

F. No. 1(10)/ 2017 NAHEP  
Indian Council of Agricultural Research  
National Agricultural Higher Education Project  
Krishi Anusandhan Bhawan-II, Pusa, New Delhi 110012

**Notification for engagement of Research Associates and Senior Research Fellows under National Agricultural Higher Education Project (NAHEP)**

Applications are invited for walk-in-interview for engagement of Research Associates and Senior Research Fellows under the NAHEP project under ICAR.

**Details of vacancies:**

Category – A : Research Associate (RA) in Agriculture – 05 Nos.

Category – B : Senior Research Fellow (SRF) in Agriculture – 04 Nos.

Category – C : Senior Research Fellow (SRF) in Computer Application – 03 Nos.

**Place of posting:** Project Implementation Unit (PIU), National Agricultural Higher Education Project, Krishi Anusandhan Bhawan-II, Pusa, ICAR, New Delhi -110012.

**Eligibility criteria:-**

**A. Research Associate**

**Essential:** Ph. D. in Agriculture (Agri. Economics/ Agri. Engg./ Agri. Extension./ Agri. Statistics/ Horticulture).

Or

M.sc degree in Agriculture (Agri. Economics/ Agri. Engg./ Agri. Extension./ Agri. Statistics/ Horticulture) having 1<sup>st</sup> Division or 60 % marks or equivalent overall grade point average, with at least two years of research experience as evidenced from Fellowship/Associateship / Training / other engagements as circulated vide ICAR Circular No. F. No. Edn./6/27/2014/HRD dt. 09-10-2015 and 13-10-2015.

**Desirable:** (i) Published research papers (ii) Experience in data organization/ management (iii) Working knowledge / skills in Computer / IT related field.

**B. Senior Research Fellow (SRF) Agriculture :**

**Essential:-** M.Sc. degree in Agriculture (Agri. Economics/ Agri. Engg./ Agri. Extension./ Agri. Statistics/ Horticulture) as circulated vide ICAR Circular F. No. Edn/6/27/2014/HRD dt. 09-10-2015 and 13-10-2015.

**Desirable:** - Knowledge in computer applications, data organization/ management/report writing.

**C. Senior Research Fellow (SRF) Computer Application :**

**Educational Qualifications:** 1. 1<sup>st</sup> class degree in M. Tech/ M.E. in Computer Science/ MCA/ M. Sc. in Computer Science or IT on a regular basis from a recognized university with B. Sc. (Computer/ IT/ Maths/ Statistics). 2. Evidence of at least two-year experience in IT field.

**Desirable:** 1.Experience in designing, developing, supporting, securing and maintaining the project web site/portal, developing software and use of computers for information Management especially Database Management and net based applications. 2. Experience in reports preparation and other documents preparation.

**Emoluments:**

**Research Associate (RA):**

- (i) For RA with Ph. D. (i) Rs. 40,000 per month + HRA.
- (ii) RA with Master's degree holder Rs. 38,000 per month + HRA.

**Senior Research Fellow (SRF)**

- (i) For 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Year : Rs. 25,000 per month + HRA
- (ii) For 3<sup>rd</sup> year onwards : Rs. 28,000 per month + HRA

The above revised emoluments are subject to eligibility as laid out in Office Memorandum F. No Edn./6/27/2014/HRD dated 13<sup>th</sup> July 2015, issued by Agricultural Education Division of Indian Council of Agricultural Research. Candidates not meeting these requirements will not be eligible for revised emoluments.

Age Limit: Upper Age Limit for Research Associate is 40 years and the upper age limit for SRF is 35 years on the date of interview (5 years relaxation for SC/ST/women candidates and 3 years for OBC candidates as on date of interview). Along with the application, Bio-Data, SC/ST/OBC certificate (wherever applicable) duly attested is to be submitted.

Interested candidates can attend the walk-in-interview as per the following schedule at PIU NAHEP Office, Fifth Floor, Krishi Anusandhan Bhawan – II, Pusa, New Delhi.

RA in Agriculture – 05.12.2017 at 10.00 AM

SRF in Agriculture – 06.12.2017 at 10.00 AM

SRF in Computer Application- 07.12.2017 at 10.00 AM

**Terms & Conditions:**

1. The appointments will be on contractual basis and co-terminus with the project, and the incumbent shall not have any claim for regular appointment under ICAR.
2. The candidate must bring one set of their complete bio data with self-attested copies of the testimonials and age proof with a passport size photograph along with all original certificates of all required certificates from matriculation onwards and experience certificate in original (if any ) with them.
3. Concealing of facts or canvassing in any form shall lead to disqualification of the candidature or termination even after appointment.
4. The period of appointment of RA and SRF will be initially for a period of one year and is likely to be extended further on yearly basis subject to satisfactory performance of the candidate.
5. The appointments may be terminated at any time without notice or assigning any reason thereof. The RA/SRF may also leave the assignment, on their own volition, by giving one month notice. At the end of the contracted period, the

RA/SRF will have no right to claim any employment or engagement in the ICAR.

6. No TA/DA will be paid for appearing in interview.
7. Candidates fulfilling the essential Qualification only need to attend the walk-in Interview.
8. The selected candidates will be required to undergo medical examination as per the rules for ensuring their physical fitness before appointment.
9. The candidates are required to submit the application as per the format annexed (ANNEXURE-I) duly signed.

**Annexure: I**

**Application Form for Engagement of Research Associates /Senior Research Fellows under the NAHEP**

1.	Post applied for put[✓]	RA / SRF	Photo to be pasted here					
2.	Full Name (in Block letters)							
3.	Father's / Husband Name							
4.	Gender [✓]	Male / Female						
5.	Date of Birth							
6.	Age as on 30.11.2017							
7.	Marital Status							
8.	Mobile Number							
9.	E-Mail Address							
10.	Correspondence Address(with pin Code)							
11.	Permanent Address							
12.	Whether belongs to SC/ST/OBC/General							
13.	Subject specialization : [✓]							
14.	<b>S. No</b>	<b>Name of degree</b>	<b>Board/ University</b>	<b>Year of passing</b>	<b>Duration of Course(in Years)</b>	<b>Max. Marks</b>	<b>Marks Obtained</b>	<b>Marks /Percentage OGPA</b>

	1.	10 <sup>th</sup> Class equivalent						
	2.	10+2/Higher Secondary equivalent						
	3.	Bachelor's Degree						
	4.	Master's Degree						
	5.	Ph. D.						
	6.	Others (Specify)						
15.	Are you NET Qualified?	<b>Yes/No</b> IF yes, which of the following. (✓) 1. ASRB- NET 2. CSIR-NET 3. UGC- NET 4. MHRD- GATE 5. DBT- Biotechnology Eligibility Test 7 Test Conducted in Bioinformatics by Bioinformatics National Consortium 6. ICMR- JRF Entrance Exam 7. ICAR JRF Entrance Exam 8. Dop – GPAT 9. DAE-JEST & JGEEBILS, NBHM						
16.	Work experience :							
	S. No	Designation	Name of employer	Period		No. of years/ month		
				From	To			
	1.							
	2.							
	3.							
17.	Publications (Number only): 1. Published papers in Journals 2. Chapters published in Book: 3. Books Published :							
18.	Present employment details							
19.	Additional Information, if any							

The Information given above by me are true to the best of my Knowledge and belief. If any information is being found false, my candidature/ Services, if selected, may be terminated without any notice.

Date:

Signature of Applicant