

**Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Govt. of India Sponsored
Project on "Bioresources of Kuttanad Wetland Ecosystem:
Inventorization, Characterisation and Conservation"**

WANTED

Applications are invited for the temporary positions (tenure: three years) of Junior Research Fellow (two) and project Assistant (three) from suitable candidates with the following qualifications and experience for the multi institutional research project "*Bioresources of Kuttanad Wetland Ecosystem: Inventorization, Characterisation and Conservation*" funded by Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Govt. of India at the institutions specified below:

I. Chair for Sustainable Development (CSD), Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), Regional Centre, Trivandrum

1. **Project Assistant- Grade II** (Pay Rs.5000/-p.m Consolidated)
Qualification/Experience: Graduate with fluency in speaking and writing Malayalam and writing in English: Skill for organizing public meetings. Computer knowledge is essential.

II. Environmental Resources Research Centre (ERRC), Thiruvananthapuram

1. **Junior Research Fellow** (Pay Rs. 12,000/- p.m + HRA)
Qualification/ Experience: M.Sc (Botany) First Class with experience in floral documentation and plant characterization. Computer knowledge preferred.
2. **Project Assistant – Grade II** (Rs. 5000/- p.m consolidated)
Qualification/Experience: Matriculation and above; Experience in plant specimen collection, processing and herbarium keeping. Computer knowledge essential

III. K V M College of Engineering and Information Technology (K V M C& I T), Cherthala

1. **Junior Research Fellow:** (Pay Rs.12,000/- p m + HRA)
Qualification/ Experience: M.Sc (Biotechnology) First class with a minimum of one year experience in RAPD/ RFLP techniques. Computer knowledge essential
2. **Project Assistant- Grade I:** (Pay Rs.8000 p.m consolidated)
Qualification/ Experience: M.Sc (Biotechnology) First Class with experience in handling laboratory animals and related experiments. Computer knowledge essential.

Application with bio-data and attested copies of certificates for the above positions should reach the undersigned on or before 31st August, 2011.

Age limit: JRF (below 35 years); Project Assistant (below 40 years).
Selected candidates will be called for interview.

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