



**DIVISION OF SOIL SCIENCE & AGRICULTURAL CHEMISTRY**  
**ICAR-INDIAN AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE, NEW DELHI-12**



No.12-1/21-22/SS&AC

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**ONLINE INTERVIEW**

Applications are invited to attend the "Interview (online)" for the position of Senior Research Fellows (SRFs) in the following projects at the Division of Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry (SS&AC), ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute (ICAR-IARI), New Delhi as mentioned below.

Owing to the prevailing COVID-19 crisis, the eligible candidates are requested to send their application in the enclosed proforma (Annexure I) along with scanned copy of the original documents (as a single PDF file) through email to [soilhealth.ssac04@gmail.com](mailto:soilhealth.ssac04@gmail.com) by **September 25, 2021**. After screening the applications, the eligible candidates will be informed for further details regarding interview by email or over phone. Original documents will be verified at the time of appointment. If any candidate is found to have submitted false claims at later stage, their candidature will be summarily rejected.

Virtual interview will be held in the Division of SS&AC, ICAR-IARI, New Delhi on **October 04, 2021 at 10.00 AM onwards**. Details of the projects are given below:

S No.	Position	No of Post	Emoluments	Essential qualification
<b>1. Project Name: All India Coordinated Research Project on Long Term Fertilizer Experiments, Delhi Center</b>				
1.	Senior Research Fellow	One	Rs. 31000/-month + HRA (As per ICAR memorandum F. No. Ag. Edn./6/27/2014/H RD Dated 30.07.2019)	M.Sc. in Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry/Soil Science/ Agronomy  Candidates having post graduate degree in Basic Sciences with 3 years Bachelor's degree and 2 years Master's degree should have NET qualification.  <i>Desirable:</i> Knowledge of soil and plant analysis, and computer handling. Work experience on conducting field trials.

**2. Project Name: Effect of seaweed extract based growth promoter on crop productivity and soil health**

2.	Senior Research Fellow	One	Rs. 31000/-month + HRA (As per ICAR memorandum F. No. Ag. Edn./6/27/2014/H RD Dated 30.07.2019)	M.Sc. in Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry/Soil Science/ Agronomy Candidates having post graduate degree in Basic Sciences with 3 years Bachelor's degree and 2 years Master's degree should have NET qualification. <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of soil and plant analysis, and computer handling. Work experience on conducting field trials.
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**3. Name of Project: Risk assessment of metals and metalloids in water-soil-plant continuum under basmati growing areas of Northern India**

3.	Senior Research Fellow	One	Rs. 31000/-month + HRA (As per ICAR memorandum F. No. Ag. Edn./6/27/2014/H RD Dated 30.07.2019)	Master's Degree in Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry/Soil Science/ Environmental Sciences/ Agronomy/ Geo-informatics and remote sensing with 2 years experience in Geo-informatics/ Chemistry/ with 4 years / 5 years of Bachelor's degree. Candidates having post graduate degree in Basic Sciences with 3 years Bachelor's degree and 2 years Master's degree should have NET qualification. <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of soil, water and plant analysis for micronutrients, metals and metalloids; and computer handling. Work experience on GIS softwares and GPS mapping
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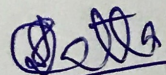
**4. Name of Project: "Effect of nano-fertilizer application on nutrient use efficiency and soil health under maize-wheat and pearl millet-mustard cropping systems"**

4.	Senior Research Fellow	One	Rs. 31000/-month + HRA (As per ICAR memorandum F. No. Ag. Edn./6/27/2014/H RD Dated 30.07.2019)	M.Sc. in Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry/Soil Science/ Agronomy Candidates having post graduate degree in Basic Sciences with 3 years Bachelor's degree and 2 years Master's degree should have NET qualification. <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of soil and plant analysis, and computer handling. Work experience on conducting field trials.
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### Terms & Conditions

1. The above positions is purely temporary and will be filled on contractual basis. The post is co-terminus with the project, and will be offered initially for a period of one year or till termination of the project whichever is earlier and further extendable based on satisfactory performance for the remaining period of the project.
2. The candidate age should be minimum 18 years, maximum 35 years for SRF as on the closing date of the application, age relaxation of 5 years for SC/ST/Women & 3 years for OBC, is applicable as per Govt. of India/DST/ICAR Rules.
3. Selected candidate will not be entitled to claim for regular appointments/absorption either in this institute or in ICAR. Non-maintenance of the discipline and failure to perform the assigned duties will make the RA/SRF/PA liable for termination during the appointment period as per ICAR rules.
4. Candidates should bring their complete bio-data, duly self-attested certificates and mark sheets (From Class X onwards), experience certificate and no objection certificate from their current employer at the time of appointment. Only the candidates having essential qualifications would be selected for the interview. For virtual interview process, shortlisted candidates will be informed via email or phone regarding terms and conditions of selection and mode of interaction.
5. Candidates whose near/distant relative(s) is an employee of the ICAR/IARI, has to declare it and communicate this office as per format given below. Such declaration must reach to the undersigned through e-mail to [soilhealth.ssac04@gmail.com](mailto:soilhealth.ssac04@gmail.com) on or before **September 25, 2021**. If communicated or declared on the date of interview, candidate will not be interviewed. Candidates having no near/ distant relative(s) working at ICAR/ IARI will also furnish a declaration (format given below) on or before the date of interview.
6. Canvassing in any form will disqualify the candidature.
7. Candidates interested may contact on **09013025469** for further details.
8. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.

\*For more details, Please visit our website: [www.iari.res.in](http://www.iari.res.in)



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Application Format

Application for the post of SRF in the Project entitled " \_\_\_\_\_

1.	Full Name (In Block letters)		<b>Attested Passport size photograph</b>
2.	Father's Name		
3.	Date of Birth (DD/MM/YY)		
4.	Age as on date of interview		
5.	Address with pin code		
	a. Permanent address		
	b. For communication		
6.	Mobile No.		
7.	E-mail Address		
8.	Sex		
9.	Marital status		
10.	Whether belongs to		
	SC/ST/OBC/General		

11. Details of Educational Qualification from 10<sup>th</sup> onwards

Degree	Board/Univer sity	Year of passing	Maximum marks	Marks obtained	Percentage

12. Details of working/professional Experience, if any (include experience of one year and above only)

S. No	Position held	Employer	Period (from)	Period (to)	Total experience

13. Details of publications (only published/accepted **research papers, please do not include** the publication that have been submitted, symposia papers, book chapters, review paper, popular article in magazine or journal etc.)

14. No objection certificate from present employer, if applicable

15. Additional information like brief note on how they can contribute to the present project, professional achievements, if any

16. Self-declaration regarding truthfulness in application

#### **DECLARATION**

I do hereby declare that all the statements made in this application are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand and agree that in the event of any information being found false/ incorrect/ incomplete or ineligibility being detected at any time before or after interview/ selection, my candidature/ appointment may be cancelled or is liable to be rejected without any notice.

Date & Place:

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Signature

**DECLARATION**

**(To be submitted in advance by candidates whose relative(s) is an employee of ICAR/IARI; other candidates will furnish it at the time of interview)**

I....., declare that none of my near or distant relative(s) is an employee of the Indian Council of Agricultural research (ICAR)/ Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI), New Delhi, India.

Or

I.....declare that I am related to the following individual (s) employed in ICAR/IARI, New Delhi, whose name(s), designation, nature of duties and relationship with me is furnished below.

Name:

Designation:

Institute/Organization:

Nature of duties:

In the event of the above-cited information is found to be incorrect or concealing any facts, my candidature to the interview/ selection to the post is liable to be cancelled.

**Date and Place Signature.....**

**Full Name of the Candidate.....**