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### Criteria 3 - Research, Innovations and Extension

#### Key Indicator 3.1- Resource Mobilization for Research

3.1.1. Grants received from Government and non-governmental agencies for research projects / endowments in the institution during the last five years.

Academic sessions: 2018-19 to 2022-23

Summary of the Grant received from Government/Non-Government Agencies during last five years:

2022-23	2021-22	2020-21	2019-20	2018-19
NiL	2,51,500/-	NiL	NIL	5,30,000/-

NAAC mandated data templates have been filled and uploaded. The following documents are being attached as supporting documents-

#### 3.1.1. Document Index:

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**List of the projects sanctioned during last five years:**

Name of the research project/ endowment	Name of the Principal Investigator/ Co-investigator	Department of Principal Investigator	Year of Award	Amount Sanctioned (Rs.)	Duration of the project	Name of the Funding Agency	Type (Government/non Government)
Monitoring channel planform dynamics in the Himalayan piedmont zone: A case study on river Chel	Sonam Lama	Geography	2016	1,60,000	3 Years	University Grant Commission	Government
Synthesis Characterization and Application of Novel Organic-inorganic Framework Compounds	Dr. Debraj Saha	Chemistry	2017	3,70,000	2 Years	University Grant Commission	Government
Diversity and distribution of mosquitoes in Darjeeling foothills	Dr. Shishir Tamang	Zoology	2021	2,51,500	2 years	Department of Science Technology and Biotechnology, Govt. of West Bengal	Government
Women, Peace and Security in India: case studies of the Naga and Gorkha ethno-nationalist conflicts in the Eastern Himalayas	Dr. Dipti Tamang	Political Science	2022	Nil	10 Months	Fulbright-Nehru grant document (Award No. 2668/FNPDR/2020), University Grant Commission	Government

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EASTERN REGIONAL OFFICE  
LB 8 Sector III Salt Lake, Kolkata 700 098  
Phone : (033) 2335 4767  
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No. F.PHW-135/15-16 (ERO)

To

The Principal,  
Darjeeling Govt. College  
Lebong Cart Road, Darjeeling  
West Bengal-734101

*Sanction Order*

Subject : Approval of financial assistance to **Dr./Mr./Ms SONAM LAMA**, Department of Geography of your college for Minor Research Project regarding.

Sir/Madam,

1. The University Grants Commission has approved the proposal of Minor Research Project mentioned hereinabove as per the recommendations of the Expert Committee and has also approved an allocation of ₹ 160000/- for the project as per details given below :

Non-Recurring Items :	
Books and Journals	Amount (In ₹) 30000/-
Equipment	50000/-
Recurring Items :	
Travel and Field Work	50000/-
Hiring Services	0/-
Chemicals and Consumables	0/-
Contingency (including special needs)	30000/-
Total :	160000/-

2. The terms and conditions of the grant will be as per the Guidelines of the scheme.
3. A sanction letter (100% of non-recurring and 50% of recurring grant) is enclosed herewith.
4. The college is requested to submit 'Acceptance Certificate' duly signed by the Principal and The Principal Investigator after receiving this letter.
5. The date of implementation will be the date of receipt of the first instalment by the college and it may be intimated in the Acceptance Certificate. The tenure of the Project will be for two years for all subjects.

Yours sincerely,

*M.A.*  
( Dr. Mohammad Arif )  
Joint Secretary

Copy forwarded for information & necessary action to;

1. The Registrar, North Benagal University.
2. The Director, Higher Education, Government of West Bengal state, state Secretariat,
3. Dr./Mr./Ms SONAM LAMA, department of Geography
4. Guard File

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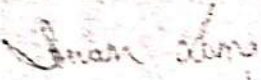
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( Vinod Sharma )  
Under Secretary

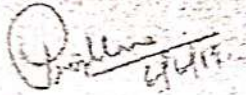


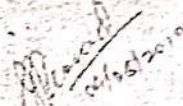


Utilization certificate


Certified that the grant of Rs. 1,60,000.00 (Rupees One lakh sixty thousand only) received from the University Grants Commission under the scheme of support for Minor Research Project entitled Monitoring channel planform dynamics in the Himalayan piedmont zone: a case study on river Chel, vide UGC letter No. PHW-135/15-16 (ERO) dated 02/12/2016 has been fully utilized for the purpose for which it was sanctioned and in accordance with the terms and conditions laid down by the University Grants Commission.

  
SIGNATURE OF  
PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

  
THE PRINCIPAL  
(Seal)

  
STATUTORY AUDITOR  
(Seal)



  
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Memo No. 275(A)/U-1/19

Date: 06/06/2019.

To,  
The Joint Secretary  
University Grants Commission  
Eastern Regional Office  
Saltlake, Kolkata-700098.

Forwarded,  
*[Signature]*  
06/06/2019  
Principal  
DARJEELING GOVT. COLLEGE

Subject: *Submission of FINAL PROJECT REPORT of Minor Research Project* vide ref. no. F.PHW-135/15-16(ERO) dated: 02.12.2016.

Respected Sir/ Madam,

This is to inform you that I have completed my works on Minor Research Project vide ref. no. F.PHW-135/15-16(ERO) dated: 02.12.2016 and I want to submit the same here. The project has been completed complying all the guidelines laid down by the UGC. Kindly accept it and make me oblige.

Thanking You.

Enclosed:

1. Hard bound final project report
2. Duly filled-in Annexure- III to VII
4. Soft copy of Project Report along with all relevant documents.
5. List of items (contingency, equipments, books, fieldwork etc.)
6. Soft copy

Yours' Sincerely

*[Signature]*

Mr. Sonam Lama

Assistant Professor, Department of Geography

Darjeeling Govt. College

UGC - MRP

No. PHW - 135/15-16 (ERO)

**SONAM LAMA**

**PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR**

RECEIVED

*[Signature]*

Date 10-6-2019

University Grants Commission  
Eastern Regional Office  
Kolkata-700098

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Annual/Final Report of the work done on the Minor Research Project.  
(Report to be submitted within 6 weeks after completion of each year)

1. Project report No.-1./Final - Final
2. UGC Reference No.F.- F.PHW-135/15-16(ERO)
3. Period of report: from 20.01.2017 to 20.01.2019
4. Title of research project: Monitoring Channel Planform dynamics in the Himalayan Piedmont Zone: a case study on River Chel.
5. (a) Name of the Principal Investigator: Mr. Sonam Lama  
(b) Deptt. : Geography  
(c) College where work has progressed: Darjeeling Govt. College, Darjeeling
6. Effective date of starting of the project: 13.01.2017
7. Grant approved and expenditure incurred during the period of the report:
  - a. Total amount approved: Rs. 1,60,000/-
  - b. Total expenditure: Rs. 1,60,754/-
  - c. Report of the work done: (Please attach a separate sheet)
    - i. Brief objective of the project: Please find attachment for brief objectives of the project.
    - ii. Work done so far and results achieved and publications, if any, resulting from the work (Give details of the papers and names of the journals in which it has been published or accepted for publication:  

Please find attachment for summary of findings.
    - iii. Has the progress been according to original plan of work and towards achieving the objective. if not, state reasons: Yes

  
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iv. please enclose a summary of the findings of the study. One bound copy of the final report of work done may also be sent to the concerned Regional Office of the

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Please find attachment for summary of findings.

v. Any other information

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SIGNATURE OF THE PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

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105, FHW, LESITE 15 PERU  
SONAM LAMA  
PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

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PRINCIPAL

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No. F.PSW-188/15-16 (ERO)

To

The Principal,  
Darjeeling Government College  
Lebong Cart Road, Darjeeling  
West Bengal-734101

02 JAN 2017

Subject : Approval of financial assistance to Dr./Mr./Ms Debraj Saha, Department of Chemistry/Polymer Science of your college for Minor Research Project regarding.

Sir/Madam,

1. The University Grants Commission has approved the proposal of Minor Research Project mentioned hereinabove as per the recommendations of the Expert Committee and has also approved an allocation of ₹ 370000/- for the project as per details given below :

Non-Recurring Items :	Amount (In ₹)
Books and Journals	20000/-
Equipment	150000/-
Recurring Items :	
Travel and Field Work	20000/-
Hiring Services	30000/-
Chemicals and Consumables	100000/-
Contingency (including special needs)	50000/-
<b>Total :</b>	<b>370000/-</b>

2. The terms and conditions of the grant will be as per the Guidelines of the scheme.
3. A sanction letter (100% of non-recurring and 50% of recurring grant) is enclosed herewith.
4. The college is requested to submit 'Acceptance Certificate' duly signed by the Principal and The Principal Investigator after receiving this letter.
5. The date of implementation will be the date of receipt of the first instalment by the college and it may be intimated in the Acceptance Certificate. The tenure of the Project will be for two years for all subjects.

Yours sincerely,


  
( Dr. Mohammad Arif )  
Joint Secretary

Copy forwarded for information & necessary action to;

1. The Registrar, North Benagal University.
2. The Director, Higher Education, Government of West Bengal state, state Secretariat,
3. Dr./Mr./Ms Debraj Saha, department of Chemistry/Polymer Science
4. Guard File

  
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( Vinod Sharma )  
Under Secretary



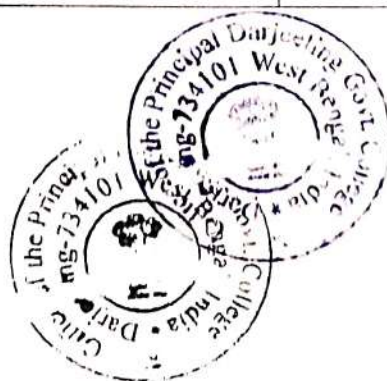
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BAHADUR SHAH ZAFAR MARG  
NEW DELHI – 110 002

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE IN RESPECT OF MINOR RESEARCH PROJECT

1. Name of Principal Investigator: **Debraj Saha**
2. Deptt. of PI: Chemistry  
Name of College: Darjeeling Government College
3. UGC approval Letter No. and Date: F. PSW-188/15-16 (ERO) dated 21-Nov-16
4. Title of the Research Project: "Synthesis, Characterization and Applications of Novel Organic-inorganic Framework Compounds"
5. Effective date of starting the project: 31.01.2017
- 6.a. Period of Expenditure: from 31.01.2017 to 30.01.2019
- 6.b. Details of Expenditure:

S. No.	Item	Amount Approved (Rs.)	Expenditure Incurred (Rs.)
i.	Books & Journals	20000/-	20000/-
ii.	Equipment	150000/-	150030/-
iii.	Contingency including special needs	50000/-	40000/-
iv.	Field Work/Travel (Give details in the proforma)*	20000/-	30000/-
v.	Hiring Services	30000/-	30000/-
vi.	Chemicals & Consumables	100000/-	100000/-

*Debraj Saha*  
*Prasanna*  
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Darjeeling



7. If as a result of check or audit objection some irregularly is noticed at later date, action will be taken to refund, adjust or regularize the objected amounts.

8. It is certified that the grant of Rs. 3,70,000/- (Rupees Three lac seventy thousand only) approved/allocated from the University Grants Commission under the scheme of support for Minor Research Project entitled "Synthesis, Characterization and Applications of Novel Organic-inorganic Framework Compounds" vide UGC letter No. F. PSW-188/15-16 (ERO) dated 21-Nov-16 and Rs. 3,70,000/- (Rupees Three lac seventy thousand only) has been fully utilized for the purpose for which it was sanctioned and in accordance with the terms and conditions laid down by the University Grants Commission.

*Debjay Saha*

SIGNATURE OF THE PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR



*P. Pillay*

PRINCIPAL

(Seal)

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*P. Pillay*  
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Annexure – V

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NEW DELHI – 110 002

Utilization certificate

Certified that the grant of Rs. 3,70,000/- (Rupees Three lac seventy thousand only) approved/allocated from the University Grants Commission under the scheme of support for Minor Research Project entitled “Synthesis, Characterization and Applications of Novel Organic-inorganic Framework Compounds” vide, UGC letter No. F. PSW-188/15-16 (ERO) dated 21<sup>st</sup> November, 2016 and Rs. 3,70,000/- (Rupees Three lac seventy thousand only) has been fully utilized for the purpose for which it was sanctioned and in accordance with the terms and conditions laid down by the University Grants Commission.

*Abhishek Saha*

SIGNATURE OF THE  
PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

*[Signature]*

PRINCIPAL

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STATUTORY AUDITOR

For S P J T & ASSOCIATES  
Chartered Accountants

*[Signature]*

Sujit Pradhan  
Mem No: 233718  
FRN: 329354E

UDIN: 19233718AAAAAL3566

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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL  
Science & Technology and Biotechnology DEPARTMENT

Tel:

Fax:

Date: 28/02/2022

Memo No : 1246 (Sanc.)/STBT-11012(15)/10/2021-ST SEC

Sanction Order for Grant-in-Aid in Cash

Demand No. :- 76

Department Code : BS

Financial Year : 2021 - 2022

1. Sanctioning Authority: ASSISTANT SECRETARY, Science & Technology and Biotechnology
2. Recipient of Grant: Darjeeling Government College.
3. Category of the recipient of Grant: Grantee Institution
4. Amount Sanctioned: Rs. 251500/-  
Rupees Two Lakh Fifty One Thousand Five Hundred Only.
5. DDO Code :- CAFSTA003
6. DDO Designation: Sec. Officer, Science & Technology & Biotechnology Dept.
7. Department Code: BS-Science & Technology and Biotechnology
8. Head of Account Code :76-3425-60-796-002-31-02-V
9. Scheme Name Financial Assistance to other Scientific Bodies for undertaking Scientific
10. Name of the Treasury/PAO & Accounts office; Pay & Accounts Officer-III, Calcutta PAO-III
11. Type of Grant:- Recurring
12. Utilization Certificate Required or Not: Yes

13. Purpose of Grant : R&D project entitled- Diversity and distribution of mosquitoes in Darjeeling foothills.

14. Applicable T.R Form No:- TR Form No.31

15. An amount of Rs.251500/-(Rupees Two Lakh Fifty One Thousand Five Hundred Only.) is hereby sanctioned for payment of Grant to the recipients as per Sl.No.2 from the Head of Account as stated in Sl.No.8 above against the Budget Provision of the Financial Year 2021 - 2022. The sanctioned amount will be payable through Transfer Credit into the LF/PL/Other Deposit Account/ECS/Cheque, as the case may be following the order issued by Finance Department in this regard.

16. Total released amount is within the Budget Provision of the Financial Year. 2021 - 2022

17. This order issues in exercise of the power delegated under Finance Department Memo. No. 250-FB Dt 30.07.2021 with the concurrence of Finance Deptt.vide Gr. F.A. Branch U.O. No. 158/FA Date 05/10/2021

18. The Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal and Pay & Accounts Officer/Treasury Officer and other concerned are being informed.

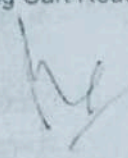
19. Remarks: Present release Rs. 2,51,500/- is the 2nd & final installment of the total project cost of Rs. 6,99,500/- sanctioned for 2 year (s) work, will be transferred through e-Pradan system Darjeeling Government College. A/C No.- 30345543941 (SB), IFSC CODE-SBIN0000063. Mobile No.-8777529640.

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*[Signature]*  
Assistant Secretary  
Science & Technology and Biotechnology  
Darjeeling Govt. College  
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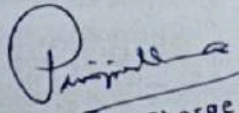
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3. The Principal Accountant General (Receipt, Works & Local Bodies Audit), CGO Complex at Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091
4. Sec. Officer, Science & Technology & Biotechnology Dept.
5. Pay & Accounts Officer-III, Calcutta PAO-III
6. PSO.
7. Shri S.Roy, SSO.
8. Officer-in-Charge, Darjeeling Government College, Lebang Cart Road, Darjeeling-734104.
9. Shishir Tamang, P.I. of the project, Darjeeling Government College, Lebang Cart Road, Darjeeling-734104.
10. Guard File. / Uploading this G.O. in the portal.

  
ASSISTANT SECRETARY



**BUDGET ESTIMATION OF THE PROJECT**  
Project name: Diversity and distribution of Mosquitoes in Darjeeling foothills  
File No.: ST/P/S&T/SG-9/2018  
**SUMMARY (in Rupees)**

Sl no.	Item	BUDGET		
		1 <sup>st</sup> year	2 <sup>nd</sup> year	Total
A.	Non Recurring - Minor Permanent equipment:			
B.	Recurring	0	0	0
1.	Consumables			
2.	Outsourcing of sample analysis & other primary & secondary data	220000	170000	390000
3.	TA for field work sampling (conference/ seminar travel not allowed)	200000	50000	250000
4.	Reprography, photocopy etc.	5000	4500	9500
5.	Postage & Stationary	5000	5000	10000
6.	Report preparation & auditing of project	10000	5000	15000
7.	Miscellaneous/ incidental expenditure	3000	7000	10000
		5000	10000	15000
		448000	251500	699500

  
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Annexure -A

**UTILISATION CERTIFICATE IN RESPECT OF GRANT-IN-AID**

No. 1246(Sanc.)/STBT-11012(15)/10/2021-ST SEC

Date: 28/02/2022

1. Name of the Grantee Institute (s) : DARJEELING GOVERNMENT COLLEGE  
[Attach separate list for more than one Grantee Institution]
2. Sanctioning Authority : DEPARTMENT OF  
SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY AND  
BIOTECHNOLOGY (DHESTBT)  
GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
3. Sanction Order Number & Date : 1246(Sanc.)/STBT-11012(15)/10/2021- ST  
SEC Date: 28/02/2022
4. Amount Sanctioned : 2,51,500/-
5. Drawing & Disbursing Officer : OFFICER IN CHARGE DARJELING  
GOVERNMENT COLLEGE
6. Treasury/PAO : PAY & ACCOUNTS OFFICER-III, PAO-III  
[From where the bill was drawn]
7. Bill No. & Date :
8. T.V. No. & Date :
9. Amount Drawn : 2,51,500/-
10. Unspent Balance of Previous year, if any : NOT APPLICABLE
11. Amount Utilised : 2,51,500/-
12. Unspent Balance, if any, in Current year : NIL
13. Purpose of Utilisation : CONSUMABLES OUTSOURCING, T.A.  
REPROGRAPHY, PHOTOCOPY,  
STATIONERY, AUDIT REPORT,  
MISCELLANEOUS

**CERTIFICATE**

Certified that I have satisfied myself that the conditions on which the Grant-in-Aid was sanctioned have been duly fulfilled/are being fulfilled that I have exercised the following checks to see that the money was actually utilized for the purpose for which was sanctioned.

[Applicable in case of unspent balance] The unspent fund will be adjusted against the Grant-in-Aid to be sanctioned and paid in the Current Financial Year (applicable in case of recurring grant only).

Kinds of checks exercised

1. Cash Book
2. Ledger

For S P J T & ASSOCIATES  
Chartered Accountants  
UDIN: 23233718BGTWCK9176

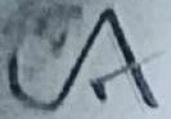


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Officer in Charge  
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15/8/2023  
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DARJEELING GOVERNMENT COLLEGE  
D. Sec. No. 00188-00188-BC





# S P J T & ASSOCIATES

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## DETAIL REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF GRANT-IN-AID

- Name of the PI, Designation, Mobile No. and E-Mail : **Shri. Shishir Tamang**, Assistant Professor,  
: Department of Zoology, Darjeeling Government  
College 8777529640, shri\_tamang@yahoo.com
- Project Title : Diversity and Distribution of mosquitoes in  
Darjeeling foot hills  
Memo No. 1246(Sanc.)/STBT-11012(15)/10/2021-  
ST SEC Date: 28/02/2022
- Name and Address of Institution : Darjeeling Government College,  
Lebong Cart Road,  
Darjeeling-734104
- Date of Commencement of Project : 01/03/2022
- Total Duration : 2 Years
- Reporting year of this Audit : 2<sup>nd</sup> year 2021-2022

As per the detail given by Shri. Shishir Tamang, P.I. & Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, Asutosh College, he incurred the grant as follows.

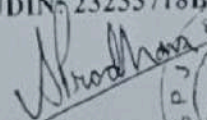
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1	Consumables	1,70,000	1,70,000	0
2	Outsourcing of sample analysis & other primary & secondary data	50,000	50,000	0
3	TA for field work Sampling	4,500	4,500	0
4	Reprography, Photocopy etc.	5,000	5,000	0
5	Postage & Stationery	5,000	5,000	0
6	Report preparation & auditing of project	7,000	7,000	0
7	Miscellaneous/ incidental expenditure	10,000	10,000	0
	TOTAL	2,51,500	2,51,500	0

For S P J T & ASSOCIATES

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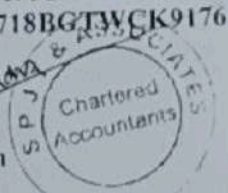
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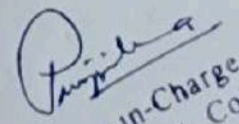
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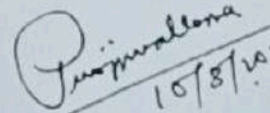
  
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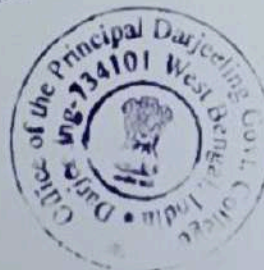
Membership No: 233718\*

Dated: 10 August 2023



  
Officer-in-Charge  
Darjeeling Govt. College

  
15/8/2023  
Officer-in-Charge  
Darjeeling Govt. College







# Certificate of Completion

*The Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board  
and The Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs  
of the*

*United States Department of State*

*award this certificate to*

**Dipti Tamang**

*in recognition of successful completion of the*

## Fulbright Scholarship Program

October 2022  
Washington, DC

Chair, Fulbright Foreign  
Scholarship Board

Assistant Secretary of State  
Bureau of Educational and  
Cultural Affairs

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**Government of West Bengal**  
**Higher Education Department**  
**Appointment Branch**  
**Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091**

No. 76-Edn(A)/4A-23/15(25)

Dated, Kolkata, 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2022

From: The Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal  
To: The Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal.

**Subject:** *Permission to visit USA in respect of Dr. Dipti Tamang, Assistant Professor of Political Science in WBES, now posted at Darjeeling Govt. College, in her private capacity, on being invited by USIEF, New Delhi, for the period from 01<sup>st</sup> February, 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2022 for the purpose of Fulbright- Nehru Postdoctoral Research Fellowship to conduct research on a project titled "Women, Peace and Security in India: case studies of the Naga and Gorkha ethno-nationalist conflicts in the Eastern Himalayas" at the University of Cornell, Ithaca, New York, USA, under Fulbright-Nehru grant document (Award No. 2668/FNPDR/2020).*

The undersigned is directed to refer to the above mentioned subject and to say that this Department has no objection on the visit of Dr. **Dipti Tamang**, Assistant Professor in Political Science, posted at Darjeeling Government College to United States of America in her private capacity for the aforesaid purpose for the period as mentioned above, subject to the following conditions:-

1. She should accept foreign hospitality in connection with her proposed foreign visit, subject to the clearances from the Ministry of Home affairs, Government of India from FCRA angle.
2. She will be granted "Extra-ordinary Leave" without pay for the period from 25.01.2022 to 15.11.2022 for the purpose of conducting the aforesaid research including transit time, both ways, as per provisions laid down in Rule 175 (1) (b) of WBSR, Part - 1.
3. She should resume official duty in India immediately after the expiry of the said Extra-ordinary Leave.
4. There should not be any financial involvement on the part of the State Government of West Bengal.

This order issues with the approval of the Hon'ble Chief Minister, West Bengal.

Sd/- B. Nandy

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

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Dated, Kolkata, 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2022

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is forwarded for information and necessary action to:

The Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India, FCRA Wing / Foreigners' Division, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, NDCC-II Building, Jai Singh Road, Off Parliament Street, Near Jantar Mantar, New Delhi - 110001.

The Principal Accountant General (A & E), West Bengal, Treasury Buildings, Kolkata - 700001.

P.S. to the Hon'ble M.I.C., Department of Higher Education.

The O.S.D. & Under Secretary, P&AR Department, Government of West Bengal, Nabanna (H.R.B.C. Building), 325, Sarat Chatterjee Road, Howrah-711102.

The Treasury Officer, Treasury Office, Darjeeling, District - Darjeeling.


5. The Principal / Officer-in-charge, Darjeeling Government College, District - Darjeeling.

Copy of the Treasury Office, Darjeeling is sent along with.

7. Dr. Dipti Tamang, Assistant Professor in Political Science, Darjeeling Government College, District - Darjeeling.

8. I. T. Cell (diptitamang@gmail.com)

9. Guard File.

  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal





**Government of West Bengal  
Higher Education Department  
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Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091**

No. 124-Edn(A)/ 4A-23/15

Dated, Kolkata, 08.02.2022.

The undersigned is directed to state that the Governor has been pleased to allow Dr. Dipti Tamang, Assistant Professor in Political Science in the West Bengal Education Service and presently posted at Darjeeling Government College, to visit the United States of America, in her private capacity, on Fulbright-Nehru Postdoctoral Research Fellowship to conduct research at the University of Cornell, Ithaca, New York, USA, with effect from 01.02.2022 to 31.10.2022, on Extra-ordinary Leave without pay as already granted, subject to the following conditions:-

1. She shall not accept any foreign hospitality which comes under the purview of the FCRA 2010, without prior permission from the Government of India,
  2. There should not be any financial involvement on the part of the State Government of West Bengal,
  3. She should resume her official duties immediately after her return to India.
- This order issues with the approval of the competent authority in the Government of West Bengal.

Sd/- B.R. Santra


Deputy Secretary to the Government of West Bengal

Dated, Kolkata, 08.02.2022.

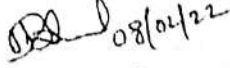
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2. The Principal Accountant General (A & E), West Bengal, Treasury Buildings, Kolkata - 700001.
3. The Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal.
4. The O.S.D. & Under Secretary to the Government of West Bengal, Nabanna (H.R.B.C. Building), 325, Sarat Chatterjee Road, Howrah-711102.
5. The Treasury Officer, Treasury Office Darjeeling, District- Darjeeling.
6. The Principal / Officer-in-charge, Darjeeling Government College, Darjeeling. Copy endorsed to the Treasury Officer, Treasury Office Darjeeling, is enclosed herewith.
7. Dr. Dipti Tamang ([diptitamang@gmail.com](mailto:diptitamang@gmail.com)), Assistant Professor in Political Science, Darjeeling Government College, Darjeeling.
8. Private Secretary to the Hon'ble MIC of Higher Education Department, Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata.
9. Guard File.

  
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Dated: 16-02-2022

Office Memorandum

Subject: Grant of Prior Permission under Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010(FCRA, 2010) for availing foreign hospitality.

The undersigned is directed to refer to **DARJEELING GOVERNMENT COLLEGE** Office Memorandum/ letter No. 124-Edn(A)/4A-23/15 dated 08-02-2022 on the subject noted above and to convey the permission of the Central Government under Section 6 of foreign Contribution(Regulation) Act, 2010 for acceptance of Foreign hospitality by **DIPTI TAMANG, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR** as under:

Name & Address of the Host	Places / Country of visit	Duration From	Duration To
FULBRIGHT COMMISSION UNITED STATES INDIA EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION(FULBRIGHT COMMISISON), NEW DELHI-110001	ITHACA NEW YORK  United States of America	25-02-2022	25-10-2022

- The above permission is subject to approval of the concerned administrative Ministry/
- This is a digitally signed certificate to be validated digitally using the signature panel using Adobe Acrobat Reader (Ver 5.0 or above). The digital intimation is authenticated by a digital signature obtained from a certifying authority under the Information Technology Act 2000.

**Rakesh Sahai**  
Section Officer  
Digitally signed by RAKESH SAHAI  
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DARJEELING GOVERNMENT COLLEGE  
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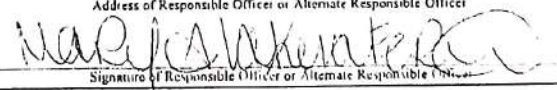

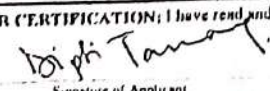




U.S. Department of State

OSM APPROVAL NUMBER 017  
 EXPIRES 10/31/2020  
 EXEMPTED BURDEN TIME 1/2/19  
 See Page 2

CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY FOR EXCHANGE VISITOR STATUS (J-NONIMMIGRANT)

1. Surname Primary Name: <b>Tamang</b>		Given Name: <b>Dipta</b>	Gender: <b>PFEMALE</b>	Program Number: <b>00012625525</b>
Date of Birth (mm-dd-yyyy): <b>11-07-1986</b>	City of Birth: <b>Kalimpong</b>	Country of Birth: <b>INDIA</b>	Citizenship Country Code: <b>IN</b>	Citizenship Country: <b>INDIA</b>
Legal Permanent Residence Country Code: Legal Permanent Residence Country: <b>IN INDIA</b>		Position Code: Position: <b>213 UNIVERSITY TEACHING STAFF INCLUDING R</b>		
Primary Site of Activity: <b>Cornell U - South Asia Program 616 THURSTON AVE ITHACA, NY 14850</b>				
2. Program Sponsor: U.S. Department of State (Fulbright Scholar)			Participating Program (Official Description): <b>PROFESSOR; RESEARCH SCHOLAR; SHORT-TERM SCHOLAR</b>	
Purpose of this form: <b>Amend a previous form; Shorten program</b>				
3. Form Covers Period: From (mm-dd-yyyy): <b>03-15-2022</b> To (mm-dd-yyyy): <b>10-22-2022</b>		4. Exchange Visitor Category: <b>RESEARCH SCHOLAR</b> Subject/Field Code: <b>45.0901</b> Subject/Field Code Remarks: <b>International Relations</b>		
5. During the period covered by this form, the total estimated financial support (in U.S. \$) is to be provided to the exchange visitor by: Current Program Sponsor funds: \$220.00 The Educational Commission of the Exchange Visitor's Country: \$30,900.00 Total: \$31,120.00				
6. RESPONSIBLE OFFICER OR ALTERNATE RESPONSIBLE OFFICER ATTESTATION: I attest that prior to issuing this Form DS-2019, the Program Sponsor organization identified above for which I serve as the Responsible Officer or Alternate Responsible Officer has verified, in accordance with the requirements of 22 CFR 121.12 (b) that each prospective exchange visitor: (i) is eligible and qualified for and accepted into the program in which he or she will participate and (ii) possesses adequate financial resources to participate in and complete his or her exchange visitor program, and (iii) possesses adequate financial resources to support an accompanying spouse and dependents, if any. I also attest that upon printing and signing this form, I am physically present in the United States or in a U.S. territory. A notification copy of this form has been provided to the U.S. Department of State.		7. <b>Mary Amanda Vakeva-Perin</b> Name of Official Preparing Form: <b>Office of Academic Exchange Programs (ECA/A/E) 2200 C Street, NW, Fourth Floor (SA-5) Washington, DC 20037</b> Address of Responsible Officer or Alternate Responsible Officer:  Signature of Responsible Officer or Alternate Responsible Officer		Alternate Responsible Officer: Title:  Telephone Number: <b>212-984-5448</b> Date (mm-dd-yyyy): <b>04-30-2022</b>
8. Statement of Responsible Officer for Releasing Sponsor (FOR TRANSFER OF PROGRAM) Effective date (mm-dd-yyyy): _____ Transfer of this exchange visitor from program number _____ sponsored by _____ to the program specified in item 2 is necessary or highly desirable and is in conformity with the objectives of the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act of 1961, as amended. Signature of Responsible Officer or Alternate Responsible Officer: _____ Date (mm-dd-yyyy) of Signature: _____				
PRELIMINARY ENDORSEMENT OF CONSULAR OR IMMIGRATION OFFICER REGARDING SECTION 212(e) OF THE IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT AND PL 94-484, AS AMENDED (see item 1(a) of page 2). The Exchange Visitor in the above program: 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Not subject to the two-year residence requirement 2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Subject to two-year residence requirement based on: A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Government financing and/or B. <input type="checkbox"/> The Exchange Visitor Skills List and/or C. <input type="checkbox"/> PL 94-484 as amended  Name: _____ Title: _____ Signature of Consular or Immigration Officer: _____ Date (mm-dd-yyyy): _____			TRAVEL VALIDATION BY RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (Maximum validation period is 1 year*) *EXCEPT: Maximum validation period is up to 6 months for Short-term Scholars and 4 months for Camp Counselors and Summer Work Travel (1) Exchange Visitor is in good standing at the present time  Signature of Responsible Officer or Alternate Responsible Officer (2) Exchange Visitor is in good standing at the present time Date (mm-dd-yyyy): _____ Signature of Responsible Officer or Alternate Responsible Officer: _____	
THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO MAKE FINAL DETERMINATION REGARDING 212(e). EXCHANGE VISITOR CERTIFICATION: I have read and agree with the statement in item 2 on page 2 of this document.  Signature of Applicant: _____ Place: <b>Ithaca, New York</b> Date (mm-dd-yyyy): <b>May 15th, 2022</b> Signature of Responsible Officer or Alternate Responsible Officer: _____				

  
 Dipta Tamang  
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