Dear Professor Janardhana Raju,

I was very pleased to learn that you have agreed to support the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation by spreading information about our sponsorship programmes in your own country. As a Humboldtian you have had the opportunity to spend time researching in Germany and getting to know the country first hand. As an established academic you are fully integrated in the specialised networks in your own country. You know much better than we do the right way to address young researchers in your country and possibly gain their interest in a research visit to Germany. Your expertise is very valuable for us and we are extremely grateful that you are prepared to act as our adviser.

I am, therefore, very honoured to appoint you officially to the position of

HUMBOLDT AMBASSADOR SCIENTIST
of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation

for the period **November 1, 2018 to October 31, 2021**. Enclosed you will find a declaration of appointment confirming that the appointment is honorary.

Your contacts at the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation are Dr. Judith Schildt (tel.: +49-228-833-140, email: judith.schildt@avh.de) and Ms. Britta Debus (tel.: +49-228-833-464, email: britta.debus@avh.de) who will be pleased to assist you and provide you with further information.

Sincerely yours,

Hans-Christian Pape

ENCLOSURE: Declaration
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The Alexander von Humboldt Foundation appoints

Prof. Dr. Nandimandalam Janardhana Raju

to the position of Humboldt Ambassador Scientist of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation
during the period November 1, 2018 to October 31, 2021.

Humboldt Ambassador Scientists support the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation by
disseminating information on the Foundation’s sponsorship programmes and by acting in an
advisory capacity.

The role of Humboldt Ambassador Scientist is an honorary appointment.

Bonn, October 25, 2018

Prof. Dr. Hans-Christian Pape