Minutes of the meeting of the DAPT-Chanakya Fellowship applications held on Tuesday, 04<sup>th</sup> April 2023 at 11:00 am in the Committee room, at I-DAPT Hub Foundation, IIT(BHU), Varanasi.

The following members were present:

Dean (Academic Affairs) – Chairman
Dean (Research & Development) – Member
Dr. Rakesh Kumar Singh, Dept. of Physics – Member
Coordinator, School of Materials Sci. & Engg. – Subject Expert
HoD, Dept. of Physics – Subject Expert

The Chairman welcomed the members of the committee and informed the members that the purpose of the meeting is to re-evaluate the revised proposals of shortlisted candidates as suggested by the committee in the last meeting dated 29.03.2023.

The committee re-evaluated the proposals provided by the candidates and after evaluating the presentations by the candidates, the committee unanimously recommended the following candidates for Post-Doctoral Chanakya Fellowship.

1. Mr. Mohd. Alam, Department of Physics, IIT (BHU).

2. Ms. Vijayata Pal, School of Materials Science and Technology, IIT (BHU).

Further, the committee also recommends that the initial fellowship be given to them initially for one year and after one year the committee will re-evaluate their progress and the further continuation of the fellowship will be purely based on the results/research output given by them.

The meeting then ended with a vote of thanks to the chairs.

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