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Advertisement

Applications are invited for one post of **Project Assistant** in the **SERB-funded** research project entitled "**PPARgamma agonists as adjuvants to curb dose-dependent side-effects in colorectal cancer**" under the supervision of **Dr. Vivek Vaish**. **Project Assistant (01)** position is on a purely **temporary basis** for a period of one year and likely to be extended until the completion of the project (October 2026) based on performance. The details are as follows:

Funding agency	Science & Engineering Research Board (SERB) under State University Research Excellence (SERB - SURE)
Principal Investigator	Dr. Vivek Vaish
Position	Project Assistant
Number of positions	01
Duration of the post	Initially for One (01) year and likely to continue for total Three (03) years based on performance
Category	DT-A (considering the time-bound nature of the project, if suitable DT-A candidate is not found for the post, a candidate from the other category will be appointed).
Salary	Rs. 25,400/- per month (including HRA)
Qualifications	M.Sc. in Biotechnology/ Biochemistry/ Human Genomics/ Biophysics (not earlier than 2 years) with minimum 55% aggregate marks or equivalent B grade from recognized universities/ institutes.
Desirable Qualifications	The candidate with demonstrated experience in animal (rats or mice) handling, animal tissue culture, molecular biology techniques and bioinformatics platforms will be preferred. However, this does not confirm the position.
Job Description	The selected candidate will need to work on the research project which involves handling of animals (rats or mice), animal cell lines and their cultures, bioinformatics tools and other molecular biology techniques including Western Blotting, qPCR, gene cloning, etc.
Age limit	28 years (the upper age limit is relaxed up to 5 years for Scheduled castes/ tribes/ OBC, Women and specially-abled candidates.)
Last date of application	15 th July 2025

Soft copy of application (single PDF file) should include scanned copies of duly signed application form (as per attached format), self-attested documents (10th class onwards) and caste certificate. Interested candidates may submit their application via email to vaishvivek@yahoo.com on or before the last date of this advertisement. Please mention "**Application for Project Assistant (SERB-SURE_2023)**" in the subject of email. Applications received beyond last date will not be considered. Short-listed candidates will be informed about the date, time and venue of the interview by e-mail only. No TA/DA will be provided to attend the interview. Candidates need to produce original documents for verification at the time of interview. For any clarification, candidates may contact the Principal Investigator via email only.



Dr. Vivek Vaish
Principal Investigator



Prof. R.N. Gacche
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Application format

1.	Name of the candidate (in block letters)					
2.	Date of Birth (DD-MM-YY)					
3.	Father's Name					
4.	Mother's Name					
5.	Sex					
6.	Address of Communication					
7.	Contact Number (Mobile)					
8.	Email					
9.	Marital Status					
10.	Category					
11.	Academic Qualifications					
	Examination Passed	Year of Passing	Board/ University	Subjects	CGPA	Percentage
a.	Secondary/ 10 th					
b.	Higher Secondary/ 12 th					
c.	Graduation/ B.Sc./ B.Tech. etc.					
d.	Post Graduation/ M.Sc., etc.					
e.	Others/ Diploma, etc.					
12.	Research Experience years months (attach supporting documents)				
13.	Number of Publications (if any)	International: National: (attach a list of publications)				
14.	Other experience in the relevant field (if any)	(attach supporting documents)				

Declaration:

I..... hereby declare that all statements made in this application are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. In the event of the information being found false or incorrect or any ineligibility being detected before or after the selection, my candidature is liable to be cancelled.

Date:

Signature of the Candidate:

Place:

Passport size
photograph

Enclosures: Self-attested photocopies of all the relevant documents are attached herewith.