

April 10, 2023

Dear Dr. Sultana N. Nahar:

Each year, the Fellowships Office of the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine administers the evaluation of applications for awards in the NRC Research Associateship Programs. Awards are made on the basis of the recommendations made by panel reviewers. NRC Research Associateship awards are made in all fields of science and engineering, and award recipients conduct research in federal laboratories throughout the United States. For additional information on this program, please refer to our website at <a href="https://www.nas.edu/rap">www.nas.edu/rap</a>.

Dr. Sultaa Nahar of your institution served as a reviewer during our annual meeting held virtually in March 2023 and will continue to assist us in up to three other remote reviews throughout the 2023 program year. The Fellowships Office cannot offer honoraria for reviewing applications, so this service involves some personal sacrifice on the part of the reviewers and their academic institutions.

On behalf of the National Academies, I would like to acknowledge this dedicated service and the contribution it has made toward establishing the high standards that characterize these awards. I further wish to express my appreciation to you and your institution for this valuable assistance.

Sincerely yours,

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Elizabeth Prescott, D.Phil. Director, Fellowships Office

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