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Recruitment for the posts of “Project Fellow” under funded projects

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 positions on contract basis:

Name of the post - 1	Project Fellow
Name of the project	“Systems Modelling and Experimental Testing of Cytoskeletal Polarization in Cellular Pattern Formation”
Funding Agency	Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi
Project code	30813122
Minimum qualifications	M.Sc. or M.Sc./B.E./B.Tech./M.Tech. in Zoology or Life Sciences or Physics (Biophysics) or Bio-Technology or equivalent degree with minimum 60% marks or equivalent grade.
Preference	Candidates having qualified and having one year of hands on experience in programming in MATLAB or Java or Python or C/C++ with an emphasis on image processing of microscopy images will be preferred.
Fellowship	Starting Rs. 12,000 or Rs. 16,000/- per month + 20% HRA based on academic qualification and CSIR–JRF/NET or GATE Examination.
No. of post	One
Tenure	Initially for a period of one year which may be extended subject to satisfactory performance of the incumbent and continuation of the project.
Age	Not more than 28 years as on closing date of advertisement
Last date of application	October 26, 2013
Likely date of Interview	November 05, 2013

Name of the post - 2	Project Fellow
Name of the project	“Molecular Motor Driven Centrosomal Microtubule Motility: Mechanics and Spatio-temporal Organization”
Funding Agency	Rapid Grant Young Investigator (RGYI), Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi
Project code	30813121

Minimum qualifications	M.Sc. Biochemistry or Zoology or Life Sciences or equivalent degree with minimum 60% marks or Equivalent grade.
Preference	Candidates having qualified and with one year of hands on experience in animal cell culture or protein purification or biological fluorescence microscopy or combinations of these will be preferred.
Fellowship	Starting Rs. 12,000 or Rs. 16,000/- per month + 20% HRA based on academic qualification and CSIR –JRF/ NET or GATE Examination.
No. of post	One
Tenure	Initially for a period of one year which may be extended subject to satisfactory performance of the incumbent and continuation of the project.
Age	Not more than 28 years as on closing date of advertisement
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Name of the post - 3	Project Fellow
Name of the project	“Identification and comprehensive genome-wide analysis of GCN5-containing complex (es) in Plasmodium falciparum.”
Funding Agency	INSPIRE Programme, Department of Science & Technology, New Delhi.
Project code	31813127
Minimum qualifications	M. Sc. / M. Tech in life sciences from a recognized university / institute with a consistent first class academic record above 60% and relevant research experience as evidenced from thesis / dissertation carried out in a reputed scientific institution.
Preference	Hands on experience with Plasmodium and basic molecular biology techniques. Practical experience in gene cloning, assay development and protein purification will be an added advantage.
Fellowship	Starting Rs. 12,000 or Rs. 16,000/- per month + 20% HRA based on academic qualification and CSIR –JRF/ NET or GATE Examination.
No. of post	One
Tenure	Initially for a period of one year which may be extended subject to satisfactory performance of the incumbent and continuation of the project.
Age	Not more than 28 years as on closing date of advertisement
Last date of application	October 26, 2013
Likely date of Interview	November 05, 2013

How to Apply:

- Applicants should send the application by email addressed to bio_app@iiserpune.ac.in on or before **October 26, 2013**. **Please mention the name of the Post and Project code in the subject line.**
- The list of the 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 e-mail** 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 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. No interim enquiries / correspondence / communication of any sort will be entertained on the matter.
10. Canvassing in any form and / or bringing any influence, political, or otherwise, will be treated as a disqualification for the post applied for.

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