



National Institute of Plant Genome Research
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Applications are invited from suitable candidates for filling up the purely temporary position of one Senior Research Fellow (SRF) in the SERB research project entitled " Transcriptional repressors as friends or foes: Utilization to increase seed size in rice", of Dr. Pinky Agarwal, Scientist, NIPGR.

Senior Research Fellow (one post): Emoluments as per DST/DBT norms and as sanctioned in the project.

Qualification: Candidates selected through National Eligibility Tests as mentioned in the DST Office Memorandum number SR/S9/Z-08/2018 dated January 30, 2019 and having M.Sc. degree (with minimum 60% marks) in Life Sciences/Agriculture/Plant Science/Botany with two years post M.Sc. experience or equivalent are eligible to apply. Candidates with prior work experience in the laboratory of plant molecular biology, biochemistry, and/or bioinformatics will be preferred.

The above position is completely on temporary basis and co-terminus with the project. The fellowship amount for the above position is as sanctioned in the project and as per DBT/DST norms. The appointment will be valid only till the tenability of the project i.e. up to 26/03/2022 and the same can be curtailed on the basis of assessment of the candidate's performance and discretion of the Competent Authority. NIPGR reserves the right to select the candidate against the above post depending upon the qualification and experience of the candidate. Reservation of posts shall be as per Govt. of India norms. The appointment may be terminated any time by giving one month notice by either side. The applicants will have no claim implicit or explicit for consideration against any regular position of NIPGR.

Eligible candidates may apply by sending soft copy through e-mail in the given format with a cover letter showing interest. The soft copy of the self- attested copies of the mark-sheets, certificates, (10th standard onwards) and proof of research experience/publications should be attached with the application. A single pdf file, consisting of application form, cover letter, and all documents, must be sent to pinky.agarwal@nipgr.ac.in within 10 days from the date of advertisement. Canvassing in any form or bringing influence, political or otherwise, will lead to disqualification of the candidate(s). A web-link with date and time of online interview will be e-mailed to the shortlisted candidates only. The candidates must ascertain their eligibility before applying, as ineligible candidates will not be interviewed.

Note: ONLY soft copy of the application in the given format will be accepted. No TA/DA will be paid for attending online interview. For any clarification candidates may contact Scientist in charge through e-mail only.

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