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The Principal
WMO ARTS & SCIENCE College Muttill,
Muttill South, Kerala 673122

Subject: UGC Assistance for Component-1 (Research Capacity Building and Human Resource Development) under STRIDE - (Duration – 3 Years).

Sir/Madam,

1. This is with reference to the proposal submitted by **WMO ARTS & SCIENCE College Muttill** to support for Component-1 (Research Capacity Building and Human Resource Development) under Scheme for Trans-disciplinary Research for India's Developing Economy (STRIDE) of the University Grants Commission (UGC).
2. On the basis of the recommendations of the Expert Committee at its Interface Meeting held on 26th and 27th November, 2019, I am directed to convey approval of the UGC for the proposal submitted by the College under Component-1 (Research Capacity Building and Human Resource Development) under the STRIDE (duration of 3 years from the date of receipt of first instalment) with the following identified approaches:
 - a) Curriculum
 - b) Critical Thinking
 - c) Faculty Resources
 - d) Collaborations and Partnership
 - e) Criteria of Selection
 - f) Training Strategies
 - g) Training Methods
 - h) Innovations
 - i) Implementation Process (time-frame)

The Coordinator of the Project shall be responsible for implementation of the Project as per the identified approaches under the overall supervision of the Principal. He/she may continue till the end of the project or till his/her superannuation.

3. The financial assistance approved for implementing the present project for a duration of 3 years is given below :-

S. No.	Non-Recurring (Items)	Rs. (In Lakh)
1.	Equipments:	6.0
2.	Upgradation/augmentation extension of existing laboratory for housing and installation of new equipment including air-conditioning	-
	TOTAL	6.0
S. No.	Recurring(Items)	
1.	Core Assistance (Participant Cost and Hiring Services)	-
2.	Human Resources (Subject Experts) Cost	15.0
3.	Contingencies (Utilities, Stationary and Miscellaneous)	0.35
4.	Travel (Domestic and International)	0.60
	TOTAL	15.95
	Grand Total(NR+R)	21.95

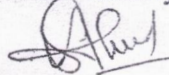
Amount in words: Rupees Twenty One Lakh and Ninety Five Thousand only.

4. The College is requested to take immediate steps to submit the following documents for necessary action:
- Acceptance of the terms and conditions of the grants duly signed by the Principal of the College.
 - Name of the competent College Officer with full address and other bank details in (mandate form) the prescribed enclosed proforma so that the fund can be transferred electronically.
 - A Certificate from the Principal of the College that it is eligible to receive the UGC financial assistance.
5. The first installment of admissible grant will be released only on the receipt of requisite documents requested vide para 4 by return of post.
6. The College is required to maintain a separate flexi saving bank account for the grants released for Component-1 (Research Capacity Building and Human Resource Development) under STRIDE. Interest earned against Grant-in-aid (other than reimbursement) released to any grantee institution should be mandatory remitted to the UGC account immediately after finalization of account. Any interest earned out of Grant-in-aid should not be allowed as additional funds over and above the allocation.
7. The College shall constitute immediately a Mentoring and Monitoring Committee (MMC) as per the STRIDE guidelines which can be downloaded from UGC's website ww.ugc.ac.in and follow the terms of reference of the Mentoring and Monitoring Committee (MMC) to ensure effective implementation and monitoring of the Project.

The task of purchasing of equipments and upgradation/augmentation/extensions of existing laboratory for housing and installation of new equipment including air-conditioning, if any, should be completed within a year from the date of receipt of the grant by the College. It may be noted that if it is not done within a year from the date of receipt of the grant by the College, the approval shall be considered as lapsed.

9. No request for any change in the effective date of the implementation of the Project will be considered.
10. The second/subsequent installment of grant for any approved items will be considered and sanctioned only on the receipt of the year-wise & item-wise Utilization Certificate along with annual progress report for the earlier installment in the prescribed form duly signed by the Registrar/Principal/Finance Officer as the case may be.
11. The annual progress report shall be submitted as per the Guidelines of STRIDE.
12. The College shall include all existing conditions also communicated from time to time by UGC in the Utilization Certificate, in respect of any financial assistance or grants-in-aid to any institution under any of the general or special schemes of the UGC.
13. The College shall take all possible measures to ensure effective implementation of policies and general financial rules of Government of India.
14. This approval is subject to the fulfillment of condition of inclusion of the College under section 2(f) and 12(B) of UGC Act, 1956 or any policy decision in this regard.
15. The College shall strictly follow the STRIDE Guidelines posted on UGC website.
16. The Project will be withdrawn at any point of time if it is found that the institution is ineligible or grant is not utilized for the purpose which it has been sanctioned or UGC rules have not been followed for utilizing the grant.

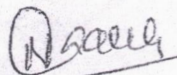
Yours faithfully,



(Dr. Shakeel Ahmad)
Joint Secretary (STRIDE)

Copy to:

1. The Coordinator of the Project, WMO ARTS & SCIENCE College Muttill, Muttill South, Kerala 673122
2. The Registrar, Calicut University, Mallapuram, Kerala.
3. The Secretary (Higher Education), Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala.
4. The Joint Secretary (Regional Office), Bengaluru - 560009, Karnataka.
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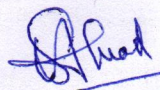
(Nirmal Kaur)
Under Secretary

Aided Colleges:

Sl. No.	Name of the College
1.	Japfu Christian College, Nagaland
2.	V.O. Chidambaram College, Tamil Nadu
3.	Holy Cross College, Tamil Nadu
4.	St Aloysius College, Karnataka
5.	Dr. Bhanuben Mahendra Nanavati College of Home Science, Maharashtra
6.	PSGR Krishnammal College for Women, Tamil Nadu
7.	WMO Arts & Science College, Kerala
8.	Vinayakrao Patil Mahavidyalaya, Maharashtra
9.	NMKRV College for Women, Karnataka
10.	Fergusson College, Maharashtra
11.	K.L.E. Society's S. Nijalingappa College, Karnataka
12.	Nirmala College, Jharkhand
13.	St Andrew's College, U.P.
14.	KRT Arts, BH Commerce and AM Science College, Maharashtra
15.	MSP Mandal's Shri Shivaji College, Maharashtra
16.	S. Kula Women's College, Manipur
17.	Sreekrishnapuram V.T. Bhattathirippad College, Kerala
18.	Newman College, Kerala

CATEGORY-II**Private College:**

1. Vignan's Institute of Information Technology, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh recognised as a UGC-STRIDE Center for Research Capacity Building on a Self-finance mode.


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Joint Secretary
(UGC- STRIDE)