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NOTIFICATION

Applications are invited for selection to the post of **Senior Research Fellow (one post) and Technical Assistant (01)** under DBT sponsored "**Antifungal peptide-based formulations for management of sheath blight disease in rice**", on or before **27-07-2026** in the prescribed format.

S.No	Name of the Position	No. of posts	Monthly emoluments	Age	Qualifications
1	Senior Research Fellow	01	SRF @ INR 42000+27% HRA (As per DBT and ICAR rules)	35 years for men and 40 years for women (Age relaxation for SC/ST/OBC/Physically Challenged/Ex-Serviceman/Women Candidates as per Govt. of India Rules)	Essential Qualifications: Essential: M.Sc. in Agriculture Biotechnology / Bioinformatics / Plant Biotechnology/ Biotechnology and Molecular Biology/ Plant Pathology/ Genetics and Plant Breeding/ Plant Sciences/ Life Sciences/ Agriculture/ any other related discipline. (Master degree in relevant subject with 4 years/5 years of Bachelor's Degree) - Candidates having post-graduate degree in Basic Sciences with 3 years Bachelor's degree and 2 years Master's degree should have NET qualifications. Desirable Qualifications: - Minimum two years of research experience in using biotechnological tools and bioinformatics. Experience in OMICs studies and conducting research experiments at plant-pathogen/microbes interactions.

2	Technical Assistant	01	Technical assistant @ INR 20000 / pm +27% HRA	35 years for men and 40 years for women (Age relaxation for SC/ST/OBC/Physically Challenged/Ex-Serviceman/Women Candidates as per Govt. of India Rules)	Essential Qualifications: B.Sc. degree in Agriculture/ Microbiology/Botany/Biotechnology/Plant Biotechnology/Plant Sciences/Life Sciences/ Any other related discipline Desirable Qualifications: Two years' experience in conducting of field and glass house experiments. Isolation and culturing of Plant Pathogens and bioagents. Data recording and basic computer knowledge.
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Eligible candidates may send their applications in the prescribed pro-forma to the e-mail address **vpjobiirr@gmail.com** latest by **27-07-2026** along with the Application form (enclosed in word format), self-attested scanned copies of original certificates of educational qualifications, experience certificates, additional qualifications (if any) to be uploaded as a **Single PDF File** in the same order as mentioned here.

After screening of the applications, the short listed candidates will be informed about the details of Virtual Interview (Date and Time) by mail.

Original documents will be verified at the time of appointment. If any candidate is found to have submitted false claims at later stage, their candidature will be summarily rejected.

Terms & Conditions

1. The above post is purely temporary initially for one year it may be extendable based on the performance and fund availability.
2. If we receive large number of applications, the applications will be shortlisted for interview based on additional qualifications and experience.
3. Original documents will be verified at the time of interview.
4. The interview of eligible, short listed candidates will be held virtually on the prescribed date and time which will be communicated by mail.
5. The candidates will have to send a soft copy of filled in application form duly signed as per the format annexed, along with the self-attested scanned copies of the original documents of the qualifications and a recent photograph pasted onto the scan application as a **Single PDF File**.
6. The selected candidate will be required to produce all the original documents and medical certificate at the time of joining.
7. Only the shortlisted candidates would be interviewed.
8. Concealing of facts or canvassing in any form shall lead to disqualification or termination of such candidates.
9. Mobile Number and E-mail ID must be entered in the prescribed application form; therefore, the applicant must have a valid operative email and mobile number.
10. No Objection Certificate from the present employer is must, if the candidate is already working.
11. The decision of PI would be final and binding in all aspects.

Age limit: Age relaxation for SC/ST/OBC/Physically Challenged/Ex-Serviceman/Women candidates as per DBT/ICAR / Govt. of India Rules

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PI of the Project