

INSTITUTE FOR STEM CELL SCIENCE AND REGENERATIVE MEDICINE
(an Autonomous Institute of the Department of Biotechnology, Govt. of India)
GKVK Campus, Bellary Road, Bangalore-560065

Advertisement No. inStem-C/02/2022

The Institute for Stem Cell Science and Regenerative Medicine (DBT-inStem), Bangalore is advertising an appointment based at the Centre for Stem Cell Research (CSCR-www.cscr.in), the translational unit of inStem, located in the Christian Medical College, Bagayam Campus, Vellore Tamil Nadu in the Scientific Cadre for Scientist-E on Direct Recruitment failing which by Deputation/ Absorption.

Mode of Applications: Only online applications will be accepted. Applications received through any other mode shall stand rejected automatically.

Sl. No.	Post Code	Name of the Post	Level in Pay Matrix (as per 7 th CPC)	No. of Post (s)	Category
1	04/22	Reader/Assistant Professor/Assistant Investigator (Scientist-E)	Level-13	1	UR

Important Note: The Institute reserves the right to withdraw/cancel the advertisement at any stage of recruitment process and may keep the advertised vacancy unfilled. No correspondence will be entertained in this regard.

About the Post: Position: Scientist E – 1 Post– UR Category

The major focus of research at CSCR is towards developing cell and gene therapy for application. Applications must include a CV and a well-articulated research plan that closely aligns and synergizes with ongoing research activities at the CSCR. Experience in translational research in viral / non-viral nucleic acid transfer / modification of human and mouse cells with special focus on haematopoietic stem / immune cells including transplantation studies is essential. The incumbent is expected to work in close collaboration with other researchers in these domains in CSCR. The research plan must be accompanied by a cover letter articulating the same and indicating the position and advertisement number. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Applicants are encouraged to engage with the head of CSCR for the articulation of their research plans. Direct alignment of the applicant's research program with the overall trajectory at CSCR is a key criterion for shortlisting. Initial support is provided by Investigators are expected to apply for grant funding.

Compensation / Pay Details:

The post carries the Pay Level-13 (Starting Basic Pay of ₹1,23,100/-) in the pay structure of 7th CPC Pay Matrix and other benefits which include Dearness Allowance, House Rent Allowance (in lieu of accommodation), Transport Allowance, Children Education Allowance, Leave Travel

Concession, Medical Facilities as per Govt. of India Rules as applicable at Vellore, Tamil Nadu. The selected candidate will be covered under National Pension System (NPS).

Eligibility Criteria: Essential Educational Qualifications and Experience required for the post are as under: -

Post Code	Post Name	Educational qualification & experience requirements
04/22	Reader/Assistant Professor/Assistant Investigator (Scientist-E)- Pay level-13	<p>Essential Qualification & Experience PhD in life sciences or other Allied Sciences or Equivalent with 8 years R & D experience including PhD, demonstrated by strong publications and successful funding of competitive extramural grants.</p> <p>Should be an outstanding scientist with a strong and exceptional research record with independent discovery research and collaborative/thematic research of a high order. Should have a strong research record with promise to contribute to the focused research theme at the Centre and/or carry out their own discovery driven research.</p> <p>Experience for Deputation: Scientists from Central/State Governments, Research Institutes, Autonomous Bodies etc.</p> <p>(i) Holding analogous post on regular basis in parent Departmentor</p> <p>(ii) With 4 years' service in Level 12 or equivalent in the parentcadre/ Department and possess the essential qualification & experience as mentioned above.</p>

Note:

- (i) DBT-inStem is a premier organization under the Department of Biotechnology, Government of India and its mandate is world class research. The institute is looking for Applicants with requisite capabilities, skills, qualifications, aptitude, merit and suitability to fulfil the institute's objectives. Merely meeting minimum eligibility criteria will not automatically entitle a candidate to be called for assessment. The prospective applicants should align with the requirements of a scientific and research institute and willing to work in a competitive environment with full enthusiasm and dedication.
- (ii) It may be noted that candidature will remain provisional till the veracity of the concerned documents are verified by the Appointing Authority.
- (iii) Qualification and experience in the relevant field alone will be considered

Age limit: Not exceeding 50 years for Direct Recruitment and 55 years for Deputation

Nationality: Indian National/NRI/PIO/OCI

Procedure for application for those who are already in Govt. Employment/PSUs/Autonomous Bodies etc.: Candidates employed in Government/ Public Sector Undertakings/ State Government/ Autonomous Organizations etc. and Departmental Candidates should produce No Objection Certificate (NOC) from the present employer at the time of Interview, failing which the candidate will not be allowed to appear in the Interview.

Eligibility Criteria: All eligibility conditions will be determined with reference to the crucial date of eligibility as mentioned in this advertisement.

Application Fee (only online):

Unreserved & OBC candidates	₹ 500/-
Unreserved & OBC candidates from abroad with OCI Status	USD \$ 30

Exemption from Payment of Application Fee: As per the prevailing guidelines of Government of India of (i) SC/ST community (ii) Women and PwD category of any community are exempted from Application Fees. Supporting certificates should be uploaded for SC/ST & PwD candidates.

Payment of Application Fee: Fee for other than exempted categories application fee is to be paid online through Credit Card/Debit Card/Net Banking/UPI. Application Fee paid by the candidates who have not submitted their application or whose application is not shortlisted will not be refunded. All applicable service charges, bank charges etc. shall be borne by the applicants only. Without deposit of application fees, the application would not be processed. Kindly refer to the below link for the payment options.

After remitting the application fees to the bank account or through QR code/UPI ID using the information available in link given below, the payment reference number is to be mentioned in the online application form <https://www.instem.res.in/facultypositions/payment-options>

Important Dates:

Publishing of Advertisement in Employment News (E - Edition)	16.04.2022
Publishing of Advertisement in Local/National News papers	16.04.2022
Publishing of Advertisement on website	23.03.2022
Last date for receipt of online application	30.06.2022

How to Apply:

To apply for the position, interested candidates may log into inStem website – Careers-- Faculty positions (<https://www.instem.res.in/faculty-positions>). The applicant needs to fill the online application form and upload the following on the application portal: (i) Updated CV

(ii) Research statement with a cover letter framed to highlight the alignment with activities at CSCR. This may be done following discussion with the head of CSCR and/or based on the statement on the website;

(iii) Contact details of eight (8) referees, known to the applicant in their professional capacity. Sections (i) – (iii) may be submitted as a single document **General Conditions:**

1. Incomplete applications shall be summarily rejected and no correspondence in this regard shall be entertained.
2. Candidates must ensure that he/she fulfils the eligibility criteria as stipulated in the advertisement.
3. All eligibility conditions will be determined with reference to the crucial date of eligibility i.e., the closing date of receipt of applications.
4. Candidates are advised to keep a printout of the application form.
5. Any amendment related to this recruitment shall be made available only on the Institute's website.
6. Candidates are required to assess their eligibility for the post before remitting the fee. No claim on refund of fee paid will be entertained.
7. Any resultant dispute arising out of this advertisement shall be subject to the sole jurisdiction of the Courts situated at Bengaluru only

Further updates/information related to this recruitment exercise shall only be made available on the Institute's website.

Contact Us:

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Women candidates fulfilling the eligibility conditions are encouraged to apply