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NOTE

**Subject: Financial Support for IITKGP-University of Manchester Joint Doctoral Student
Ms. Juhi Srivastava**

Ms. Juhi Srivastava was recommended for admission in the Department of Metallurgical and Materials Engg. IIT Kharagpur in the Autumn semester of 2021-22 and was awarded a Partial Scholarship which includes full tuition waiver during her 12 month stay at University of Manchester, and payment of Institute Fellowship at prevailing rates during her stay at IIT Kharagpur. According to the terms of her scholarship, Juhi would be required to cover her living expenses and other incidental fees during her stay at University of Manchester.

Ms. Juhi Srivastava left for University of Manchester on the Sept 23, 2022.

Ms. Srivastava subsequently obtained a partial funding of GBP 6000/annum from her host mentor at Manchester. In addition, Mr. Mukund Padmanabhan, esteemed alum of IITKGP, has very kindly extended support to Juhi with USD 10,000, to cover her living expenses while at Manchester.

Juhi is currently in Manchester, and her supervisors have expressed a requirement for her to continue her stay in Manchester from September 2023 to September 2024 in order to work on her project.

As mentioned above, Juhi has been receiving a stipend of £800 per month from the GKF fund since Sept 2023 and an additional £500 per month from the Airbus project for the period spanning September 2022 to September 2023 in Manchester.

During the 2nd year of her stay at Manchester between September 2023 to September 2024, her host mentor has agreed to increase the stipend to £800 per month. Living in Manchester requires a minimum of £1,300 per month, and despite the above mentioned support, Juhi is falling short of £500. **She is therefore requesting that IITKGP provides her the support of £500/month for the upcoming year during September 2023-August 2024.**

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Name of Bank: State Bank of India

Bank Branch- IIT JODHPUR

Bank Account Number- 37908172477

Bank IFSC code- SBIN0014892

All supporting documents along with Ms. Srivastava's banking information is being enclosed for your necessary and kind review and consideration.

IR Executive

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Let us try to support her
from SGR fellowship fund?

Assoc. Dean (AA & IR)

13/10/2023.