

### Recruitment for post/s on externally funded projects

Indian Institute of Science Education and Research Thiruvananthapuram 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.

The Institute invites applications for the following project positions on contract basis:

Name of Post	JRF
Name of Project	"Functional Characterization of Genetic and Epigenetic Regulatory Networks Involved in the Reproductive Development in Rice"
Funding agency	DBT
Minimum Educational qualification ( as prescribed by the funding agency)	Master's degree preferably in plant biology or any area of Biological Sciences with minimum of 60% marks. Candidates qualified CSIR-UGC NET-JRF/LS, or GATE (with a valid score) will be preferred.
Preference	Applicant having prior experience in molecular biology techniques including PCR, gene cloning, RNA isolation and cDNA synthesis; cell biology techniques including plant biology in a reputed research Institute or University.  Working experience in research projects involving <i>Oryza sativa</i> (Rice) is desirable.
Number of posts	1
Fellowship amount	25,000 + 8% HRA
Tenure of the post	1 year
Age	32 years with 3-5 years relaxation for SC/ST/OBC/Women and Physically disabled as per government norms
Last date	01 November 2018
How to apply	<a href="mailto:kalika@iisertvm.ac.in">kalika@iisertvm.ac.in</a>

Shortlisted candidates will be informed by email on details of interview date, time and venue and it will also be put up on the website [www.iisertvm.ac.in](http://www.iisertvm.ac.in).

A printed copy of this application form, signed by the applicant, recent passport size photograph, photocopies of relevant certificates and other testimonials in support of age, qualification, experience etc.

will be collected at the time of interview. Applicants must bring all certificates (original + one copy) at the time of interview for the purpose of verification.

### **General Information**

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 Thiruvananthapuram.
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/ Principal Investigator 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 at the earliest on receipt of the offer.
8. No interim enquiries / correspondence / communication of any sort will be entertained on the matter.