

NOTIFICATION FOR THE MANPOWER RECRUITMENT UNDER ANRF PAIR PROJECT
(JUNIOR RESEARCH FELLOW – 1 POST)

Applications are invited from qualified candidates for the post of Junior Research Fellow (JRF) (1 No) in the ANRF - PAIR Project with Dr. Rajeev S Menon, Professor, Department of Chemistry, University of Calicut as the Principal Investigator (PI) and Dr. Zuhail K P, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, University of Calicut as Co-Principal Investigator (Co-PI). **Candidates who applied in response to the previous notification (dated 31.10.2025) do not need to apply again.**

The qualifications and other details are as follows: -

Name of the post (Number of posts)	Qualifications	Fellowship/ Remuneration	Age Limit **
Junior Research Fellow (1 No)	<p>Qualification:</p> <p>Master degree in Physics (or relevant discipline) from a recognized university or equivalent</p> <p>Desirable qualification:</p> <p>Research experience in Photonics, Biophysics, and/or Soft Matter Physics</p>	<p>(i) ₹37,000 + HRA (for candidates who are selected through</p> <p>(a) National Eligibility Tests – CSIR-UGC NET/ valid GATE score/ a selection process through National level examinations conducted by central government departments and their agencies/ institutions.</p> <p>(ii) ₹30,000 + HRA (for candidates who do not fall under (i) above. Candidate will be designated as Project Associate - I</p>	30
Duration of the Position	5 Years or completion of project, whichever earlier		
Category	<p>Communal reservation will be followed as mentioned in the first notification dated 31.10.2025 which is in accordance with the provisions of KS and SSR and the Kerala Public Service Commission manual.</p> <p>“If candidates from a community for which the post is reserved are not available, candidates from other reserved communities in the order of rotation will be considered. In the absence of candidates from reserved communities, the post shall be treated as an open competition turn.”</p> <p>**Age relaxation as per DST, Govt. of India norms.</p>		

The selection will be based on the performance in a written test (JRF) and subsequent personal interview. The selected JRF have the option of registering for the PhD program under the guidance of the project team members as per the prevailing University regulations. The post is purely temporary. The selected JRF should work full-time on the implemented project and should not get any salary from other sources. Interested candidates may send their bio-data, along with

email ID and copies of relevant certificates to the Principal Investigator **on or before 02-12-2025** via the link given below. Only short-listed candidates will be intimated through email and they will have to attend the written test/ presentation & interview at their own cost. No TA/DA shall be paid to the candidates for attending the test and interview and the selected candidates have to join immediately.

Apply via <https://forms.gle/97WczEcvnzV9yDM66>



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