



INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED VIROLOGY (IAV)

An Autonomous Institution under Science and Technology Department,
Government of Kerala

No. IAV/417/R&D/2023

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RECRUITMENT NOTIFICATION – TEMPORARY PROJECT POSITIONS

Project Name: Metagenomics based Virus Discovery from Symptom specific Human Clinical Samples

The flagship research programs of Institute of Advanced Virology (IAV) in Kerala, addresses the pressing need to enhance indigenous capacity in the key areas of molecular diagnosis, therapy and prevention to combat emerging viral diseases and for development of Monoclonal/Therapeutic antibodies, Advanced Diagnostics and Antivirals against medically important viruses.

Applications are sought from highly motivated and enthusiastic candidates for the following temporary project positions (on consolidated payment) in the above mentioned research project:

Name of Position: Project Associate

Age Limit:	32 years as on 17/07/2024.
Educational & other essential qualifications	MSc. in life sciences or equivalent qualification One year experience as Project Associate/equivalent position at government research organizations
Desirable qualification & experience	Experience in field survey & sample collection/ molecular biology techniques/animal cell culture techniques from government research organizations.
No. of vacancy	One
Remuneration per month	Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty-five thousand only)

Name of Position: Project Assistant

Age Limit:	35 years as on 17/07/2024.
Educational & other essential qualifications	Bachelor's degree in Life Sciences or equivalent qualification.
Desirable qualification & experience	Experience in field survey & sample collection/ molecular biology techniques/animal cell culture techniques from government research organizations
No. of vacancies	Two
Remuneration per month	Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty thousand only)

Selection Procedure:

- Applications will be initially screened and short-listed based on the eligibility criteria;
- The short-listed candidates will be selected through a selection process comprising of written test and/or interview.

Duration: The duration of appointment will be for a period of one year. The positions are purely temporary and coterminous with the project. Extension beyond the initial period of appointment of one year will be based on yearly progress evaluation by the Program Monitoring Committee (PMC). The evaluation will be strictly based on the achievements against the mile-stones set at the beginning of the program. If the progress is not satisfactory, no further extension will be given.

Last date of Submission of Application : 17 July 2024; 10 AM

Link to submit the online application: -

Project Associate – <https://forms.gle/o2u66DYhLZrnHDqG7>

Project Assistant- <https://forms.gle/GzwfYrojbxqvfEid6>

Notes:

1. Only those candidates fulfilling all the essential qualifications, and qualifying the screening by a duly constituted screening committee will be short-listed for further selection process
2. The project staffs are also required to involve in field surveys/sample collection as part of the project and should be willing to travel to and work at any part of the country.
3. The CGPA/Grade to % conversion formula (issued by competent authority) applicable for the degree awarding institution (wherever grading other than % is used) has to be submitted along with the application, if the formula is not already provided in the certificate/mark sheet.
4. Candidates in their final year of qualifying degree need not apply.
5. Canvassing in any form is not permitted and any interim enquiry will not be entertained.
6. The position is purely temporary; and selection to the position will not entitle the candidate any claim for future positions at IAV (permanent or otherwise).
7. The Director, IAV reserves the right to decide on the number of positions to be filled; and on any matter related to the selection procedure, including cancellation of the selection process, if circumstances demand so.
8. The selected candidates are required to join within one month from date of appointment order.
9. The project associate appointed under flagship programmes will not be allowed to register for the PhD programme during the tenure of appointment.
10. Fees for application: Rs. 200 + GST
11. The payment of fees has to be made through SB collect as per following procedure:

Steps to make payment**SBI Collect**

Login in to :	https://www.onlinesbi.sbi/sbicollect/icollecthome.htm
Select	Educational Institutions
Select	Institute of Advanced Virology
Select	Fees Recruitment
Make payment for	Rs.236/-

**Sd/-
Director**