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Announcement

Gujarat Institute of Desert Ecology: Research personnel wanted

Name of the position: Junior Research Fellow (2 positions); *Fellowship:* Commensurate with qualification / experience (+ hostel accommodation as applicable); Age: below 28 years as on the date of application; *Duration:* Five years or co-terminus with the project duration, whichever is earlier; the appointment will be initially for one year, and the tenure will be renewed every year based on the performance.

Qualification: Essential: M. Sc. [Environmental Sciences / Environmental Chemistry / Aquatic Biology / Marine Sciences (Marine Biology / Oceanography)] or B Tech / M Tech (Environmental Engineering). Previous working experience on environmental monitoring studies (air quality monitoring, air quality modeling, marine sampling and analysis), and laboratory analytical techniques will be an added advantage; Desirable: The candidate is expected to have proven communication skills. Candidates interested in pursuing higher studies (research as career) are only advised to apply.

Name of the position: Project Assistant (One Position); *Stipend:* Rs. 8000 /- per month consolidated; Age: below 28 years on the date of application; *Duration:* Five years or co-terminus with the project duration, whichever is earlier; the appointment will be initially for one year, and the tenure will be renewed every year based on the performance; *Qualification and Experience:* Essential: B. Sc. in any branch of science. Desirable: The candidate is expected to assist the project team in field and laboratory, and all other project related activities.

Age limit relaxation is available for ST/SC/OBC (NCL) /Women/PH candidates as per the Govt. of India norms.

Application on plain paper, superscribing the name of the project clearly, in the following format should reach The Director, Gujarat Institute of Desert Ecology, Post Box-83, Mundra Road, Opp. Changleswar Temple, Bhuj – 370001, Gujarat latest by 27th May 2016:

(1) Name, (2) Date of Birth and Age, (3) Community, (4) Address for Communication, (5) Educational Qualifications, (6) Details of experience, if any, (7) a one-page write up on your research interest (8) List of publications and (9) Name and contact details of two referees familiar with your work. Attested copies of the degree & community certificates and mark sheets need to be enclosed.

Alternately, an electronic version of the application may be sent to desert_ecology@yahoo.com (Director's Office) or anjanguide@gmail.com (Dr. B. Anjan Kumar Prusty, Senior Scientist, EIA Division).