

## **Advertisement No.: 38/2025**

### **Recruitment for the post of “Junior Research Fellow /Project Associate-I” under ANRF, Govt. of India funded project**

Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER) Tirupati is a premier autonomous Institution established by the Ministry of Education, Government of India, for the promotion of high-quality science education and research in the country.

The Institute invites applications from Indian nationals for the following position on purely contract basis:

<b>Name of the post</b>	<b>Junior Research Fellow/Project Associate-I</b>
<b>Title of the Project</b>	<b>A Quantitative Study of the Deep Geological Structure and Stress Patterns of the Lithosphere Beneath Northeast India and the Bengal Basin: Developing the Understanding of the Origins of Devastating Earthquakes</b>
<b>Funding Agency</b>	ANRF, Govt. of India
<b>Principal Investigator</b>	<b>Dr. Utpal Saikia</b>
<b>Project Code</b>	<b>30225214</b>
<b>Minimum qualifications</b>	<b><u>Essential:</u></b> Master degree in Geophysics/Geology/Physics with minimum of 55% marks <b><u>Desirable:</u></b> Experience in handling of seismological data is an advantage. Candidates who have submitted MSc /BSMS thesis and awaiting award of degree may also apply.
<b>Fellowship</b>	(i) INR 37,000/- + 9% HRA to Scholars who are selected through • National Eligibility Tests - CSIR-UGC NET including Lectureship (Assistant Professorship) or DST Inspire or GATE <b>(OR)</b> • A selection process through National level examinations conducted by Central Government Departments and their Agencies and Institutions (ii) Rs. 30,000/- + 9% HRA per month. (For others who do not fall under (i) above.
<b>No. of post</b>	<b>One</b>
<b>Tenure</b>	The initial offer will be for one year and renewable for another two-year subject to satisfactory performance. The position is temporary and co-terminus with the project.
<b>Age</b>	Not more than 35 years as on closing date of advertisement.
<b>Last date</b>	<b>5.00 P.M. on August 14, 2025</b>

**HOW TO APPLY: -**

1. Interested candidates should send the application by email in the prescribed format available below this advertisement (convert into PDF Format) to [utpal@labs.iisertirupati.ac.in](mailto:utpal@labs.iisertirupati.ac.in) i.e., **5.00 P.M. on August 14, 2025** on or before the last date. No other mode of application will be accepted. Please mention the name of the Post and Post Code (Junior Research Fellow /Project Associate I: **38/2025**) in the subject line of the email.

**Note: (Sending only resumes/CV by email will not be considered as complete application).**

2. List of shortlisted candidates for further selection process will be notified through email only. Therefore, please mention your active Mobile Number and Email ID in the application form.
3. Recent passport-size photographs and photocopies of relevant certificates and other testimonials in support of age, qualification, experience, etc. will be collected at an appropriate stage.
4. The applicant will be responsible for the authenticity of information submitted/ documents and photographs. It is the responsibility of the candidate to assess his / her own eligibility for the post(s) for which he/she is appearing in accordance with this advertisement. If it is detected at any time in the future, during the process of selection or even after the appointment that the candidate was not eligible as per the prescribed eligibility criteria in this advertisement, which could not be detected at the time of selection for whatsoever reason, his/her candidature/appointment shall be liable to be cancelled/terminated immediately.

**GENERAL INFORMATION / DETAILS ABOUT THE POST**

1. The appointment is purely temporary and will terminate automatically without any notice or compensation on termination of the research project.
2. The appointed person shall have no claim of appointment/absorption in the Funding Agency or in IISER Tirupati.
3. Appointment of the applicant will be governed by the terms and conditions of the funding agency particularly applicable to the said project.
4. The qualification prescribed should have been obtained from recognized Universities / Institutions.
5. The prescribed educational qualifications are the bare minimum and mere possession of same does not entitle candidates to be called for interview. Where the number of applications received in response to this advertisement is large, it will not be convenient or possible to interview all the candidates. Based on the recommendations of the Screening Committee, the Project Leader may restrict the number of candidates for the interview to a reasonable limit after taking into consideration the qualifications and experience over and above the minimum prescribed in the advertisement. Therefore, it will be in the interest of the candidates, to mention all the qualifications and experience in the relevant field at the time of applying.

6. No TA/DA will be admissible for appearing for the interview.
7. The number of posts indicated may increase or decrease as per the Institute requirement.
8. Selected candidates will have to join duty immediately on receipt of the offer.
9. No interim enquiries/correspondence/communication of any sort will be entertained on the matter.
10. Canvassing in any form and/or bringing any influence, political, or otherwise, will be treated as a disqualification for the post applied for.
11. Candidates selected for this position can also apply for the regular PhD program of IISER Tirupati, provided they satisfy the eligibility criteria.

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**Registrar (i/c)**