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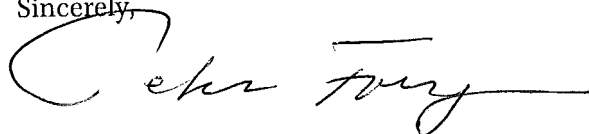
To whom it may concern,

Dr Dhiraj Kumar Nite will be employed as a postdoc in history at Linnaeus University in Växjö, Sweden during 1 year from 1 January to 31 December 2016. Dr Nite will conduct research on the Huseby archive for the research center *Concurrences in colonial and postcolonial studies*. The Centre is one of five established in 2012 as leading research environments at Linnaeus University. The center aims to expand the understanding of conflicting and simultaneous claims regarding culture and history. Influenced by the postcolonial concern with recovering the voice and agency of the subaltern, the principal purpose is to investigate various cultural archives – formal and informal, traditional and digital, fiction and documentary text – in order to map multiple and concurring claims of reality, experience and meaning in time and place.

The center gathers senior as well as postdoctoral scholars and graduate students from different fields interested in how colonialism and imperialism affected encounters in various contact zones across the globe.

The center will cover the travel costs from India to Sweden and back to India at the end of the employment. He will have access to a workspace and a lively and productive intellectual environment. We very much look forward to his visit!

Sincerely,



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