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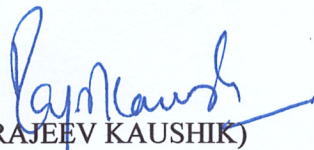
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**CORRIGENDUM**

With reference to the advertisement for inviting applications for the temporary posts of Junior Research Fellow (01 No.), Project Associate-II (2 Nos.), and Senior Project Associate (01 No.) on 01.08.2023 at the Division of Microbiology, ICAR-IARI, the last date of receiving the application should be read as 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2023 instead of 16<sup>th</sup> August 2023.

The shortlisted candidates will be intimated for the in-person interview (in the ratio of 1:10) through e-mail and/or phone latest by 04<sup>th</sup> September 2023.

The revised advertisement is appended below

  
(RAJEEV KAUSHIK)

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**VACANCY NOTIFICATION**

Eligible candidates may apply in the attached application form for 4 different contractual posts in Department of Science and Technology funded projects **on or before 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2023**

Title of the Project	Name of Post	No. of Post	Emoluments	Qualification
Characterization and popularization of <i>Spirulina</i> biomass cultivation as viable product and commercial exploitation of <i>Spirulina</i> biomass towards product development (PC: 28-19)	Junior Research Fellow	01	Rs.31,000+ 24% HRA per month for first two years and Rs. 35,000.00 + 24% HRA for 3 <sup>rd</sup> year	<b>Essential:</b> Master's degree in Microbiology/ Biotechnology or M. Tech Biotechnology having minimum of 60% marks with 4 or 5 years of Bachelor's degree or candidates having Post Graduate degree in Basic Science with 3 years Bachelor's degree and 2 years Master's degree, should have qualified UGC/CSIR/ICAR-NET/GATE or Ph.D. in relevant discipline as above (As per ICAR Memorandum No. Edn./6/27/2014/HRD dated 13 <sup>th</sup> July, 2015 and Agri. Edn./6/27/2014-HRD, dated October 9, 2015). <b>Desirable:</b> Experience of working with cyanobacteria and microalgae, cultivation and biochemical characterization with proficiency in computer skills
STI Hub in Anta Block of Baran district, Rajasthan for improving the livelihood of SC community through selected agricultural technologies developed by IARI (PC: 28/32)	Project Associate-II	02	a) 31,000/-+ 27% HRA to Scholars who are selected through NET (CSIR/UGC including lectureship/Assistant Professorship or GATE or a selection process through National level examinations conducted by Central Government Departments and their Agencies and Institutions. b) 28000+27% HRA who does not fall under (a) above	<b>Essential:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Master's Degree in Microbiology / Biotechnology / Social Work or equivalent from a recognized University having minimum of 60% marks</li> <li><b>2 years' experience</b> in Research and Development in Industrial and Academic Institutions or Science and Technology Organizations and Scientific activities and services</li> </ul> <b>Desirable:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>For post 1:</b> Working experience in technical analysis of the progress as per set guidelines of the department. Preparation of agenda notes for project advisory Committee meetings and follow up action. Maintenance of database of projects undertaken by the department and prepare specialized reports as per the requirement in parliament question, RTI, VIP reference, annual report etc.</li> <li><b>For posts 2:</b> Working experience in microbiological techniques, biofertilizers, field experiments, molecular identification of microbes, PCR, Electrophoresis etc.</li> </ul>
	Senior Project Associate	01	RS 42,000 + 27% HRA	<b>Essential:</b> a) Master's degree in Microbiology / Life Sciences / Agricultural Extension or equivalent from a recognized University having minimum of 60% marks; and

				<p>b) <b>Four years'</b> experience in Research and Development in Agriculture Sector, Academic Institutions or Science and Technology Organizations and Scientific activities and services</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p>c) Doctoral Degree in Microbiology/Agricultural Extension/Agronomy from a recognized University or equivalent</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Working experience in organizing farmers subject matter trainings/skill imparting training, FPO/SHG formation, technology demonstration experiments/ entrepreneurship training programs/knowledge about e-mandi and other Central/State Government schemes of farmers welfare.</p>
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### Terms & Conditions

1. Duly filled application form along with relevant certificates and proof should reach on or before 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2023 by email to [microbiologyiari@gmail.com](mailto:microbiologyiari@gmail.com) (in a single PDF) OR by post to **Dr. Rajeev Kaushik, Professor, Division of Microbiology, ICAR-IARI, New Delhi – 110012.**
2. **For each post, a candidate should apply separately in a separate application form.**
3. Envelope should clearly indicate **“For the Post \_\_\_\_ in DST funded projects”**
4. **AGE:** The upper age limit is **35 years for JRF and Project Associate II; 40 years for Senior Project Associate.** Relaxation to SC/ST/OBC/PH/Ex-Serviceman/Women as per the Govt. of India instructions.
5. The applicant must submit self-attested copies of certificates and proofs of claims along with application. **Applicants must bring with them original documents at the time of interview for verification.**
6. The submitted applications will be screened based on essential and desirable qualifications. For screening, marks will be given on the scale of 0-10 for different parameters. Based on the merit list the shortlisted candidates will be intimated for the **in-person interview** (in the ratio of 1:10) through e-mail/phone latest by 04<sup>th</sup> September 2023.
7. The date and time of the interview will be communicated to candidates selected for the interview.
8. **No objection and experience certificate from the employer in case he/she is in employment should be attached with the application.**
9. Initially the period of engagement will be for one year, and continuation will depend upon progress reviewed every six months by Principal Investigators.
10. **Positions are purely time bound, non-regular and on a co-terminus basis with the project. Appointment can be terminated on one month's notice**
11. The selected candidate shall have no legal right to claim regularization by absorption or otherwise against any regular posts or any further contractual engagement on termination of the Project.
12. Canvassing in any form will disqualify the candidature. The Director's decision will be final and binding in all respects.
13. Place of posting will be at the Division of Microbiology, IARI, New Delhi-12. However, the selected candidate may be asked to work at DST for official liaisoning and/or at selected villages at the Anta, District Baran, Rajasthan during training and demonstration activities.
14. Travel may be required for project related work.

**Asstt. Admn. Officer  
Division of Microbiology**

#### Copy to:

1. All Project Directors/ Heads of Divisions/ MOHR/ In-charge of IARI Guest Houses
2. PA to Director/ JD(R) / JD(A), IARI New Delhi
3. In-charge AKMU, IARI, with a request that the same may please be uploaded on IARI website

**Enclosure:** Application form

**Reference to the Employment News dated 12<sup>th</sup> August 2023**

**APPLICATION FOR THE VACANCY UNDER DST FUNDED PROJECs AT ICAR-IARI, New Delhi**

<b>1. Post Applied For</b>	:	
<b>2. Name</b>	:	
<b>3. Father's/Mother's/Husband's name</b>	:	
<b>4. Date of Birth</b>	:	
<b>5. Address for correspondence</b>	:	
<b>6. Mobile number (preferable having What's Ap on it)</b>	:	
<b>7. Landline phone number if any</b>	:	
<b>8. E-mail:</b>	:	
<b>9. Category: SC/ST/General:</b>	:	

**10. Educational qualifications:**

Examination	Board/University	Subject	Year	Marks obtained (%/)
Matriculation				
Intermediate				
B.Sc.				
M.Sc.				
Ph.D.				

**11. Research Experience (No. of Years, Position and Project Details):**

Name of Organization	Position	From	To	PI/ In-charge

**12. Publications (Only papers, in peer reviewed journals with NAAS Score):**

**13. Any other relevant experience as per desirable qualification:**

**14. Any other relevant information:**

I hereby declare that the information furnished here is true.

Date:

Signature

*Note: For each post separate application form should be submitted*