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Dear Award Committee,

I, Dr. Teena Mohan am herewith offering my candidature for the most encouraging "Sun Pharma Science Foundation Research Awards 2021" in the category of the Medical Sciences— Basic Research for my GPI-anchored CCL28 chemokine-based research work.

During my tenure with Dr. Richard W. Compans, Department of Microbiology & Immunology, Emory University School of Medicine, I worked in evaluating the adjuvant effect of a membrane-anchored GPI-CCL28 chemokine in different projects. These successive breakthrough studies were published in recognized scientific journals i.e. Journal of Controlled Release in 2016 and Scientific Reports in 2017.

I am hereby certifying that these published studies have not been recognized for any scientific recognitions, by now.

Authors Contribution in both the published research articles:

Bao-Zhong Wang designed and managed the project. Teena Mohan, the principal/first author, conceived and executed the study, collected, and analyzed data, and prepared the manuscript.

Jongrok Kim, Zachary Berman, Yuan Luo, and Chao Wang assisted in the experiments related to the studies while Shelly Wang generated the CCL28 gene construct.

Teena Mohan revised the manuscript while Richard W. Compans and Bao-Zhong Wang reviewed the same.

With Best Regards.

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