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## WALK-IN-INTERVIEW

The eligible candidates are invited for **Walk-In-Interview on 17.03.2022 at 11.00 AM at ICAR-CITH, Srinagar** for the temporary position of Junior Research Fellow (JRF) purely on contractual basis. The candidates who fulfill the requisite qualifications as indicated below should bring their brief bio-data neatly typed and experience certificates along with original and attested photocopies of qualification certificates, passport size photographs for verification and submission.

Sl. No.	Name and No. of post(s)	No. of post(s)	Name of project/ Code	Place of posting	Emoluments	Essential & Desirable Qualification with Specialization
1.	Junior Research Fellow (JRF)	01 (One)	SERB Project Characterizing diversity, genome profile and development of robust diagnostics for <i>Diplodia</i> spp. associated with Canker disease of Apple ( <i>Malus domestica</i> Borkh.) in North Western Himalayan Region of India.	ICAR-CITH, Srinagar	31000+ HRA for first two years and 35000+ HRA for third year.	<p><b>Essential Qualification:-</b> Post graduate degree in Agriculture/Horticulture with specialization in PlantPathology/ Microbiology/Biotechnology/other related fields of plant science selected through a process described through any norms given in DST office memorandum No.SR/S9/Z-08/2018 dated 30-01-2019 i.e. scholars who are selected through national eligibility test CSIR-UGC-NET including lectureship (Assistant professorship) and GATE. The selection process through national level exam conducted by central government departments and their agencies and institute such as DST, DBT, DAE, DOS, DRDO, MHRD, ICAR, IIT, IISc, IISER etc.</p> <p><b>Desirable Qualification:-</b> Experience in pathological and molecular techniques viz., pathogen isolation and characterization, DNA isolation, PCR amplification, Sequence analysis, Real Time PCR analysis etc.</p>

### Selection criteria:-

50 marks for M.Sc, 05 marks for Ph.D, 10 marks for publications( one mark for each publication), research experience 05 marks ( one mark for each completed year), 05 marks for NET, 05 marks for awards (one mark for each award), 20 marks for personal interview.

### NOTE:-

- Candidates willing to reside inside the campus shall be given preference for which they have to submit necessary undertaking with their application format by specifically mentioning their intention for staying inside the campus.
- Research Fellows will be provided hostel accommodation whenever available. Research fellowship holder residing in hostels shall not be entitled for HRA. Whenever provision of hostel accommodation is not possible, HRA will be allowed to JRF as per Central Government norms applicable in the city/location where he/she is will be posted. The percentage required for calculating HRA will be based on the fellowship amount.
- The JRF are eligible only for casual leaves as per rules of the host Institution. Participation of any of scientific events/workshops held in India or abroad will be treated as "on duty" with due approval of the host Institution. The travel entitlement of JRF for participation in scientific events/workshops in India will continue to be same as earlier i.e, 2<sup>nd</sup> AC by rail. Maternity leave as per the Govt. of India instructions issued from time to time would be available to female candidates in all categories.
- He/She shall be governed by the disciplinary regulations of the host Institute where he/she is working.
- The JRF must send a report of the research work done during the periods of Fellowship as may be asked by the sponsoring agency.
- The upper age limit for Men is 35 years & for Women it is 40 years. Age relaxation will be as per rules of Govt. of India/ ICAR.
- Selected candidates for the position of JRF will be paid emoluments as per norms of Govt. of India/ ICAR.
- No Objection Certificate from the employer/University, in case he/she is employed.
- Candidate is engaged on need basis (contractual) and can be discontinued at any time when such need is not there.
- The appointment of JRF would be on full time basis and he/ she would not be permitted to take up any other assignment during the period of engagement with ICAR-CITH, Srinagar.
- The selected candidates shall not claim for any regular appointment as the positions are purely temporary.
- No TA/DA will be paid for attending the Walk-in-Interview.
- The Director, ICAR-CITH, Srinagar reserves the right to terminate his/her services without any notice at any time and the decision of the Director, ICAR-CITH, Srinagar will be final and binding in all respect.
- Candidates shall bring original qualification at the time of interview for verification alongwith one full copy of marksheets duly self attested, publications, experience, and other documents.
- Candidates should attend the walk-in-interview following SOP's issued by Ministry of Home affairs as well as Union territory of J&K.

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