



PONNAIYAH RAMAJAYAM INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY [PRIST]
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Advertisement for JRF position

Applications are invited for a Junior Research Fellow (JRF) position under DBT sponsored Research Project (BT/PR29159/FCB/125/9/2018).

Project Title: Reassessment of population status, *In vitro* propagation and Restoration of three Endemic and Endangered Rudraksha trees (*Elaeocarpus spp.*) of Western Ghats -[BT/PR29159/FCB/125/9/2018]

Eligibility: First class M.Sc., in Biotechnology/Botany/Plant Science/Applied Biology-Botany/Plant Biotechnology. The candidates who have qualified CSIR-JRF/NET (LS) will be preferred. Candidates having prior research experience of more than 1 year in Industry/Academia will also be preferred.

Desirable: Hands on training experience in different types of plant tissue culture techniques.

Fellowship: For NET qualified candidates monthly fellowship of Rs. 25,000 plus Rs.2,500 (HRA- 10% of the fellowship for 1st and 2nd year. Based on the performance JRF shall be promoted to SRF in the 3rd year and will be paid monthly fellowship of Rs. 28,000 plus Rs.2,800 (HRA- 10% of the Fellowship).

Project duration: Three years.

Age limit: 28 years or below till last date of application.

Last date to apply: 6th March 2019

How to apply: Interested candidates are requested to submit/post a detailed CV to **Dr. ARJUN PANDIAN (Principal Investigator)**, Assistant Professor, Department of Biotechnology, Centre for Research and Development, PRIST Deemed University, Vallam, Thanjavur – 613 403 **on or before 6th March 2019**. The CV can also be send by email to arjungri@gmail.com

Interview date: 7th March 2019

Registration for Ph.D.: Selected candidate shall register for full time Ph.D. programme at PRIST Deemed University, Thanjavur.

Dr. ARJUN PANDIAN