



INDIAN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE EDUCATION AND RESEARCH THIRUVANANTHAPURAM
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Recruitment for posts

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 the promotion of high-quality science education and research in the country.

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

Name of Post	Junior Research Fellow
Name of Project	Understanding source-sink interaction for improved yield in sweet sorghum using multiscale modeling- BT/PR54229/BID/7/1081/2025
Funding agency	Department of Biotechnology (DBT)
Minimum Educational Qualification (as prescribed by the funding agency)	Master's degree in any area of Biological Sciences with minimum of 55% marks. Qualified NET-JRF/LS or GATE (valid qualified score) candidates are preferred.
Preference	Experience running greenhouse-based plant experiments, performing statistical analyses Prior experience in plant physiological and biochemical assays Experience in germplasm maintenance Knowledge of plant anatomy
Number of posts	1
Fellowship amount	Rs.37,000/- + HRA per month
Tenure of the post	1 year
Age	Upper age limit is 28 years on the last date of application, with age relaxation as per the Government. Rules.
Last date	31-05-2026
How to apply	The following documents should be merged into a single PDF and sent to sshameer@iisertvm.ac.in 1. Recent CV 2. Statement of purpose (not more than ½ page) 3. Bachelor's and Master's certificates with marks Email subject: "PAI_DBT_YourName" Name of the pdf file: "PAI_DBT_YourName"

The 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.iiisertvm.ac.in.

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. The prescribed educational qualifications are the bare minimum and mere possession of same does not entitled 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 immediately on receipt of the offer.