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**Advertisement for the post of Project Associate I on DBT Project**

Applications are invited for the post of **Project Associate I** on the DST-SERB sponsored research project entitled "Method development for extraction of herbal  $\gamma$ -Aminobutyric acid (GABA) from *Pandanus odorifer* L". (BT/PR/39264/FCB/125/91/2020) for 3 years (February 2022- January 2025) under the supervision of **Prof. A. B. Nadaf and Dr. Abhijeet Kulkarni** implemented at the Department of Botany, Savitribai Phule University, Pune-411 007. **The post is purely temporary and is co-terminus with the project.**

**Designation: Project Associate I** No. of posts: 01 (reserved to DT-A category)

**Duration: 3 years**


**Eligibility:** M.Sc. Botany qualified with CSIR-UGC-NET/GATE with specialization in Advanced Plant Genetics and Breeding/Plant Biotechnology/Life Sciences with minimum 60% marks or equivalent CGPA.

**Desirable:** Preference will be given to the highly motivated candidate having good academic record with research experience in the techniques related to HPLC & LC-MS based plant metabolite analysis and molecular biology.

**Fellowship:** Rs. 31,000 + HRA per month for the candidates who are selected through National Eligibility Tests -CSIR-UGC-NET including lectureship or GATE or any other equivalent national level examinations qualified candidate. For others Rs. 25,000 plus HRA per month.

Interested candidates are requested to send their applications on plain paper along with biodata providing details of academic qualifications, training, experience, publications (if any), contact number, email etc. and true copies of certificates and mark sheets **in a single PDF file** on the **email ID: nadafbotany@gmail.com** on or before **23rd April 2022**. The short-listed candidates will be called for interview in online/offline mode. No TA/DA/accommodation or any allowance will be provided for attending the interview.

**Note:** In case a suitable candidate from the above-mentioned reservation category is not available, the post will be filled up from another reservation/open category.

  
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