CSIR-NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING RESEARCH INSTITUTE NEHRU MARG, NAGPUR 440 020

ENGAGEMENT OF PROJECT STAFF THROUGH ONLINE INTERVIEW

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Application from eligible & interested candidates are invited for engagement of R & D project staff via ONLINE INTERVIEW for the following positions on purely temporary basis **under the Project, "Environmental surveillance by sampling of sewage and wastewater across various locations in PAN-India for SARS-CoV2** Virus and Antibiotic Resistant Bacteria (GAP-2846)", tenable at CSIR-NEERI Nagpur/ or its Zonal centres.

Place of Posting: Nagpur

The last date of submission of online application form is 25-06-2024

Posit ion Code	Name of the Position	Essential Qualification	Job Requirement	Upper Age Limit	Monthly Emoluments (₹)
03	 (A) Project Associate -I (Number of post- 02) *Anticipated vacancy for post may be 4 nos. depending upon the availability of funds and the candidate will be selected from the waiting list 	 Master's Degree (M.Sc) in Biotechnology/Micro biology/Environmenta l Science from a recognized University or equivalent 	 Laboratory work- Microbiological techniques, culturing bacteria from sewage/wastew ater samples Data analysis Field work 	35	 (i) Rs. 31,000/- + HRA to Scholars who are selected through (a) National Eligibility Tests- CSIR-UGC NET including lectureship (Assistant Professorship) or GATE or (b) A selection process through National level examinations conducted by Central Govt. Departments and their Agencies and Institutions (ii) 25,000/- + HRA for others who do not fall under (i) above

Mode of Selection: Selection will be done on the basis of Interview **online** (through MS Team/ Skype/ etc). Date of interview will be notified separately in www.neeri.res.in website.

- The above positions are purely temporary and co-terminus with the aforementioned projects. The engagement in these projects will not confer any right implicit or explicit on the candidate for consideration for regularization against any CSIR/CSIR - NEERI post(s). Moreover, under no circumstances the tenure of project staff who have served CSIR-NEERI or any other laboratories/Institutes of CSIR under contract R&D projects would be allowed to exceed five years duration.
- 2. Upper age limit shall be reckoned as on the last date of receipt of applications
- 3. Candidates are not required to pay any application fees.
- 4. Only those candidates who have acquired the essential qualification & result has been declared (should have at least provisional certificate) are eligible to apply for a particular position.

- 5. Result awaited /Final semester appeared or Ph.D submitted candidates are not eligible to apply for the position where such minimum essential qualification requirement is mandatory.
- 6. Final semester and result awaited candidates are not allowed to appear for the interview.
- 7. Experience, where required, will be counted from the date after acquiring minimum educational qualification. Dissertation/ Thesis work done during academic period will not be counted as experience.
- 8. Time spent in acquiring higher qualification will not be counted as an experience over essential qualification.
- Mere fulfilling of minimum qualification does not confer any right in a candidate for being called for interview. If large number of applications received, preference will be given to the candidates under the criteria adopted by the Screening Committee.
- 10. The shortlisted candidates will be invited for the online/ in person interview, information will be uploaded on the website/ portal.
- 11. No upgradation of the project staff shall be done in same or new project. However, candidates have to apply fresh, and if shortlisted, may have to appear for the interview.
- 12. CSIR-NEERI reserves the right to cancel or withdraw the offer of engagement in case of any discrepancy found, in the candidature of any empaneled candidate at any stage.
- 13. The selected candidates are expected to join within time frame mentioned in the offer letter from the date of receiving offer letter of appointment, after completion of pre-appointment formalities like medical examination, character verification etc.
- 14. Engagement under the new project would be made only after the acceptance of the resignation from the previous project by the competent authority.
- 15. Engagement of project staff will depend on the project tenure/requirement, which may be extended or curtailed depending on the duration of the Project/desired level performance or conduct of the incumbent, as the case may be.
- 16. The engagement of project staff may be terminated at any time without assigning any reasons, by giving a one-month notice. In case, the person desires to leave the assignment, he/she may also do so by giving one month notice or payment of one-month remuneration in lieu of, which can be condoned/ curtailed at the discretion of the Competent Authority.
- 17. The project staff shall have to make their own arrangement for accommodation during their tenure in the project. However, HRA shall be admissible as per applicable rules.
- 18. The offer letter shall be issued to the candidate initially for a period for which funds are available.
- 19. A review committee will assess the performance of the project staff and recommend for their extension, if required, subject to the availability of funds in the project.
- 20. CSIR guidelines for the Ethics in Research and in Governance, as made applicable vide CSIR OM No. 30/GB/2019-MD dated February 28, 2020 and amended from time to time shall apply.
- 21. No TA will be paid to the candidates for appearing in the interview in case of offline interviews.
- 22. Other terms & conditions will be governed as per guidelines issued by the funding agency/ CSIR- NEERI for the engagement of the Project Staff as amended from time to time.

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