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Indian Institute of Science Education and Research BhopalDepartment
of Biological Sciences
Bhopal By-pass Road, Bhauri, Bhopal 462066

Advertisement for the Post of Project Associate

Date: November 13, 2026

Applications are invited from highly motivated and eligible candidates for the recruitment of one (01) Project-based Project Associate (one) **on a temporary basis** to work full-time in DRDO-funded project titled " **Establishment of a novel reverse genetic system for viruses for biomedical research and application**".

A. Project Associate-I (One)

Essential: Post-graduate degree in Life Science, Biological Science or any related field or post-graduate degree in professional courses related to health care science, or BTech degree related fields from a recognized University/Institute.

Desirable:

- Candidate should have either (i) qualified CSIR /UGC NET or GATE or (ii) a National-level examination conducted by Reputed Central Govt. Institutes such as DST, DBT, DAE, DRDO, ICMR, ICAR, IIT, IISc, IISER etc.
- Knowledge of molecular virology is a plus (Molecular Cloning, Viral assays, Serology)
- Experience in mammalian cell culture and related assays (Western Blot, RT-PCR)

Job Description: The Project Associate will be working towards achieving project objectives in a BSL-2, BSL-3 facility, conduct relevant experiments, data collection, record keeping, analysis of results and report to the Principal Investigator

Salary: Rs. 31,000/- (+ **HRA)** per month

Note: For candidates *without* CSIR/UGC NET or GATE, or not having National level examination qualification, the salary will be Rs. 25,000 + HRA (as applicable) per month(Consolidated pay with no other allowances).

Age: Should not exceed 35 (for Project Associate) years as on 01 November 2026 with usual relaxation for SC/ST/OBC/ Differently abled and exceptional candidate(s) as per the Government norms.

Application Deadline: November 25, 2026

How to apply: Please fill the google form link and follow the instruction mentioned in the form.

https://forms.gle/S6x5aYP7ZwU3dqeL8

No other correspondence related to the status of your application will be entertained. Only Shortlisted candidates will be invited for an online/offline interview with the selection committee. No TA/DA will be given.

For any queries, please contact Dr. Debasis Nayak, Associate Professor, Dept. of Biological Sciences
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