

Amy Higgins, Departmental Secretary
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Dear Amy Higgins.

I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. Meenakshi Sharma for a Post Doctoral Fellowship at your Institute. I have known Dr. Meenakshi Sharma since the last six years. She is a hard working and sincere researcher.

During the course of her Ph.D. work, she worked on the synthesis of novel derivatives of diallyldisulphide, an active principle found in garlic. She also studied the lipid lowering properties of the synthesized compounds.

Certain derivatives showed significant lipid lowering activity.

She has filed two patents on this subject and the work has also been published in Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters. She is presently working on determining the mechanism of action of these compounds.

Dr. Meenakshi Sharma has a sound knowledge of Toxicology, Zoology and Biochemistry and has also worked as a Teaching Assistant, for practical classes of the M.Sc program in Biomedical Sciences, during the course of her Ph.D. work

Dr. Meenakshi Sharma is able to get along well with her colleagues and has impressed us with her dedicated efforts towards her work. I am sure that she will prove to be an asset for your Institution.

With regards

Yours sincerely

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