

### Recruitment of JRF / Project Assistant under SERB funded project

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 positions on contract basis:

Name of Post	<b>JRF / Project Assistant (1 post)</b>
Name of Project	<b>Synthesis of Pseudoproteins by TAAC reactions</b>
Funding agency	SERB/F/13067/2018-2019
Minimum Educational qualification ( as prescribed by the funding agency)	The candidate should have a minimum of 60% marks (or equivalent grade) in the qualifying degree. <b>Qualifications for JRF:</b> MSc Chemistry with valid NET qualification. <b>Qualifications for Project Assistant:</b> In case a suitable candidate with the above qualifications is not found, candidates with MSc Chemistry may be considered for the post of Project Assistant.
Preference	Research Experience is highly desirable. Work experience certificate should be provided as proof.
Number of post	JRF / Project Assistant - 1 post
Fellowship amount	JRF = 31,000 + HRA / Project Assistant = 22,000 (consolidated)
Tenure of the post	One year, extendable up to 3 years based on performance.
Age	JRF / Project Assistant: 28 years with 3-5 years relaxation for SC/ST/OBC/Women and Physically disabled as per government norms
Last date	April 25, 2019
How to apply	Completed applications should be sent by email to Dr. Kana M. Sureshan ( <a href="mailto:kms@iisertvm.ac.in">kms@iisertvm.ac.in</a> ), WITH THE SUBJECT LINE “Application for the post of JRF/Project Assistant”  The application should contain a detailed resume, one page statement of interest. Please include contact details (phone number, email and postal address), a photograph, scanned copies of educational/professional qualifications and reprints of papers. Research experience, if any, should be supported by certificate from the employer(s). Incomplete applications will be rejected.

The shortlisted candidates will be informed by email with details of interview date, time and venue.

A printed copy 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. 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. Applicants who do not meet the minimum criteria will not be considered. The prescribed educational qualifications are the bare minimum and mere possession of same does not entitle a candidate 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. Interviews may be conducted over skype video conferencing in exceptional cases.
7. Selected candidates will have to join duty immediately on receipt of the offer.