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NOTIFICATION

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for the position of Project Associate-1 contract basis for the project entitled "RNA-sequencing as a diagnostic tool in exome negative undiagnosed rare paediatric neurometabolic disorders" funded by Department of Science & Technology, Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) under Dr. Hansashree Padmanabha, Associate Professor of Neurology, NIMHANS. and Principal Investigator, NIMHANS, Bengaluru – 560029.

Name of the Post	Project Associate-1
No. of Posts	1(One)
Essential qualification	<p>Post graduate in biomedical sciences, preferably genetics, human genetics, applied genetics, medical genetics, human disease genetics or related areas from a recognized University or Institution along with below mentioned criteria</p> <p>a. Scholars who are selected through National Eligibility Tests – CSIR-UGC-NET including lectureship (Assistant Professorship) and GATE.</p> <p>Or</p> <p>b. The selection process through National level examinations conducted by Central Government Departments and their Agencies and institutions such as DST, DBT, DAE, DOS, DRDO, MHRD, ICAR, ICMR, IIT, IISc, IISER etc.</p>
Desirable Experience	Experience in genomics, Next-Generation Sequencing (NGS) (wet lab and/or bioinformatics) focused on Human Genetics and clinical applications.
Maximum age limit	28 Years
Emoluments/Salary	<p>a. Rs 37,000/- + HRA to scholars who are selected through (CSIR-UGC NET including Lectureship or GATE)</p> <p>b. Rs. 31,000/- + 24% HRA per month. For others who do not fall under a.</p>
Duration of project	<p>3 years</p> <p>Initial appointment will be made for the period of 6 months, with extension up to the term of the project after revaluation and renewal.</p>
Nature of the work	RNA extraction, quality control, RNA library preparation, Next-Generation Sequencing Bioinformatic analysis.
Link for Online Application	<p>Google forms application link:</p> <p>https://forms.gle/44yZsmEWsMW5Cwtz6</p>

Eligible candidates fulfilling the criteria may apply through the link provided above. The last date for receipt of applications is **within 14 days from the date of this notification**. Applications received after the last date will not be considered. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

Note:

1. The list of selected candidates will be communicated via email.
2. No **TA/DA** will be paid for attending the interview.
3. Candidates already working in any project at NIMHANS must produce a No Objection Certificate (**NOC**) from their Principal Investigator.

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