



19<sup>th</sup> July, 2022

Uzma Khan  
Kupwara, Jammu and Kashmir  
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Dear Uzma,

Congratulations on being selected for admission to the PhD Programme in Physics at Ashoka University!

I am writing to inform you about the following terms of your offer of admission which are governed by Ashoka University's PhD Guidelines.

- This is a full-time PhD Programme.
- You will receive a monthly stipend of Rs. 35,000.
- You will have access to a PhD contingency grant of Rs. 20,000 per annum.
- On-campus housing will be provided only if it is available. In case on-campus housing is not available, an additional Rs. 7,500 will be paid per month towards the costs of off-campus housing.
- Ashoka University offers financial assistance to PhD Scholars for presenting their research ideas/findings in reputed international conferences. This facility can be availed once by each PhD student. The maximum amount of aid is Rs. 2,00,000/-
- Ashoka University will provide you with a floater medical insurance policy of Rs. 1,00,000/- on a yearly basis from the beginning of the academic session.

This offer will be modified if you are a recipient of external research funding such as a UGC JRF.

In accordance with the requirements specified by your Department, you will be expected to assist in teaching over the course of your time at Ashoka. The Coordinator of the PhD in Physics will be in touch soon about the specific details involved in your teaching assignments. Your starting date in the programme will be **15<sup>th</sup> August, 2022**.

If these terms seem suitable to you, then please confirm your acceptance by email to us before 30<sup>th</sup> July 2022; please also cc the Coordinator of PhD program in Physics, Dr Pramoda Kumar, at [physics.phd@ashoka.edu.in](mailto:physics.phd@ashoka.edu.in). Your acceptance should include a signed copy of this letter in the space marked below, together with a declaration of your current position regarding external funding for research. This signed letter can be scanned and sent to us in pdf form.

Please contact the Registrar at Ashoka University at [registrar@ashoka.edu.in](mailto:registrar@ashoka.edu.in) for details regarding formalities you will need to conclude about documents and fees.

We look forward to welcoming you to Ashoka University.

With warm wishes,

Prof. L S Shashidhara,  
Dean of Research  
Ashoka University

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I hereby accept the above offer

Signature with date

I declare I am/ am not the recipient of any external research funding  
(If you are a recipient, please provide a scanned copy of your external funding award letter)

Signature with date  
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