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Dear Mr Harris

SCHOLARSHIP FOR 2016: INNOVATION DOCTORAL SCHOLARSHIP

It is my pleasure to inform you that an NRF Innovation Doctoral scholarship has provisionally been reserved for you. Congratulations on this outstanding achievement. The scholarship consists of the following:

Grant Amount	:	R 110 000 per annum (One hundred and ten thousand rand per annum)
Period of Support	:	2016, renewed based on an approved annual progress report and meeting NRF eligibility criteria
Institution	:	Stellenbosch University
Department	:	Department of Geography and Environmental Studies
Degree to be funded	:	Doctoral degree
Contractual date of completion of fellowship:	Year after funding period of support (This is determined by the date of initial registration for the degree. *Please refer to the Agreement for more information.)	

Please note that this scholarship will only be authorized for payment to your institution subject to you meeting the NRF's minimum requirements. Please refer to Scholarship Conditions and Regulatory Clauses in the Agreement for a list of these requirements.

Should you wish to accept the above scholarship the following documents should be returned to the NRF via the appropriate bursary/research/financial aid office of your institution as soon as possible after registration for this degree:

1. Signed copy of the letter of award.
2. 'Agreement: Scholarship for Full-Time Master's or Doctoral study at a South African university', signed by you in the presence of witnesses.
3. 'Acceptance conditions' signed by you and completed by the bursary office.
4. 'Proof of registration', for completion by the bursary office
5. Latest copy of your 'Academic Transcript'
6. Copy of your 'Identity Document'

Signature: Fellowship-holder _____ As witnesses (1) _____ (2) _____

If these documents are not received by the NRF by end June of the year of award, the scholarship will be cancelled. Payment of the first instalment of the scholarship can only be made to the institution concerned after receipt of the above; it will then take a further few weeks for your institution to make the funds available to you.

If a scholarship-holder wishes to change the research project or field of study, supervisor or institution for which the scholarship was awarded, a letter of request from the student, initial supervisor and new supervisor must be submitted to the NRF through the appropriate institutional authority for consideration prior to such a change.

As the scholarship will be administered by the institution you have selected, it is important that all correspondence and queries concerning the award should be directed to the bursary office of your university/university of technology for onward transmission to the NRF.

Yours sincerely



(Electronic signature)

Mrs. Thashni Pillay

DIRECTOR: EMERGING RESEARCHERS, GMSA

Acceptance of Award

I, the undersigned

Name Fellowship-holder

hereby acknowledge receipt of the original copy of this letter.

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Signature of Fellowship-holder

List of Returnable Enclosures

- i) Agreement
- ii) Acceptance of Conditions
- iii) Proof of Registration