



**UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION**  
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**Subject:- Raman Fellowship for Post Doctoral Research for Indian Scholars in United States for the Year 2014-15 to be awarded by University Grants Commission.**

Madam / Sir,

With reference to your application on the subject cited above, I am pleased to inform you that the UGC has awarded you Raman Post Doctoral Fellowship for the year 2014-15 in USA for a period of 12 months with the following terms & conditions:

- ❖ The fellow will be entitled to fellowship amount of US \$ 3000 per month.
- ❖ The fellow will also be entitled to one time personal contingency grant of up to a maximum of Rs. 50,000 to cover for visa, airport transfer, medical insurance etc.
- ❖ Fellow will also be permitted to travel within USA to attend conferences or other institutes of interest with the approval of the advisor at the host institute.
- ❖ The fellow will be entitled to avail one of the following grants for this purpose:

- I. Grant of \$ 600 for fellowship period up to 6 months.
- II. Grant of \$ 1200 for fellowship period beyond 6 months.

The UGC letter no. 1-6-2012 (PS) dated 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 may be referred to regarding the grant of study leave to university and college teachers.

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BY SPEED-POST

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Dear Sir,

The Commission has nominated **Dr. Aijaz Ahmad Dar, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, University of Kashmir, Hazratbal, Srinagar - 190006** to visit USA under 300 Raman Fellows for Post Doctoral Studies in USA under Indo-US 21<sup>st</sup> Century Knowledge Initiative for a period of **Eight Months from July 2013**. The USA authorities have accepted his visit to USA. The contact person/Host Institution and starting dates, as intimated by USA side are as under:

Host Institution	Host Professor	Starting date	Duration
Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, 610 Taylor Road, Piscataway, New Jersey 08854-8087, USA	Dr. Laurence S. Romsted	July, 2013	Eight Months

The Commission will provide the following allowances to **University of Kashmir, Hazratbal, Srinagar - 190006** in respect of **Dr. Aijaz Ahmad Dar** towards his visit to U.S.A.

1.	Fellowship amount of US \$ 3000 per month
2.	Grant of US \$ 1200 to travel within USA
3.	Contingency Rs. 50,000/- to cover expenses for visa, airport, transfer, medical insurance

The University/College is, therefore, requested to arrange his air tickets from the nearest International airport in India to the capital of the country concerned and back (by excursion category for the whole sector or a part thereof, if available, otherwise by economy class shortest route) **directly by Air India and not by any other airline**. The expenditure incurred on International air-fare is reimbursable by UGC.

Please note that **visa fee** paid by the scholar is **also reimbursable** on production of receipt issued by the Embassy/High Commission. **The charges claimed by the travel agent are not reimbursable.**

The University/College may provide him funds for his travel from his place of duty to the nearest international Airport in India and back by air, if, his **basic pay is Rs. 37400-67000-AGP-9000 and above**. In case his **grade pay is between Rs.9,000/- & Rs.10,000/-** he may also travel by air provided the distance involved is more than 500 Kms and the journey cannot be performed overnight by train.

The Commission will also reimburse the expenses incurred by the University/College on his road transport to and fro between his residence to airport/railway station.

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