

2349/2024/OIR.

Dean International Relations

Date: 25.09.2024

Modification in the terms of ADSIP

As desired by the Donor, to make the Scholarship more inclusive, it has been proposed to make the CGPA criteria to 7.0 (instead of 8.5) as there are not adequate number of eligible students.

I request the MoU committee to approve it.

Rabibrata Mukherjee
25.09.2024
Rabibrata Mukherjee

Dean, IR

26.09.2024

Deputy Director

As suggested by the DD during the MoU. Committee meeting, consent is sought from all academic deans for lowering the CGPA Criteria from 8.5 to 7.0 for the UG Students. The CGPA/ Criteria should remain 8.5 for M.Tech and PhD Students.

Rabibrata Mukherjee
26.09.2024

Dean, FOS

Jekumar
26.09.2024

Dean, FOEA

P. R.
27-09-2024

Dean, F-BTBS

P. R.
27/9/24

Dean, SA

Pratibha 27/09/24

Dean, OR

Karali Das 27.09.2024

Dean, AA

Chakraborty
30/9/2024

To be signed

Memorandum of Understanding

for the

Asoke Deysarkar International Program for South Asian Scholars- The Amendment

This Amendment to Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is executed on this day of2024, by and between:

Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur (IIT Kharagpur), an autonomous Institute of national importance established by The Institute of Technology Act, 1961 by the act of Parliament of India and having office at Kharagpur - 721302, West Bengal, India.

AND

Dr Asoke Deysarkar (1968/BSc/CY/VS)&(1971/BTech/CH/VS) residing at 14227 Fern Street, Houston, Texas, 77079 and Dr Mukund Padmanabhan (1987/B Tech/EC/NH) from 37 Meadowood Lane, Glen Head, New York, 11545 are "Donors".

AND

IITKGP Foundation USA is a non-profit organization devoted to supporting the academic and infrastructure development activities of the Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur (IIT Kharagpur). Its primary objective is to raise funds for the Institute, primarily from alumni based in the US and Canada. The IITKGP Foundation USA is registered as a non-profit organization with the U.S. Internal Revenue Service under section 501(c)(3) of the US Internal Revenue Code. Contributions are tax-deductible in accordance with IRS rules and regulations.

WHEREAS

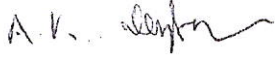
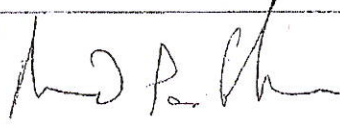
The "Asoke Deysarkar International Program for South Asian Scholars" scholarship has been constituted to support in the amount of USD 700 per year 10 students from colleges and universities in South Asian countries (excluding India) to visit IIT Kharagpur (short-term visit summer/ winter or one semester). The ADSIP program is open to all IIT KGP departments, schools, and centers, as well as students at all levels (UG/PG/RS). In an amendment to the MoU, the donor and the Institute have agreed to modify the eligibility criteria so that the merit criterion is a minimum CGPA of 7.0 instead of 8.85 up to the previous semester. All the other terms and conditions of the previous MoU dated 22/02/2019 will remain unchanged. In absence of any

suitable candidate, the award will not be awarded to any candidate and will be again advertised next year for fresh application.

Miscellaneous

During the Scholarship period, in the event that the Recipient is (i) subject to any disciplinary action, (ii) fails to comply with the laws of the country, or (iii) fails to comply with the applicable rules and procedures of the Institute and the program of study, the Institute shall have ability to rescind the scholarship to that recipient and notify the donor. (iv) the donor shall not be responsible for the safety and security of any of the recipients at any time. (v) donor shall not be responsible for any recipient's debt or financial obligations to the Institute or to any third party. (vi) neither the Institute nor the donor shall be responsible in any case of any claims or damages directly or indirectly arising from the scholarship. (vii) in absence of any suitable candidate, the scholarship will not be given to any candidate and will be again advertised next year for fresh application.

Executed and Witnessed by:

		
Dean Outreach & Alumni Affairs, IIT Kharagpur	Dr. Asoke Deysarkar	Dr. Mukund Padmanabhan

Associate Dean AA&IR, IIT Kharagpur



पूर्व छात्र मामले और अंतरराष्ट्रीय संबंध कार्यालय
भारतीय प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान, खड़गपुर
Office Of Alumni Affairs & International Relations
Indian Institute Of Technology, Kharagpur

Minutes of the Meeting: Asoke Dey Sarkar International Program & AK Singh – Chair Professorship

Date: 02nd March 2024.

Time: 8:30 PM to 9:30 PM (IST)

Mode: Online (Through Zoom)

The meeting was held online on March 2nd 2024 to discuss the status of the Scholarship and fund for the ADSIP Scholarship and AK Singh – Distinguished Chair Professorship modalities and new way ahead. The agenda items are listed below and the following members have attended the meeting:

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| 1. Ms Meenakshi Khazanchi
Executive Director
(IITKgp Foundation USA) | 2. Dr. Asoke Dey Sarkar
President
(IITKgp Foundation USA) |
| 3. Ms Shruti Singh Parihar
(Executive Officer) | 4. Prof Debashish Chakaravarty
(Associate Dean AA & IR) |
| 5. Mr Sanjeev Kumar Verma
(Junior Assistant) | |

Discussion 1:

ADSIP Scholarship was not awarded to any student in the last academic year owing to non-eligibility in terms of CGPA. Additionally, the call was not placed since multiple students were availing other scholarships like SGRIP and SII.

Resolution from Discussion 1:

The committee recommended that the eligibility criteria of selection under the ADSIP be modified to make the scholarship available to suitable candidates having a CGPA of 7 and above without any backlog and/or disciplinary committee actions against the candidate. Draft modification will be done with the help of the Office of AA&IR and will be sent to IITKGP foundation USA for review.

(Document attached in the email)

Discussion 2:

It was requested that the Fund status and Utilization certificate and the names of the awardees of A K Singh – Distinguished Chair Professorship from the previous years be made available to the Foundation.

Also the proposed modifications for the utilization of the collected funds in tune with activities towards applications and generative AI be added, as per the discussions held during PAN IIT2024 in Washington DC.

Resolution from Discussion 2:

The Office of AA&IR with the help of Central accounts of IIT Kharagpur will provide the Fund Status (UC) and the name of the awardees of the AK Singh- Distinguished Chair Professorship by this week.



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Indian Institute Of Technology, Kharagpur

(This has been done and made ready to be shared).

(The amended draft version needs to be done for sharing).

Discussion 3:

- Discussion needs on the Semester Away Program, Semester Away Internship Program.
- Discussion for any new chair professorship

Resolution from Discussion 3:

- All the existing MoUs and any new MoU need to be suitably modified/ amended and written with the inclusion of the SAP curriculum related support for the IITKGP students to any international / national organizations / institutes of repute.
- All the existing MoUs and any new MoU for Chair Professorship need to be suitably modified/ amended and written for supporting the full remuneration of any foreign professor / academics here in IITKGP Campus including the air travel.

The concept of Top-up salary for the faculty members may be revisited if needed.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks from the convener to all the members present.

Asoke Deysarkar International Program for South Asian Scholars

India is keen to promote cooperation in research and education with South Asian nations. As a premier technological university of the country, IIT Kharagpur intends to carry that mandate forward. Distinguished Alumnus, entrepreneur and philanthropist Dr. Asoke Deysarkar has come forward to offer scholarship to bright and meritorious students from South Asian nations to visit IIT Kharagpur for short-term research and/or coursework.

Responsibilities of Dr. Asoke Deysarkar:

1. ADSIP will provide support every year to about 10 bright and meritorious students from colleges and universities in South Asian countries (excluding India) to visit IIT Kharagpur and undertake research and/or coursework. The visit will be short-term, typically covering the summer/winter or one semester. ADSIP will be open to all IIT KGP Departments, Centers and Schools and students of all levels (undergraduate/ masters/ doctoral). The typical value of support will be approximately USD 700 per student. Dr. Deysarkar will transfer USD 8000 to the Office of International Relations, IIT Kharagpur at the beginning of the year (USD 7000 of scholarship plus USD 1000 toward dissemination, accounting and administrative costs).

Responsibilities of IIT Kharagpur:

1. IIT Kharagpur will create and administer a set of merit based criteria for selecting the most deserving applicants. A committee will be constituted by the Director for this purpose. The committee will consider the merit of the applicant, the quality of the proposed research, and the relevance of the proposed coursework in the selection process.
2. All interested students will apply to IITKGP Office of International Relations (OIR) with all details.
3. IITKGP will obtain necessary clearance from the Govt. of India before admitting foreign nationals as short-term scholars/students.
4. IITKGP will give ADSIP wide publicity among faculty members of all IITKGP Departments, Centers and Schools.
5. IITKGP will give ADSIP wide publicity to South Asian Universities, Embassies and Indian missions through direct mailing (email and hardcopy) and social media outreach.
6. IITKGP will provide annual reports to Dr. Deysarkar on the program.

Miscellaneous:

1. Any Intellectual Property generated by the student's research internship will be governed by the rules of IIT Kharagpur.
2. The student will be solely responsible for his/her well-being and conduct during the internship.
3. Each awardee will provide a one-page summary of achievements and accomplishments to ADSIP within upon completion of the visit.
4. This agreement will be valid for 5 years unless terminated earlier by mutual agreement.

A. D. Deysarkar
Signed by Dr. Asoke Deysarkar 2.22.2019


Signed by Dean, International Relations 22.2.2019

Asoke Deysarkar International Program for South Asian Scholars (ADSIP)

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Responsibilities of Dr. Asoke Deysarkar:

ADSIP will provide financial support in the form of scholarship to five international students from colleges and universities in south Asian countries (excluding India) along with non-SAARC countries in the Middle East, South East Asian countries and Ukraine to visit IIT Kharagpur and undertake research and/or course work in various Post Graduate Programmes for every year for the duration of the MoU. The annual scholarship will be given to the top five students to fund on campus accommodation, tuition fees, food and other expenses. The typical value of a scholarship, will amount to approximately USD 5,000 per student per year. Of the support given to a student, an amount of 10% per year per student will be used towards dissemination, accounting, administrative and other operational costs.

ADSIP will provide the required funding for PG scholarship programme to the IITKGP Foundation for further disbursement to IIT Kharagpur as and when required.

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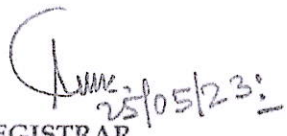

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3. Each awardee will provide a one-page summary of achievements and accomplishments to ADSIP upon completion of the visit.



INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY KHARAGPUR
FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS SECTION

STATEMENT OF FUND POSITION OF ASHOKE DEY SARKAR
INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM AS ON 31.03.2023.

Particulars	2022-23
A) Opening Balance of the Fund as on 01.04.2022	11,28,370
B) <u>Additions to the Fund</u>	
i) Grant Received	-
ii) Income from Investment /Savings Bank Interest	35,974
<u>TOTAL (A+B)</u>	11,64,344
C) <u>Utilisation/Expenditure towards objectives of Fund</u>	
i) Capital Expenditure	-
ii) Revenue Expenditure	
-Academic expenses	9,63,247
<u>TOTAL (C)</u>	9,63,247
<u>TOTAL CLOSING BALANCE OF FUND AT THE YEAR-END (A+B-C)</u>	2,01,097
<div><div> 25/05/23 REGISTRAR</div><div> DR(A/Cs)</div></div>	

Re: ADSIP Fund Status

From : Executive F & A (OAA & OIR) <f&a@adm.iitkgp.ac.in>

Subject : Re: ADSIP Fund Status

To : Alivia Nag <alivia.nag@adm.iitkgp.ac.in>

Cc : anirban biswas <anirban.biswas@adm.iitkgp.ac.in>, Anandaroop Bhattacharya <anandaroop@mech.iitkgp.ac.in> Fri, 12 Nov, 2021 11:40

Dear Alivia Di,

As we have discussed I am sharing you the detailed statement for your kind reference:

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY KHARAGPUR
OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS & RANKING

Statement of Utilisation of ADSIP Fund

Date	Particulars	Amount (Rs)	Date	Particulars	Amount (Rs)
23-05-19	Donation Received	554,610.00	23-05-2019	Bank Charges	2284.
31-03-20	Interest Earned	1,708.00	13-08-2019	ADSIP Scholarship for Four M- Tech Degree Students (1st Sem 2019-20)	222020.
			09-01-2020	ADSIP Scholarship for Four M- Tech Degree Students (2nd Sem 2019-20)	165220.
			03-03-2020	Mess/hall charges for Mr.Bipin Kumar Chaudhary from Nepal considered as a special case under the ADSIP Scholarship for the II Semester of AY 2019-2020.	27855.
			31-03-2020	Provision for Overhead for the FY 2019-20	55233.
			31-03-2020	Closing Balance	83705.
		556,318.00			556,318.00
01-04-20	Opening Balance	83,705.75	24-02-2021	ADSIP Scholarship for the two semesters of 2020-21 for four students amounting to Rs 52,250 of each students .	209000.
01-01-21	Donation Received	563234.60	29-03-2021	Manish Chandra towards Food Exp @ Rs 12000 each senester as Mess Advance for the year 2019-20	24000.
31-03-21	Interest Earned	1,083.00	29-03-2021	Santosh Adhikari towards Food Exp @ Rs 12000 each senester as Mess Advance for the year 2019-20	24000.
			29-03-2021	Shivkumar Koiri Maurya towards Food Exp @ Rs 12000 each senester as Mess Advance for the year 2019-20	24000.
			29-03-2021	Bikalpa Bomjan Gurung towards Food Exp @ Rs 12000 each senester as Mess Advance for the year 2019-20	24000.
			29-03-2021	Bipin Kumar Chaudhary towards Food Exp @ Rs 12000 each senester as Mess Advance for the year 2019-20	24000.
			31-03-2021	Provision for Overhead for the FY 2020-21	56324.
			31-03-2021	Closing Balance	262699.
		648,023.35			648,023.35
01-04-21	Opening Balance	262,699.35	12.08.2021	Bank Charges	1,010.00
12.08.21	Donation Received	1,107,780.00	31.10.2021	Provision for Overhead for the FY 2021-22	110,677.00
31.10.21	Interest Earned	7,850.00			
			31.10.2021	Closing Balance to be transferred to Central Accounts	1,266,642.
		1,378,329.35			1,378,329.35

Thanks & Regards

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