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Dear Kunal Gupta,

It gives me great pleasure in informing you that you are selected for the prestigious Prime Minister's Research Fellowship (PMRF) under the Lateral Entry Scheme, in Cycle 9. Please note that your selection in PMRF is subject to the condition that you satisfy all selection eligibility criteria.

You are entitled to monthly fellowship and yearly Research Grant, calculated as per the PMRF Guidelines. It will be paid to you from the start date of the current semester of your Institute/University, subject to the terms and conditions of the scholarship/assistantship you are already holding. All payments are made to you through your Institute/University.

You are allotted a PMRF-ID, [REDACTED]. Note that this is different from the PMRF Application ID. You are required to login to the <https://portal.pmrfin/>, and by logging to the portal you are confirming to accept the Fellowship and agree to the terms and conditions of PMRF. Your login id is [REDACTED], you may set the password using the "Forgot Password" option, for the first time. This portal will be used to further track your progress. You are required to login to this portal by 10/11/22 for further processing of your fellowship.

There will be a rigorous annual review by a National Panel, and PMRF will be continued only if the experts in the review panel are convinced about your performance. Your first review will be in December 2023 if you are a Direct Entry Fellow, and in May 2023 if you are a Lateral Entry Fellow.

You must satisfy the teaching requirements as outlined in the PMRF guidelines.

The detailed guidelines are attached for your reference. The final execution of the PMRF scheme for you will be as per the rules, regulations, and processes of your Institute/University. You have to contact your Institute PMRF Coordinator Prof. Eswar Prasad, (email ID: adoaa-pg@iiti.ac.in) for all details related to implementation in your Institute/University. You may also write to pmrfsupport@smail.iitm.ac.in if you have any questions or need support.

With Best wishes,

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