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Recruitment for the post of "Project Associate-I" under DST-SERB funded State University Research Excellence (SURE) project

Applications are invited from eligible Indian Nationals for purely temporary position of one (01) Project Associate-I in DST-SERB SURE, Govt. of India funded project entitled "Spatial Mapping and Modelling of Soil and Groundwater Pollution by Nitrate from Agricultural Fields in the Lower Ganga Delta of West Bengal" (File Number: SUR/2022/002964) in the research group of Dr. Aznarul Islam, Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, Aliah University, Kolkata. Selection will be done through an interview process after receiving the applications from eligible candidates.

Duration: Initially for a period of 1 year, extendable up to completion of the project depending on the satisfactory performance of the incumbent. The post is purely temporary and subject to availability of annual fund.

Fellowship: Rs.31,000/month (Consolidated)

Eligibility Criteria

a. Essential

- (i)First class M.A./M.Sc. degree or equivalent in Geography/Geology/Remote Sensing/ Geoinformatics/Chemistry/ Agricultural Sciences/ any related disciplines from a recognized university/institute.
- (ii)Upper age limit- 35 years as on closing date of advertisement.

b. Desirable

- (i)PhD/UGC NET/CSIR NET/SET in the concerned discipline
- (ii)Adequate knowledge in English Language, Soil and Groundwater Nitrate measurement, Programming language and handling GIS software

Work Description: Project Associate-I should assist in handling the project works including field visits, data collection, data processing and other project related works. Candidates should be highly motivated and demonstrate a flair for team work along with commitment and sincerity at the workplace.

Application procedure: Applicant has to send a cover letter, detailed CV along with self-attested testimonials (all documents scanned in single pdf) in support of age, qualifications and experience (if any) to the Dr. Aznarul Islam, PI of the project via email (*aznarul.geog@aliah.ac.in*). Please put the subject of the email: **Application for Project Associate-I under SERB SURE, Govt. of India funded research project** on or before **08.12.2023** (**5:00 PM**). Only shortlisted applicants will receive an e-mail at a later date for appearing the interview. They are requested to appear with interview call letter, original testimonials and one set of self-attested hard copy of all the relevant documents.

No TA / DA will be paid for attending the interview.

Other Terms and Conditions

- i) The decision of the selection committee will be final.
- ii) The selected candidate will have to join duty immediately upon receiving the offer letter.
- iii) The fellowship may be terminated with a 30-day notice before completing the tenure if performance to date is not deemed satisfactory.