

**DST-SERB Core Research Grant (CRG) Project under the Principal Investigator
Dr. Pramod C., Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, University of Calicut**

NOTIFICATION FOR THE SELECTION OF JUNIOR RESEARCH FELLOW/PROJECT ASSOCIATE

Applications are invited from qualified candidates for the post of Junior Research Fellow/Project Associate (1 post) in the DST-SERB Core Research Grant (CRG) Project under the principal investigator Dr. Pramod C., Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, University of Calicut.

Post	Junior Research Fellow (JRF)/Project Associate	
No. of vacancies	1(One)	
Project Title	Structural and Aerodynamic characterization and biomimetic studies of winged diaspores of selected flowering plants of South India	
Funding Agency	DST-SERB, Govt. of India, New Delhi	
Duration of the Project	8 (Eight months)	
Upper age limit	31 years (Age relaxation as per DST, Govt. of India norms)	
Category	ETB	
Qualifications	Emoluments	HRA
Essential: Master's Degree in Plant Science/Applied Plant Science/Botany of the University of Calicut or Equivalent with minimum 60% marks in aggregate	Project Associate Rs. 30,000 per month (Consolidated)	20%
Desirable: (i) National Eligibility Tests – CSIR/UGC NET or Valid GATE Score or similar (ii) Research experience in Angiosperm Taxonomy (iii) Knowledge in fundamentals of physics/Statistics/Computer Science	Junior Research Fellow Rs. 37,000 per month (Consolidated)	20%

Communal reservation will be followed in accordance with the provisions of KS & SSR and Kerala Public Service Commission Manual.

“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.”

The post is purely temporary.

The JRF should work full time in the project and should not get salary from any other sources.

Selection will be based on the performance in the written test and interview.

Interested candidates may send their bio-data, along with email ID and copies of

relevant certificates to the Principal Investigator on or before 03.09.2026 by email or by post.

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