sent along with the sanction order of 400000/-**

The above has been approved by the Competent Authority on the recommendations of the Expert Committee. **You are requested to commence the study immediately.**

You are required to give an undertaking on a non-judicial stamp paper of Rs. 100/- (copy enclosed), declaration on a non-judicial stamp paper, original forwarding letter and send us the grant- in-aid bill (copy enclosed) of 40% of the awarded grant. All Payments and Transfers are to be done through EAT module hence the institution has to open a dedicated account as per the notification of ICSSR.



GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA  
MEGHALAYA STATE SKILL DEVELOPMENT SOCIETY



Grove Site Building 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Keating Road, Shillong, Meghalaya - 793001

No. MSSDS/451/CSTC/2022/66

Dated: Shillong, the 11<sup>th</sup> January, 2023

**SANCTION ORDER**

Sanction is hereby accorded for the payment of grant-in-aid of an amount not exceeding **Rs.4,81,000.00 (Rupees Four Lakhs Eighty One Thousand Only)** to University of Science and Technology Meghalaya, Ri-Bhoi District for CAPEX and Seed Money to introduce Fashion Technology in their premises with a target to train at least 60 candidates per year for a period of 5 years under the project "STEM - Skill Training in Educational Institutions for Employment" of Skill Meghalaya.

The sanction amount is against the proposed and approved expenditure tabulated below:

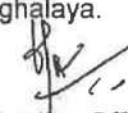
SN	Item of Expenditure	Amount in INR
1.	Capital Expenditure	2,81,000.00
2.	Operational Expenditure	60,000.00
3.	Other Expenses	1,40,000.00
Total		4,81,000.00

- The details of expenditure and physical targets is placed at Annexure I.
- The schedule of release of funds is given in the table below:

SN	Instalment	Amount in INR
1.	1 <sup>st</sup> Instalment (50%)	2,40,500.00
2.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Instalment (50%)	2,40,500.00

- The 1<sup>st</sup> instalment amounting to Rs. 2,40,500.00 (Rupees Two Lakhs Forty Thousand Five Hundred only) is being released under this order. The 2<sup>nd</sup> instalment shall be released on the commencement of training for the first batch of trainees.
- The release is subject to the following conditions:
  - Fund shall be utilized for the purpose for which it is released.
  - Utilization Certificate in Form 19-A should be furnished to Meghalaya State Skill Development Society as per General Financial Rules, 2005.
  - Unspent amount, if any will be adjusted against future sanctions / instalments.

The expenditure is debit from the funds available with the Meghalaya State Skill Development Society, Labour Department, Government of Meghalaya.

  
Chief Executive Officer,  
Meghalaya State Skill Development Society  
Meghalaya, Shillong  
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Memo No. MSSDS/451/CSTC/2022/66-A

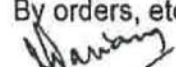
Dated: Shillong, the 11<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023

Copy to:

The Principal of the University of Science and Technology Meghalaya, Ri-Bhoi District for information and necessary action.



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By orders, etc  
  
Meghalaya State Skill Development Society  
Meghalaya, Shillong  
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**Annexure I**

Name of the College: University of Science and Technology Meghalaya, RI Bhoi

**Break-up of Capital Expenditure**

SN	Item of Expenditure	Qty	Rate / unit	Total Amount in INR
1.	Sewing Machine	30	9000.00	2,70,000.00
2.	Scissors	30	300.00	9000.00
3.	Needles	1 set	2000.00	2000.00
<b>Total</b>				<b>2,81,000.00</b>

**1. Break-up of Operational Expenditure**

SN	Item of Expenditure	Qty	Rate	Amount in INR
1.	Trainers	60 days x 2 batch	500.00	60,000.00
<b>Total</b>				<b>60,000.00</b>

**2. Break-up of Other Expenditure**

SN	Item of Expenditure	Qty	Rate	Amount in INR
1.	Cloths	2400 mtrs x 2 batches	30.00	1,44,000.00
2.	Papers	60	200.00	12,000.00
3.	Threads	1 set	2000.00	2000.00
4.	Buttons	1 set	1000.00	1000.00
<b>Total</b>				<b>1,59,000.00</b>

Excess amount of INR.19,000.00 to be borne by the college.

**3. Training Plan**

Name of the Course: Fashion Designing

Course Duration: 70 hours (2 months)

Intake and Batch Details:

SN	Batch	No. of Trainees	Start Date	End Date
1.	I	30	2023	2023
2.	II	30	2023	2023

The college shall continue to train at least 60 candidates annually in the next 4 years up to 2027.

By orders, etc

*Marian*Meghalaya State Skill Development Society  
Meghalaya, Shillong

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Meghalaya

## Award Letter

F. No: 5-8/RMC/GEN/2023-24/TCB

Date: 18.05.2023

Dear Dr. Joshi,

This is with reference to your application for the **Offline ten days Research Methodology Course (RMC)** which was placed before the Expert Committee for its evaluation in its meeting held on 09<sup>th</sup> May 2023.

We are happy to inform you that the Expert Committee has shortlisted your proposal for a 10 days Research Methodology Course with the budget of **Rs. 5,50,000/-**. You are now required to kindly submit the following::

1. Exact date-wise schedule of the workshop. Please ensure that at least two sessions each are dedicated to the use of data in social science research, research tools, and library & e-library training.
2. **Confirmed list of 15 Resource Persons under different categories such as Resource Persons from outside the state (5), within the state (5) and local (5) along with their names, designations, email ID's, mobile phone numbers and specializations.**
3. **Indicative list of research cases that you propose to discuss and innovative themes/topics that you are likely to introduce in the evaluation test, case studies, etc.**
4. The formal sanction letter will be released only after the receipt of the above mentioned documents.

You are requested to kindly send these documents **within a week** to enable us to issue a formal sanction letter.

With regards,



Yours sincerely,  
M.P Madhukar

Dr. Saru Joshi (Course Director)  
Associate Professor  
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