Collaborative Outreach Activity

Student Exchange

with Sri Pratap College, Cluster University, Srinagar

Under the NE twining programme envisioned in DBT Foldscope Project supported by DBT Principal Investigator Dr. D. D. Khedkar has established collaboration with following Principal Investigators —

Dr. Roohi Mushtaq, Sri Pratap College, Cluster University, Srinagar

Both Principal Investigators and their institutes agreed to collaborate for the research and students exchange.

Dr. Roohi Mushtaq, Sri Pratap College, Cluster University, Srinagar deputed JRF Mr. Malik Abaid Hussain for the research and under the exchange programme. JRF joined Shri Shivaji Science College, Amravati on 28th Dec 2019 and relieved to his institute on 5th Feb 2019 after completing research.



Govt of Jammu & Kashmir

Department of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics Sri Pratap College

Cluster University Srinagar, M A Road, Srinagar, J&K-190001.



No. SPC/Biotech/DBT/17-

Dated: 07/12/2018

Dr. Dinesh Dayaramji Khedkar Associate Professor Shri Shivaji Science College Amravati (MS), India.

Subject: Twinning of the Foldscope Project.

Ref. No: BT/IN/Indo-US/Foldscope/39/2015

Sir.

With respect to the subject cited above, I extend my gratitude for accepting the request regarding twinning of our foldscope project sponsored by Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, Govt. of India. Since both of us are working on plants, this twinning will help us to share the platform where we can explore plant kingdom by conducting research using foldscope. We look forward to a fruitful collaboration.

Yours Sincerely

Dr. Roohi Mushtaq

Principal Investigator DBT Sponsored Project

Copy to:

- Dr. Vaishali Punjabi, Scientist 'D' Ministry of science and Technology, Govt. of India, New Delhi.
- 2. Principal Sri Pratap College, Srinagar, Jammu and Kashmir.



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Ref. No.: sssc/foldscope/29/2019

To,

Dr. Roohi Mushtaq

Principal Investigator, Foldscope Project

Sri Pratap College, Cluster University, Srinagar

Subject: Relieving Letter to Twinning JRF under Foldscope Project

Reference: 1. Admin order No. BT/IN/Indo-US/Foldscope/39/2015 dated 20.03.2018 from DBT

2. Twinning Letter by Dr. Roohi no. spc/biotech/dbt/17dated 7.12.2018

3. Acceptance Letter by Dr. D. D. Khedkar, dated 14th Dec. 2018

4. Joining Letter by JRF Mr. Malik Aabid Hussain dated 28th Dec. 2018

Dear Dr.,

In connection with letters cited under reference, the twinning agreements is in force between our institutes. Under the twinning programme, JRF from Sri Pratap College, Srinagar Mr. Malik Aabid Hussain joined Shri Shivaji Science College, Amravati for research exchange envisaged in the Foldscope Scheme on 28th Dec. 2018.

He was actively engaged in all the project activities and research work going on in the project. The contribution of Mr. Malik Aabid needs appreciation from both the institutions.

The extended period of on week from 28th Jan. to 5th February 5, 2019 was devoted towards compilation of the work conducted during the entire period of his stay in our institute. He relieved from this institute on 5th February, 2019 afternoon from his assignments.

I acknowledge the support and necessary permissions granted by Principal Investigator and Principal Sri Pratap College, Srinagar for this significant exchange of the research works between two remote institutes. Hope this association will go long and result into noteworthy outcomes.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Place: Amravati

Date: 5th February, 2019

Yours Sincerely

D. D. Khedkar Principal Investigator DBT Foldscope Project

Copy to: 1. Dr. Vaishali Panjabi, Scientist D, Department of Biotechnology (Foldscope Team) for information

2. The Principal, Sri Pratap College, Cluster University, Srinagar for information and action

3. The Principal, Shri Shivaji Science College, Amravati

4. Mr. Malik Aabid Hussain

tiovt of Jammu & Kashnur



Department of Biotechnology and Bioinfor matics Sri Pratap College Cluster University Srinagar,



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Dated: 14/12/2018

The Principal, Sri Pratap College, M.A. Road - Srinagar.

Sub: Deputation of Mr. Malik Aabid Hussain (JRF) to twinning partners of Maharashtra and Pondieherry

Sir.

With reference to the subject cited above, it is to submit that the DBT sponsored project entitled "Exploring the possibility of Conducting Research using Foldscope" which is currently going on in the department of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics has a requirement of social outreach with the twinning partners for exploring other areas of research using this innovative tool. In this regard two twinning partners from Maharashtra and Pondicherry have already given their consent for the collaboration (Consent letters attached). It is therefore requested that necessary permission for the deputation of Mr. Malik Aabid Hussain (JRF) to the twinning partners may kindly be granted so that he can leave the station from 26th of December, 2018 for a period of one month. The travelling, boarding and lodging expenditures will be met out of the grant received from Department of Biotechnology (DBT). Ministry of Science and Technology, Govt. of India under the budget head Travel.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Yours Sincerely

INVESTIGATOR

Dr. Roohi Mushtaq DBT - PROJECT.
(Principal Investigator)

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To,

Dr. Roohi Mushtaq

Principal Investigator, Foldscope Project

Sri Pratap College, Cluster University, Srinagar

Through: The Principal, Shri Shivaji Science College, Amravati, MS, India

Subject: Consent to twin project Under the Foldscope Scheme

Reference: 1. Admin order No. BT/IN/Indo-US/Foldscope/39/2015 dated 20.03.2018 from DBT

2. Request letter from Dr. Roohi Mushtaq No. SPC/Biotech/DBT/17 dated 7th Dec. 2018

Dear Dr.,

In connection with the admin order and your request letter cited under reference, I am delighted to accept the proposal of twinning the Foldscope project with your esteemed institution.

I am very please to note that, you are working the area of my research interest. Hopefully, this academic and research collaboration between two institutions will come up with many novel outputs.

As per my institutional policy, under the twinning of the project, we are expected to collaborate in the following ways and means –

- 1. Interact and Exchange for the better outcome of the research undertaken by both PIs.
- 2. Organize visits for interaction between the students of both the region under the outreach programme.
- 3. To know the diversity of both the regions through fieldwork.
- 4. Organize workshops in collaboration for the students and the faculties.
- 5. To satisfy, any other requirements as and when conveyed by authorities.

Therefore, you may be obligingly requested to kindly note this acceptance for the proposal of twining and hope you we will work positively towards benefit of students, academics and research. Thanking you in anticipation.

Place: Amravati
Date: 14th Dec., 2018

Yours Sincerely

(D. D. Khedkar)

Recommended and forwarded for necessary action

Principal

Shri Shivaji Science College, Amravati

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