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Recruitment for the posts of “Project Assistant” under the project funded by Wellcome Trust, Dept. of Biotechnology, India Alliance

Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER) Pune is a premier autonomous Institution established by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, for promotion of high quality science education and research in the country.

Institute invites applications from Indian nationals for the following position on contract basis under the Wellcome trust-Department of Biotechnology (DBT) India Alliance research project:

Name of the post	Project Assistant (1)
Name of the project	“Molecular mechanisms of nuclear structure-function relationships in cancer”
Funding	Wellcome Trust - Dept. of Biotechnology (DBT) India Alliance
Project Code	30711044
Minimum Qualifications	M.Sc or equivalent degree with minimum 55% marks/equivalent grade
Preference	Preference will be given to candidates having prior laboratory work experience
Job Description	Cloning, PCR, molecular biology techniques, mammalian cell culture, knockdown assays, nuclear structure-function relationships
Salary	Starting salary of Rs. 12,000/- or Rs. 16,000/- per month based on academic record and work experience of the candidate and CSIR-NET or GATE qualification
No. of posts	One
Tenure	Initially for a period of two years extendable for further period of three years subject to satisfactory performance and continuation of the project
Age	26 (must not exceed as on the closing date of advertisement)
Last date	January 15th, 2011

- Applications must be filled up in the PA1_CBL_ApplicationForm.doc available on the website under this advertisement and sent by email to chromosomebiologylab@gmail.com on or before **the last date** (January 15th, 2011), **Please mention the name of the Post and Project code in the subject line.**

- The list of shortlisted candidates for interviews with details of date, time and venue will be put up on the Institute website under this advertisement and candidates will be informed by email only.
- The print out of the application form sent by email signed and dated by the applicant along with recent passport size photograph and photocopies of relevant certificates and other testimonials in support of age, qualification, experience etc. will be collected at the time of interview. Applicant must bring all the original certificates at the time of interview for the purpose of verification, along with one set of photocopies.

Name of the post	Project Assistant (2)
Name of the project	Chromosome organization in cellular development and differentiation with a special emphasis on cancer
Funding	Wellcome Trust - Dept. of Biotechnology (DBT) India Alliance
Project Code	30711044
Minimum Qualifications	M.Sc or equivalent degree with minimum 55% marks/equivalent grade
Preference	Preference will be given to candidates having prior laboratory work experience, dissection, and zoology.
Job Description	Cloning, PCR, molecular biology techniques, mammalian cell culture, developing models of cellular differentiation and development and its application in studying nuclear structure-function relationships and cancer
Salary	Starting salary of Rs. 12,000/- or Rs. 16,000/- per month based on academic record and work experience of the candidate and CSIR-NET or GATE qualification
No. of posts	One
Tenure	Initially for a period of two years extendable for further period of three years subject to satisfactory performance and continuation of the project
Age	26 (must not exceed as on the closing date of advertisement)
Last date	January 15th, 2011

- Applications must be filled up in the PA2_CBL_ApplicationForm.doc available on the website under this advertisement and sent by email to chromosomebiologylab@gmail.com on or before **the last date (January 15th, 2011)**, **Please mention the name of the Post and Project code in the subject line.**
- The list of shortlisted candidates for interviews with details of date, time and venue will be put up on the Institute website under this advertisement and candidates will be informed by email only.
- The print out of the application form sent by email signed and dated by the applicant along with recent passport size photograph and photocopies of relevant certificates and other testimonials in support of age, qualification, experience etc. will be collected at the time of interview. Applicant must bring all the original certificates at the time of interview for the purpose of verification, along with one set of photocopies.

General Information / details about the posts

1. Appointment is purely temporary and will terminate automatically without any notice or compensation on termination of the research project.
2. The appointed person shall have no claim of appointment / absorption in Funding Agency or in IISER Pune.
3. Appointment of the applicant will be governed by the terms and conditions of the funding agency and IISER Pune particularly applicable to the said project
4. The qualification prescribed should have been obtained from recognized Universities / Institutions.
5. The prescribed educational qualifications are the bare minimum and mere possession of same does not entitle candidates to be called for interview. Where number of applications received in response to this advertisement is large, it will not be convenient or possible to interview all the candidates. Based on the recommendations of the Screening Committee, the Project Leader may restrict the number of candidates to be called for the interview to a reasonable limit after taking into consideration qualifications and experience over and above the minimum prescribed in the advertisement. Therefore, it will be in the interest of the candidates, to mention all the qualifications and experience in the relevant field at the time of applying.
6. No TA/DA will be admissible for appearing for the interview.
7. Selected candidates will have to join duty immediately on receipt of the offer.
8. Reservation as per Govt. of India norms will be followed.
9. Canvassing in any form and / or bringing any influence, political, or otherwise, will be treated as a disqualification.

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