Sub.: Call letter for screening test/interview (May 21st - 24th, 2018) for admission into the PhD program in the Department of Biological Sciences and Bioengineering, IIT Kanpur.

Dear Applicant,

With reference to your application for admission into the PhD program in Biological Sciences and Bioengineering (BSBE), please note the following:

1) You are advised to report at the BSBE Dept. Office on May 21st, 2018 at 8:00 A.M. The BSBE building is located in the academic area of IIT Kanpur (Gate No. 3) (see map).

2) The selection involves two rounds (a screening test and an interview) and applicants will be shortlisted in each round. The schedule of events and other details can be found in the attached sheet.

3) You are advised to bring original certificates and mark sheets of all qualifying exams/degrees (Class 10 to Bachelor’s or Master’s degree), valid GATE score card, or UGC/CSIR fellowship award letter, and the SC/ST/PH/OBC certificates (as per the attached updated GOI format) if applicable.

4) Please note that final admission is subject to the production of necessary documents in support of your eligibility.

5) Candidates belonging to the SC/ST category may claim reimbursement of travel expenditure (II class railway fare) for the shortest route from your nearest railway station to Kanpur and back. Tickets in original should to be submitted for the same.

6) Outstation applicants will be provided accommodation within the IIT Kanpur campus from the evening of May 20th until noon of May 25th, 2018. Details are attached.

I look forward to meet you on May 21st, 2018.

(D S Katti)
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date and Time</th>
<th>Event</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| **May 21st, 2018 (Monday)** | 8:00 am: Report to BSBE office  
9:00 to 11:00 am: Screening test*  
2:00 pm: Declare short-listed candidates for 1st round of interview  
4:00 to 6:00 pm: First round of interview |
| **May 22nd, 2018 (Tuesday)** | 8:30 am to 6:00 pm: First round of interview  
6:00 pm: Declare short-listed candidates for 2nd round of interview |
| **May 23rd, 2018 (Wednesday)** | 8:30 to 1:00 pm: Project presentations by faculty members  
2:00 to 6:00 pm: Lab visits |
| **May 24th, 2018 (Thursday)** | 8:30 am to 6:30 pm: Second round of interview |

*Screening test: Designed to evaluate the candidate's analytical skills and the understanding of the basic concepts of Biology, Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics. Screening test and interview will be held at IIT Kanpur.

**How to reach IIT Kanpur?**

IIT Kanpur is nearly 16 kms away from the Kanpur Central railway station. After getting down at Kanpur Central railway station, exit from platform no. 1 and hire a taxi or an auto to IIT Kanpur Campus. Approximate fare: Taxi: Rs. 350; Auto Rs. 200/-.  

**Accommodation at IIT Kanpur**

Outstation applicants appearing for the screening test/interview may seek accommodation within IIT Kanpur. In that case, you are advised to reach IIT Kanpur one day before the scheduled start of the screening test and may stay until noon of May 25th, 2018. Accommodation is NOT extended to the guardian(s) accompanying the applicant. For accommodation please register and make a reservation by making payment on the following link: [http://www.iitk.ac.in/dosa](http://www.iitk.ac.in/dosa) or [https://oag.iitk.ac.in/Oa/Jsp/Pg_acc/pg_acclogin.jsp](https://oag.iitk.ac.in/Oa/Jsp/Pg_acc/pg_acclogin.jsp)
FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES APPLYING FOR ADMISSION TO CENTRAL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTES

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kum. _____________________________ Son/Daughter of Shri/Smt. _____________________________ of Village/Town ________________________________ District/Division __________________________ in the _________________________ State belongs to the __________________________ Community which is recognized as a backward class under:

(i) Resolution No. 12011/68/93-BCC(C) dated 10/09/93 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 186 dated 13/09/93.
(ii) Resolution No. 12011/9/94-BCC dated 19/10/94 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 163 dated 20/10/94.
(iii) Resolution No. 12011/7/95-BCC dated 24/05/95 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 88 dated 25/05/95.
(iv) Resolution No. 12011/96/94-BCC dated 9/03/96.
(vi) Resolution No. 12011/13/97-BCC dated 03/12/97.

Shri/Smt./Kum. _____________________________ and/or his family ordinarily reside(s) in the __________________________ District/Division of __________________________ State. This is also to certify that he/she does not belong to the persons/sections (Creamy Layer) mentioned in Column 3 of the Schedule to the Government of India, Department of Personnel & Training O.M. No. 36012/22/93-Estt.(SCT) dated 08/09/93 which is modified vide OM No. 36033/3/2004 Estt.(Res.) dated 09/03/2004.

Dated: District Magistrate/
Deputy Commissioner, etc.

Seal

NOTE:

(a) The term ‘Ordinarily’ used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.

(b) The authorities competent to issue Caste Certificates are indicated below:
(i) District Magistrate / Additional Magistrate / Collector / Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner / Deputy Collector / 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate / Sub-Divisional magistrate / Taluka Magistrate / Executive Magistrate / Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate).
(ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate / Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate / Presidency Magistrate.
(iii) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and
(iv) Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his family resides.
Appendix – IV

Declaration/Undertaking for OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) Candidates only

I, ________________________________ son/daughter of Shri ________________________________ resident of village/town/city ________________________________ district ___________________________ State hereby declare that I belong to the ________________________ community which is recognized as a backward class by the Government of India as per orders contained in the Department of Personnel & Training Office Memorandum No. 36012/22/93-Estt. (SCT) dated 08/09/1993. I also declare that I do not belong to the persons/sections (Creamy Layer) mentioned in Column 3 of the Schedule to the above referred Office Memorandum, dated 08/09/1993, which is modified vide Office Memorandum No. 36033/3/2004 Estt.(Res.) dated 09/03/2004.

Name of the Candidate

Signature of the Candidate

Place:

Date:

Declaration/undertaking not signed by the Candidate will be rejected
Map of the IITK campus showing the entry point, venue of the exam/interview and the accommodation