

Department of Microbiology
Faculty of Medical Sciences
University of Sri Jayawardenepura
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To: Dean,
Faculty of Medical Sciences
University of Sri Jayawardenepura

Dear Madam,

Award of Endowment fund for research by Professor S. Dissanaiké in memory of Mrs. Nelun Shirine Dissanaiké

One application was received for the above endowment fund from the post graduate students of the Department of microbiology. The application was assessed by the three-member committee appointed by the Faculty Board based on the Faculty Board approved criteria (Minutes of Faculty Board held on 06.12.2016 - 258.09.02).

The committee decided to award the fund to support the research study titled "Determining effective contact screening methods for detection of leprosy" supervised by Prof. Jananie Kottahachchi. This fund will partially support the M Phil degree of Mr. K.C. Perera for one year 2025-2026.

Thank you,

Yours sincerely,



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