

Advt. No. (No. WII/KR/PROJECTS/STAFF/2017-18)

Recruitment of Project Associates (02) and Project Fellows (02) for Tiger Recovery and Movement Ecology Projects

The Wildlife Institute of India (WII) is a premier autonomous Institute under the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Government of India, in the field of wildlife research, training, and management. The WII wishes to engage 02 Project Associates and 02 Project Fellows for the following projects.

The EQ, DQ and other details of the positions are provided below:

Post Code	Name of the Project	Number of Positions &Monthly Emoluments	Essential Qualification (EQ)	Desirable Qualification (DQ)
BTR101	Augmentation and Long-term Monitoring of Tiger in Buxa Tiger Reserve, West Bengal	01 Project Associate (Rs. 40,000 + admissible allowances)	Professional Degree in Biotechnology and Veterinary Science with 03 years of research and teaching experience OR Ph.D. Degree in Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Life Science/ Biological work Sciences/ from a professional sciences/ science/ professional professional sciences/ science in Richard Control of the Richard Control	Experience with proven record/publications in (a) Genetic characterization of large carnivores, (b) Endocrinology of mammals, (c) Species recovery strategies, (d) Chemical immobilization of wildlife species, and (e) project supervision and management.
STR102	Augmentation and Recovery of Tiger Population in Satkosia Tiger Reserve, Odisha	01 Project Associate (Rs. 40,000 + admissible allowances)		
NBC103	Movement Ecology of Tiger (Panthera tigris) for Conflict Prediction and Landscape Management in Sathyamangalam-Nilgiri Biosphere Complex, Southern India	02 Project Fellows (Rs.25,000 + admissible allowances)	Masters' Degree in Wildlife Science/ Botany/ Zoology/ Forestry/ Life Science/ Agriculture/ Environmental Sciences/ Biological Sciences/ Veterinary Science/ Geography/ Geoinformatics/ Social Sciences/ Statistics/ Commerce/ from a recognized university.	Domain knowledge and field experience in movement ecology of carnivores involving telemetry, and experiences in Camera trapping; Distance sampling; humancarnivore conflicts, and spatial analyses and predictive modelling involving RS and GIS tools.

APPLICATION PROCESS

- Duly filled application in the prescribed format should be sent on or before 05th May 2018 by email to nocp@wii.gov.in and levl@wii.gov.in with SUBJECT as Post Code. i.e. if applicant is applying for Project Associate (BTR101) then he/she has to mention BTR101 in Subject line of email Application NOT in the prescribed format will be rejected.
- 2. The <u>Application Form (Download here)</u> in PDF format can be filled with Adobe Reader. [Applicants can get a free copy of Adobe Reader DC from this link https://get.adobe.com/reader/?promoid=KSWLH]. After completion of filling the form, applicants should save and send the attachment with the file name of the applicant's name i.e. if the applicant's name is ARVIND RANJAN, the file name should be saved as ARVIND RANJAN.pdf.
- 3. The application should be sent from same email address that has been provided in the application form.
- 4. A passport size photograph (of less than 500kb) should also be sent along with the filled application form and with filename as applicant name.

SELECTION PROCESS

- 1. A multiple-choice (General Awareness and Life Sciences) and essay written examination (biology and management of carnivores) of one-hour duration will be conducted at Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun on 14th May 2018. The candidates should report at 09:30 hrs with original application form along with relevant documents, and self-attested copies of education qualifications, research experience, along with certificate of extracurricular activities, date of birth, consolidated mark sheets, community certificate, etc.
- 2. An expert panel consisting of internal and external members would interview the short-listed candidates on 15th May 2018 (for Project Fellows) and on 16th May 2018 (for Project Associates) from 10:00 hrs onwards.
- 3. Based on combined merit (academic relevance and accomplishments, experience, written examination and interview), the candidates will be selected.

GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

- 1. Age limit, as on 05th May 2018, shall not exceed 28 years for the position of Project Fellows and 34 years for the position of Project Associates, but may be relaxed up to 5 years for the candidate(s) belonging to SC/ST/OBC categories.
- 2. At the time of the verification of original documents, if it is found that an attempt has been made by the applicant to wilfully conceal, misrepresent, or canvass the facts, the candidature of such applicant will not be considered and he/she will not be allowed to appear for the interview.
- 3. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the written examination and interview.
- 4. The Director WII, reserves the right to reject any candidature in view of incomplete information provided by the candidate or for any other reason thereof.

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