

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY, NIRMALAGIRI COLLEGE, KANNUR-670701

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Advertisement for the post of Project Associate-I (PA) in a SERB-funded research project

Applications are invited from highly motivated Indian nationals for the position of Project Associate-I (PA) in a research project funded by SRG-SERB, Government of India with the following details:

- ❖ **Title of the Research Project:** "*Fabrication of MnO₂-Photosensitizer Nanocomposite for Synergistic Anti-Cancer Activity by DNA G-Quadruplex Binding and Photodynamic Therapy*"
Principal Investigator: Dr. Ajesh P. Thomas
Name of the position available: Project Associate-I
- ❖ **No. of positions available:** 01
- ❖ **Essential qualifications:** MSc Chemistry from a recognized Institute/University or statutory body OR equivalent degree with a minimum of 60% aggregate score; For SC/ST category, the candidate must have secured a minimum of 55% aggregate score
- ❖ **Desirable qualification:** Preference will be given to candidates having (i) CSIR/UGC JRF/NET/GATE (ii) working experience in a synthetic organic lab or industry
- ❖ **Age limit:** Must not be over 35 years as on 18.11.2023 which is relaxed upto 5 years for OBC/SC/ST candidates.
- ❖ **Salary:** Rs. 25000 + HRA /month
- ❖ **Duration:** Up to the termination of project, subject to annual performance review. Project is for 2 years.
- ❖ **General Terms and Conditions:**
 - i) The position is temporary and renewable each year upto 2 years subject to satisfactory performance.
 - ii) Selected candidate can also register for regular PhD programme of Kannur University provided they satisfy the eligibility criterion.
 - iii) Only short-listed candidates will be called for interview and the selected candidate will have to join within a week.
 - iv) Interview will be conducted in offline mode and no TA/DA will be provided.
 - v) The decision of the selection committee will be final.
 - vi) The fellowship may be terminated with a 30-day notice before completion of the tenure, if performance till date is not deemed satisfactory.
- ❖ Please visit the college website (<https://nirmalagiricollege.ac.in/departments/chemistry/downloads>) for the application form.
- ❖ **Last Date:** Completed applications should be emailed/speed-posted in the following address and should reach us on or before 18.11.2023.

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