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Date: 11.07.2025

No. FC(Sc)/RS/UGC/GEO/2025-26/25

To

Mr. Pradyut Khanra  
 Department of Geography  
 The University of Burdwan

*Sub : Your prayer to avail UGC-NET-Junior Research Fellowship to pursue Ph. D. programme.*

Dear Student,

In response to your application, I am directed to inform you that Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor has been pleased to allow you to avail the rest amount (for three years) of *UGC-NET-Junior Research Fellowship to pursue Ph. D. Programme* in the Department of Geography under the supervision of Prof. Biplab Biswas, Department of Geography, B.U. The Fellowship will be governed by **UGC guidelines** or subject to the condition as set forth by the University/ UGC and as may be laid down by the appropriate authority from time to time.

"The fellowship amount shall be disbursed through Canara Bank to the bank account of the awardee directly"

If you agree to accept the offer, you would be required to join as a JRF within fifteen days from the date of issue of this letter on submission through the Head of the Department of a joining report (in triplicate) in prescribed form (for UGC Fellowship) – accepting the said conditions and mentioning the name of your guide therein.

Thanking you,

Dr. Deb Prakash Pahari  
 Secretary (Additional Charge)  
 Faculty Council (Science)

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Copy to:

1. Registrar, B.U.,
2. UGC Fellowship & Scholarship Cell, B.U.
3. Head, Department of Geography, B.U.
4. Prof. Biplab Biswas, Department of Geography, B.U.

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**JRF AWARD LETTER**

Dated: 08.01.2020

Roll No.: WB0605200677



NTA Ref. No.: 19NET0143497  
**PRADYUT KHANRA**  
Son/Daughter of **MINATI KHANRA**  
and **BHOLANATH KHANRA**  
Subject: GEOGRAPHY

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Dear Candidate,  
I am pleased to inform you that you have qualified for Junior Research Fellowship (JRF) and eligibility for Assistant Professor in the National Eligibility Test (UGC-NET) conducted in December 2019. The tenure of fellowship is five years and it commences from the date of declaration of NET result, i.e., 31st December, 2019 (or) from the date of admission under M.Phil./Ph.D. (or) from the date of joining M.Phil./Ph.D. programme, whichever is later. The summary of financial assistance offered under the scheme is mentioned at Annexure I available on [www.ugc.ac.in/netjrf](http://www.ugc.ac.in/netjrf).  
The Awardee is required to get admission and registration for regular and full time M.Phil./Ph.D. course in a University/Institution/College recognized by UGC at the first available opportunity but not later than three years from the date of issue of this award letter. University/Institution/College is requested to process for award of JRF based on this letter, in accordance with the procedure available on [www.ugc.ac.in/netjrf](http://www.ugc.ac.in/netjrf).  
It may be noted that the fellowship amount shall be disbursed through Canara Bank to bank account of the Awardee (any bank) directly. UGC has developed a dedicated web portal (<https://scholarship.canarabank.in>) for capturing data of the awardee. The Universities/Colleges/Institutions will link the data of the awardee with the master data on the UGC web portal with unique Maker/Checker Ids which have already been provided to them along with the passwords. The Universities/Colleges/Institutions shall update the information in the master data (regarding monthly payment confirmation, HRA, up-gradation, resignation etc.) of the beneficiaries on monthly basis. Based on the data updated on UGC web portal by the concerned Universities/Colleges/Institutions, the payment of the fellowship will be made to the beneficiaries (Detailed process available at [http://www.ugc.ac.in/ugc\\_notices.aspx?id=2153](http://www.ugc.ac.in/ugc_notices.aspx?id=2153)).  
It may also be noted that UGC has proposed to link "AADHAAR" with bank account of students so that there can be direct cash transfer and effective disbursal of fellowship into bank account of the student. In this regard, Secretary, UGC has already requested the universities to help students in Aadhaar enrolment vide D.O. No. F.14-34/2011 (CPP-II) dated 11.01.2013.  
It may please be noted that the award is liable to be cancelled by Implementing/Awarding agency and it will also attract legal action against the Awardee in the following cases:

- i. If the awardee is found to be ineligible to receive the award at any point during the entire duration of fellowship.
- ii. Misconduct of Awardee.
- iii. Unsatisfactory progress of research work.
- iv. Failure in any examination related to M.Phil./Ph.D..
- v. In case any other fellowship is drawn from other source(s).
- vi. Concealment of facts.

The e-Certificate of eligibility for Assistant Professor has been uploaded on <https://ecertificate.nta.ac.in>. The eligibility of the candidate is to be ensured by the institution/appointing authority. The category in which the candidate had appeared may be verified from NTA.

This electronic JRF award letter can also be verified by scanning the QR Code.

With best wishes,

Pradyut Khanra,  
14/07/2025

S. Parashar

(Dr Sadhana Parashar)  
Senior Director

Note: NTA has issued the electronic JRF award letter on the basis of information provided by the candidate in his/her online application form. The appointing authority should verify the original records/certificates of the candidate while considering him/her for JRF award or appointment, as the NTA will not be liable for any false information provided by the candidate. The NTA is only responsible for the result which can be verified from the repository available in the website of NTA ([ugcnet.nta.nic.in](http://ugcnet.nta.nic.in)). The candidate must fulfil the minimum eligibility conditions as laid down in the notification for UGC-NET.



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To  
 Mr. Pradyut Khanra  
 Department of Geography  
 The University of Burdwan

*Sub : Your prayer for UGC-NET-Junior Research Fellowship to pursue M. Phil programme.*

Dear Student,

In response to your application dated 27.06.2022, I am directed to inform you that Vice-Chancellor has been pleased to allow you to avail the *UGC-NET-Junior Research Fellowship to pursue M. Phil programme* in the Department of Geography under the supervision of Prof. Biplab Biswas, Department of Geography, B.U. The Fellowship will be governed by UGC guidelines "The fellow doing M. Phil will be paid fellowship amount upto the period of 02(two) years or the date of dissertation whichever is earlier". XII<sup>th</sup> Plan guidelines, UGC or subject to the condition as set forth by the University/ UGC and as may be laid down by the appropriate authority from time to time.

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This is for your information and necessary action please.

Yours truly,

Sr. Secretary  
 Faculty Council (Sc.)

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 Copy to:

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