Central University of Rajasthan

Department of Microbiology, School of Life Sciences

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Advertisement for the post of a Research Associate in a DBT-sponsored project (BT/PR54202/BSA/33/198/2024(CN 21088), Department of Microbiology, Central University of Rajasthan, Bandarsindri, Kishangarh 305817, Ajmer, Rajasthan, INDIA

Applications are invited for the position of **Research Associate** (RA) to work in the DBT New Delhi (Govt. of India) sponsored research project entitled "Modulating bio-photolytic pathways and integrating one-step multi enzymatic pre-treatment of fermentative biomass in microalgal system for enhance hydrogen production" at Department of Microbiology, Central University of Rajasthan, Bandarsindri, Ajmer, Rajasthan. The position is purely temporary and co-terminus with the project. The position is initially available for one year, which may be extendable based on the candidate's performance on a yearly basis.

Position: One (01 nos.).

Name of the position: Research Associate (RA).

Eligibility Criteria: Essential Qualifications

- 1. The applicants should hold a Ph.D. degree in Microbiology/Biotechnology/Biochemistry/life science with research experience in Industrial Microbiology/Biotechnology
- 2. Those who have already submitted their Ph.D. thesis are also eligible to apply.

Desirable Qualifications:

- Candidates with prior experience in Industrial Microbiology/Industrial Biotechnology/Bioprocess development
- Hands-on experience in Microalgae culturing. Handling sophisticated instruments like GC and HPLC
- Relevant *hands-on* laboratory experience and a strong background in the area of microalgae culturing biocatalysis, biotransformation, strong microbiology background, and molecular biology are encouraged to apply.
- Research experience in the relevant area, supported by publications in high-impact peer-reviewed international journals would be a plus.

Fellowship: As per DBT rules. (INR 58,000/- pm (consolidated) + HRA)

Duration: One year (May be extendable based on performance)

HOW TO APPLY: The candidates interested in the above area of research and for the above post may send their application in the prescribed form (format attached) with complete information and attachments (self-attested, scanned copy of certificates/documents/degree/award) along with latest CV to the undersigned in soft copy via email to pradeepverma@curaj.ac.in single pdf document before 20.07.2025

Address:

Prof Dr Pradeep Verma Professor, Department of Microbiology Central University of Rajasthan, Bandarsindri, Kishangarh 305817, Ajmer, Rajasthan, INDIA

Email: pradeepverma@curaj.ac.in

Last date for receipt of application form (hard & soft copies): 20.07.2025

Candidates may please note the following:

- 1. The project team will have the right to put any screening criteria in case large numbers of applications are received.
- 2. The committee also reserves the right not to select any candidate/offer a lower post in case candidates are not found suitable for the applied post.
- 3. Candidates will be shortlisted for the interview based on merit.
- 4. Shortlisted candidates will be informed only by email/Mobile. No separate letter will be issued for the interview. Candidates should appear for the interview along with their original Certificates, documents.
- 5. No TA/DA will be provided to the candidates who will be attending the interview. Calling for an interview is not a guarantee of selection.
- 6. No communications will be entertained for being called/not called and/or selected/ not selected for the advertised position.

For any other information/clarifications, the applicants may contact the Principal Investigator:

Prof Dr Pradeep Verma
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• Please attach an attested photocopy of supporting documents for columns 5 to 11, along with the application form.

Note:

• Original Certificates for verification with one photocopy to be presented at the time of interview only.