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**ICFRE-INSTITUTE OF FOREST GENETICS & TREE BREEDING**

भारतीय वानिकी अनुसंधान एवं शिक्षा परिषद  
(INDIAN COUNCIL OF FORESTRY RESEARCH & EDUCATION)

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### **Recruitment of Research Fellows**

It is proposed to conduct an Interview to recruit **Project Associate/ Senior Project Fellow / Junior Research Fellows /Project Assistants and Field Assistants on purely temporary (Contractual)** basis for the research projects detailed below. Eligible candidates are requested to attend the on interview at ICFRE-Institute of Forest Genetics & Tree Breeding, R.S.Puram, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu. The candidates are required to apply online through the link provided in the Institute website on or before 03.06.2024.

#### **Project Associate**

Sl. No.	Project Title & Project Number	Project No.	Qualification	Salary (Rs.)	Duration of the year
1	<b>UNEP-GEF</b> Support to preparation of National Biosafety Reports to the cartegena protocol on Biosafety  <b>PI Dr. N. V. Mathish, Scientist-G</b>	One	<b>Essential:</b> Master's degree in the related fields like Biotechnology/Food Science and Technology/Biochemical Engineering/Enzyme Technology with 65% <b>Desirable:</b> PhD in the related fields like Biotechnology/Food Science and Technology/Biochemical Engineering/Enzyme Technology. Should have experience in monitoring project plans, schedules, work hours, budgets and expenditures, organizing and participating in stakeholder meetings, to ensure that project deadlines are met in a timely manner. <b>Place of Posting:</b> <b>MOEF&amp;CC, New Delh</b>	60000/- (Consolidated)	One year from date of joining (April 2025)

### Senior Project Fellow

Sl. No.	Project Name and PI	No. of vacancy	Qualification	Monthly Emoluments	Duration in year
2	<p>AICRP-7 Assessment and monitoring of Invasive Alien Plant Species in India and formulation of strategies for management of key Invasive Alien Plant Species in different regions of the country</p> <p>PI Dr. A.Rajasekaran, Scientist-F</p>	Three	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Geoinformatics/ remote sensing and GIS/Applied Geology and Geoinformatics/ Geography/Earth remote sensing and Geo-information technology/ Environment Management/Botany/ Forestry with two years experience.</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Experience in GIS, Remote Sensing and Experience in handling research projects preferably in Forestry.</p>	23000/-	Upto January 2025
3	<p><b>AICRP-04 Comp.5</b> To generate Eucalyptus transgenics/transgrafts with enhanced salt and insect tolerance for confined field trials</p> <p>PI Dr. N. V. Mathish, Scientist-G</p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Biotechnology, Bio Chemistry, Plant Science or Integrated M.Sc Life Science/Plant Science with two years Experience.</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Experience in tissue culture, Molecular biology techniques/transgenic approaches</p>	23000/-	Upto December 2024
4	<p><b>NFRP-187</b> Evaluation of transgenefree genome engineering methods in Eucalyptus</p> <p>PI Dr. N. V. Mathish, Sc-G</p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Biotechnology, Bio Chemistry, Plant Science or Integrated M.Sc Life Science/Plant Science with 2 years experience</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Experience in tissue culture, Molecular Biology techniques/Transgenic approaches.</p>	23000/-	Upto March 2026

**Junior Project Fellow**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Project Name and PI</b>	<b>No. of vacancy</b>	<b>Qualification</b>	<b>Monthly Emoluments</b>	<b>Duration in year</b>
5	<p><b>AICRP-02 Comp.6a</b> Management strategies for pre and post flowered bamboo resources <b>Sub Component -</b> Developing short to medium term seed storage protocols for ex-situ conservation of some commercially important bamboo species</p> <p><b>PI- Dr.Rekha R Warriar, Scientist-F</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Biotechnology.</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Two years Hands on experience on tissue culture of tree species</p>	20000/-	Upto January 2025
6	<p><b>AICRP-02 Comp 6b</b> Exploration, Collection and assemblage of genetic resources and establishment of Bamboo Field Gene Banks</p> <p><b>PI -M. Maria Dominic Savio, Scientist-E</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Botany/ Forestry/ Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Plant Sciences.</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Aptitude for field work</p>	20000/-	Upto January 2025
7	<p><b>AICRP-02 Comp.1a</b> Selection, Evaluation and deployment of CPC 'S' clones, establishment of rhizome banks and production of Improved planting stock</p> <p><b>PI-M. Maria Dominic Savio, Scientist-E</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Botany/ Forestry/ Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Plant Sciences.</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Aptitude for field work</p>	20000/-	Upto January 2025

8	<p><b>AICRP-3 Comp.-2</b> Studies on Primary-Secondary host in sandal and establishment of sandal wood based agroforestry models</p> <p><b>PI Dr. C.Buveneswaran, Scientist-G</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Forestry/ Agriculture/ Botany.</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Field experience in laying of field trials with tree species. Experience in technical data collection and report preparation. Working knowledge in MS Office/ Word/ Excel/ Powerpoint</p>	20000/-	Upto January 2025
9	<p><b>AICRP-04 Comp.2</b> <b>Eucalyptus Improvement</b></p> <p><b>PI: Dr. R. Yasodha, Scientist-G</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Bio information/ Biochemistry / Biotechnology</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Experience in Electrophoresis, MS Office, Bio informatics</p>	20000/-	Upto January 2025
10	<p><b>AICRP-10</b> Developing seed Testing and Seed Storage protocols of selected forest species from Diverse Forest Types</p> <p><b>PI R. Anandalakshmi, Scientist-G</b></p>	Two	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Botany/ Forestry/ Biochemistry/ Agriculture / Biotechnology Environmental Sciences / Horticulture</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Willing to travel to the Forest areas</p>	20000/-	Upto January 2025
11	<p><b>AICRP-04 Comp.04</b> Genetic Improvement of Eucalyptus</p> <p><b>PI R. Anandalakshmi, Scientist-G</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc Botany/ Forestry/ Biotechnology</p> <p><b>Desirable</b> willing to travel</p>	20000/-+	Upto January 2025

12	<p><b>AICRP-14</b> Forest fire research and knowledge management</p> <p><b>PI: Shri J.Sriram, IFS Conservator of Forests</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Forestry/Botany</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> One year experience in Research. Experience in technical data collection and report preparation Working knowledge in MS office /Word /Excel/ Powerpoint</p>	20000/-	Upto January 2025
13	<p><b>AICRP-16</b> Bio prospecting for industrial utilization of lesser known forest plants</p> <p><b>PI - N. Senthilkumar, Scientist-F</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Bio - chemistry/ Chemistry / Botany / Forestry / Agriculture with experience in Bioprospecting/ Organic chemistry <b>Desirable:</b> Experience in Bioprospecting /organic Chemistry</p>	20000/-	Upto January 2025
14	<p><b>AICRP-21</b> Development of superior biofertilizers for enhanced plan productivity</p> <p><b>PI- Dr. A. Karthikeyan, Scientist-G</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Microbiology / M.Sc Botany (with Specialization in Microbiology or Plant Pathology)</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge in isolation of bacterias</p>	20000/-	Upto January 2025
15	<p><b>AICRP-31</b> Study of Climate driven effects on Indian Forests through long term monitoring</p> <p><b>PI: Dr. A. C. Surya Prabha, Scientist-D</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc Degree in Agriculture with specialization in Soil Science &amp; Agricultural Chemistry or Agronomy/ Forestry / Chemistry / Environmental Science</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Experience in soil sampling in reserve forests and working experience in analytical laboratories.</p>	20000/-+ HRA If applicable	Upto January 2025

16	<p><b>AICRP-31</b> Study of Climate driven effects on Indian Forests through long term monitoring</p> <p><b>PI: Dr. B. Nagarajan, Scientist-G</b></p>	Two	<p><b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc Degree in Botany/Forestry/ Environmental Science</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Specialization in Plant Taxonomy working experience in field exploration</p>	20000	Upto January 2025
17	<p><b>NBA-02</b> Domestication, Sustainable, Utilization and conservation of Pterocarpus samalinus (Red Sander) Genetic Resources, Delincation of provenances, Characterization and assemblage of genetic resources of domestication</p> <p><b>PI- Shri M. Maria Dominic Savio, Scientist-E</b></p>	Two	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Botany/Life Science Agriculture/ Forestry/ Horticulture</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Aptitude for field work.</p>	16000/-	Upto September 2024 (Extendable upto September 2025)
18	<p><b>TBGPCR- Population assessment of prioritized endemic plant species of Tamil Nadu for formulating conservation measures -</b> <b>PI Dr. A. Rajasekaran, Scientist-F</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc degree in Botany</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Specialization in Plant Taxonomy / Ecology and 2 years Field Experience</p>	20000/-	Upto October 2024-

19	<p><b>KFD</b> Assessment of multipurpose tree species of Kerala for Eco restoration and developing, strategies in genetic resource management</p> <p><b>PI Dr. A. Shanthi, Scientist-E</b></p>	One	<p><b><u>Essential:</u></b> M.Sc degree in Botany / Forestry</p> <p><b><u>Desirable:</u></b> Willing to work in forest areas</p>	22000/-	Upto 2027
20	<p><b>KaFD</b> Developing a tissue culture protocol for identified superior genotypes of Teak available in Karnataka for the mass production</p> <p><b>PI -Dr. Rekha R Warriar, Scientist-F</b></p>	One	<p><b><u>Essential:</u></b> M.Sc degree in Biotechnology</p> <p><b><u>Desirable:</u></b> Two years Hands on experience on tissue culture of tree species</p>	20000/-	Upto March 2027
21	<p><b>CAMPA</b> Mapping, Monitoring and management of Lantana Camara through utilization for improving livelihood of people in forest fringe villages of India</p> <p><b>PI. Dr. A. Rajasekaran, Sc-F</b></p>	One	<p><b><u>Essential:</u></b> M.Sc degree in Geoinformatics/remote sensing and GIS/ Applied Geology and Geoinformatics/ Geography/Earth remote sensing and Geo-information technology/ Environment Management/Botany/ Forestry</p> <p><b><u>Desirable:</u></b> Experience in GIS, Remote Sensing and Experience in handling research projects preferably in Forestry.</p>	First 2 years Rs. 20000/-per month and third year Rs.23000/- p.m	Upto August 2028

## Project Assistant

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22	<b>AICRP-02 Comp.1a</b>  Genetic Improvement, propagation and ex-situ conservation of bamboo resources in India  <b>PI-M. Maria Dominic Savio, Scientist-E</b>	One	<b>Essential:</b> B.Sc or equivalent in Botany/ Forestry/ Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Plant Sciences	19000/-	Upto January 2025
23	<b>AICRP-02 Comp.8</b> Extension, technology transfer and capacity Building <b>PI-M. Maria Dominic Savio, Scientist-E</b>	One	<b>Essential:</b> B.Sc or equivalent in Botany/ Forestry/ Agriculture/ Horticulture / Plant Science	19000/-	Upto January 2025
24	<b>AICRP-17</b> Enhancement of fodder availability and quality to reduce unsustainable grazing in the forest  <b>PI Dr. C.Buveneswaran, Scientist-G</b>	One	<b>Essential:</b> B.Sc degree in Forestry/ Agriculture/ Botany  <b>Desirable:</b> Experience in technical data collection and report preparation Working knowledge in MS Office/Word/Excel/ Powerpoint	19000/-	Upto January 2025
25	<b>NPFGR</b> National Program for conservation and Development of Forest Genetic resources  <b>PI - R. Anandalakshmi, Scientist-G</b>	One	<b>Essential:</b> B.Sc or equivalent degree in Botany / Biochemistry  <b>Desirable:</b> Field work and MS Excel operation	19000/-	Upto January 2025



26	<p><b>NFRP-189</b> Standardization of silviculture protocols for clones of Calophyllum inophyllum to increase productivity and popularization in farmlands <b>PI - Dr. R. Anandalakshmi, Sc-G</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential :</b> B.Sc degree in Botany, Biochemistry, Lifescience <b>Desirable:</b> Computer Knowledge</p>	19000/-	March 2026
27	<p><b>UNEP-GEF</b> Support to preparation of National Biosafety Reports to the Cartagena protocol on Biosafety  <b>PI- Dr. N. V. Mathish, Scientist-G</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> Graduation with 60% marks <b>Desirable:</b> Post Graduate with 60% marks. Good knowledge of Microsoft Excel and MS Office for maintaining database. The applicant should be able to coordinate and strongly follow up with other Ministries/ Departments /States etc. for various works. MOEF&amp;CC <b>Place of Posting:</b> <b>MOEF&amp;CC, New Delh</b></p>	30000/- (Consolidated)	April 2025 (one year from date of joining)
28	<p>TBGPCR, TNFD Establishment of seed production areas for commercially important tree species in selected forest extension centres of Tamil Nadu.  <b>PI- Dr. R.Archana, Scientist - B</b></p>	One	<p><b>Essential:</b> Degree with Biological science  <b>Desirable:</b> Field experience</p>	19000/-	Upto April 2025

## Field Assistant

Sl. No.	Project Name and PI	No. of vacancy	Qualification	Monthly Emoluments	Duration in year
29	<b>KFD-13</b> Screening and Evaluation of <i>Mitragyna parvifolia</i> (Roxb) Korth native tree species for increased wood productivity  <b>PI Dr. D. Rajasugunasekar, Scientist-G</b>	One	<b>Essential:</b> Plus two Science stream	17000/-	Upto November 2026
30	<b>NFRP-191</b> Screening and Evaluation of <i>Mitragyna parvifolia</i> an indigenous timber species for genetic potential <b>PI Dr. D. Rajasugunasekar, Scientist-G</b>	One	<b>Essential:</b> Plus two with science stream	17000/-	Upto March 2026

### Terms and conditions:

1. Only Indian nationals are eligible.
2. Age limit as on **03.06.2024**  
**Junior Research fellow - 28 years**  
**Senior Project fellow - 32 years**  
**Project Assistants/Field Assistants - 25 years**  
**(Relaxable up to 5 years for SC/ST, Women, Physically handicapped and OBC candidates).**
3. Candidates should **submit their application online at the link provided in the website of this Institute. Online Registration process will be closed by dated on 03.06.2024 5.00 P.M.**
4. The position is **purely temporary** and **co-terminus** with the project period or earlier depending on the performance of the candidates.
5. Recruitment for the above temporary positions is governed by rules of the Indian Council of Forestry Research & Education and does not guarantee subsequent employment in any Institutes under the Council.
6. The Candidates are advised to go through the detailed guideline before starting the online registration.

7. The selected Candidates should bring all the **original testimonials** on educational qualifications and community certificate for verification at the time of joining. **Candidates without Provisional Certificate / Degree Certificate awarded by the Universities need not attend the interview.**
8. Canvassing in any form will disqualify the candidature.
9. HRA as applicable in the Project.



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## **Guideline to fill the application form**

1. Candidates are required to apply online through the link provided in the website only. No other means/mode of application will be accepted and there shall be no need to submit any hard copies of the uploaded documents.
2. Candidates are required to have a valid personal e-mail ID and valid mobile number. It should be kept active during the currency of this recruitment process. In case a candidate does not have a valid personal e-mail ID, he/she should create his/her new e-mail ID before applying online. Under no circumstances, he/she should share/mention e-mail ID to /of any other person.
3. He/she should thoroughly go through the vacancy notification first to know the eligibility, age criteria, etc.
4. Candidates should fill up correct details in the application form having all the details relating to age, personal details, educational qualification etc. online in the application form.
5. The candidates are advised the fill the details in the online Google form (link given below) and attach the duly filled application along with the Certificates SSLC mark sheet for age, Provisional/Degree certificates for educational qualification and community /PwBD certificate for category /Age relaxation).



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Application Proforma

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1. Advertisement No : **01/2024/ICFRE-IFGTB/JRF**  
: dated: 16/05/2024
2. Name of the Position (JRF/SRF/PA/FA) :
3. Name of the Project(s) & PI (e.g. *AICRP-02 Compa.6a & Dr.....*)
  
4. Name in Capital Letter :
5. Father's Name :
6. Date of Birth :
7. Aadhaar No. :
8. Age as on (Closing date:03.06.2024) :
9. Sex/Marital Status (√) : 

M	F	Married	Unmarried
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10. Whether belongs to : SC / ST / OBC / PwBD
11. Present and Permanent Address with Telephone/cell No/Email. :

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12. Educational Qualification

(attach self attested copies of testimonials) :

Qualification	Institution	University/ Board	Year of Passing	Subject	Division/ % of Marks	Specialization
SSLC						
HSC/+2						
B.Sc						
M.Sc						
Ph.D						
NET/DBT- BET/GATE score						
Any other						

13. Whether receiving Scholarship/Fellowship  
From any agency? If yes, indicate :

14. Are you under any contractual obligation to  
Serve Central/State Govt/Any other public  
Sector Undertaking or Autonomous body and  
If so, give details(attach NoC if applicable) :

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15. Previous research experience (in bullet points)  
(Enclose copies of experience certificate) :
16. Publications if any :
17. Any other relevant information  
(not more than 50 words) :
18. Language Proficiency :
19. Name & Address of two references : (i)  
(known for a minimum of two years)
- (ii)

**Following Enclosures should be attached:**

- (1) SSLC Marks sheet for age Proof
- (2) Degree Certificates for Edu. Qualifications
- (3) Community/PwBD Certificate for category/Age relaxation

**Declaration**

**I hereby declare that the above information is correct and to the best of my knowledge and belief, if I am found to have concealed/distorted any material information, my appointment shall be liable for termination without notice.**

**Place:**

**Signature of Candidate**

**Date:**