

From: [Scott Allen Jackson](#)
To: [Stephanie Pearl](#)
Cc: [rajeev varshney](#)
Subject: Re: visit by Dr. Stephanie Pearl
Date: Thursday, August 28, 2014 9:38:29 AM

Rajeev, Two thoughts: 1) work on the Peanut foundation project with the data from UC Davis/BGI or 2) develop a project that we can spin into something more long term. (or both).

scott

On Aug 27, 2014, at 5:51 PM, Stephanie Pearl [REDACTED] wrote:

Hi Rajeev,

I thought I'd touch base so that we could start discussing potential projects that I can work on during my visit in December. To give you some background, I'm trained in plant evolutionary genomics and have experience in SNP identification, marker development, trait mapping, genetic mapping, and comparative genomics. Currently, I am also doing some FISH in peanut. Moving forward, I'm interested in characterizing genetic diversity and investigating locally adapted peanut varieties. I've also had an interest in physiology (e.g., drought response) and am also curious to learn more about your group's work in that area.

What are some of your thoughts on a potential project? I know that we've got some time until my visit, but perhaps in the meantime I can start preparing and/or conducting preliminary analyses.

Thank you again for this opportunity to work with your group,
Stephanie

On Tue, Aug 26, 2014 at 10:14 PM, Stephanie Pearl [REDACTED] wrote:

Excellent, thank you. How about we arrange for me to start working at ICRISAT on December 3 or 4, with my last day in the lab there being either December 18 or 19?

On Tue, Aug 26, 2014 at 2:34 PM, Varshney, Rajeev (ICRISAT-IN) <R.K.Varshney@cgiar.org> wrote:

Thanks, Stephanie. Lets plan in December.

Many thanks and kind regards

Rajeev

On Aug 26, 2014, at 5:07 AM, Stephanie Pearl [REDACTED]

wrote:

Would a 2 1/2 to 3 week visit be alright? The best dates for my schedule would be the first 3 weeks of December or first 3 weeks of October, but I'm not sure if those dates would be too late or too soon -- what do you think? Alternatively, I might be able to do middle to late October, or early to mid November (though the latter would mean that I would have to miss the peanut meeting in Savannah). What would be best?

Thank you for your help with this, and I look forward to working with you!

Stephanie

On Sat, Aug 23, 2014 at 6:58 AM, Varshney, Rajeev (ICRISAT-IN) <R.K.Varshney@cgiar.org> wrote:

Thanks, Stephanie.

I don't think that Indian Consulate/ Embassy can consider visa application 6- months in advance. Probably we can have dates of invitation should be in next 2-3 months in the letter. What do you suggest?

Many thanks and kind regards

Rajeev

On Aug 22, 2014, at 7:03 PM, Stephanie Pearl
[REDACTED] wrote:

Hi Anu,

I'm not certain of the duration of my trip as some of these details have not been worked out yet, but perhaps we could say two months in the next year (to give it some flexibility)?

Thank you!

Stephanie

On Fri, Aug 22, 2014 at 1:07 AM, Anu Chitikineni (ICRISAT-IN) <a.chitikineni@cgiar.org> wrote:

| Dear Stephanie

Greetings from ICRISAT!

Please let us know the dates(how many months) of your visit to ICRISAT, according to that we would be arranging invitation letter.

Thanks and regards,

Anu

From: Varshney, Rajeev (ICRISAT-IN)
Sent: Tuesday, August 19, 2014 6:58 AM
To: Scott Jackson
Cc: Stephanie Pearl; Manjula, B (ICRISAT-IN); Anu Chitikineni (ICRISAT-IN)
Subject: Re: visit by Dr. Stephanie Pearl

Thanks, Scott for bringing up this. I am sorry that I couldn't follow up as I have been on travel for last few weeks.

Manjula and Anu- please expedite this and let me know if there is any question, please!

Many thanks and kind regards

Rajeev

On Aug 18, 2014, at 6:00 PM, Scott Allen Jackson <sjackson@uga.edu> wrote:

Rajeev, just following up on this discussion to see where we are and how we can move this along. Stephanie is eager to visit and establish some collaborative research. Let me know what we can do to make this happen.

thanks, scott