



**भारतीय वन्यजीव संस्थान**  
**Wildlife Institute of India**

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The Wildlife Institute of India (WII) is an internationally acclaimed Institution that offers a training program for government and non-government personnel, academic courses, and wildlife research and management advisory. The Institute is actively engaged in research across the breadth of the country on biodiversity-related issues.

WII, invites applications from **INDIAN NATIONALS** for **06 contractual positions** of research personnel under **03** research projects of the Institute.

The period of contractual engagement, EQ, DQ, Age, Monthly Emoluments, and other details of the aforementioned positions are provided below:

Name and Number of the Position	Component(s)	Duration	Qualifications	Description of Work	Monthly Emoluments	Upper age limit Age
<b>1. PROJECT TITLE: Cumulative Environment Impact Assessment on wildlife habitat and ecological values due to proposed doubling of railway track from Tinaighat to Kulem in the Northern Western Ghats.</b>						
<b>Project Associate – I</b> No of positions: <b>Three (03)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Ecology</li> <li>▪ Botany</li> <li>▪ Herpetology</li> </ul>	<b>Six (06) Months</b>	<p><b>Essential Qualification:</b> Masters's Degree in Wildlife Science/ Botany/ Zoology/ Forestry/ Life Science/ Agriculture/ Environmental Sciences with a minimum of 60% aggregate marks from a recognized University.</p> <p><b>Desired Qualifications:</b> Candidate(s) with prior experience in camera trapping, vegetation sampling, and herpetofauna surveys will be preferred. GIS, GPS, statistical analysis, and report writing knowledge is desirable. Should be able to undertake arduous field work in dense tropical forests of Western Ghats on hilly terrain even in monsoon.</p>	Conduct camera trapping, vegetation sampling, herpetofauna surveys, and misc. Field activities as required in the project. Candidates will also be required to analyze the data and write reports.	Rs. 31,000 + HRA	35
<b>Principal Project Associate</b> No of positions: <b>One (01)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Herpetology</li> </ul>	<b>Six (06) Months</b>	<p><b>Essential Qualification:</b> Masters's Degree in Wildlife Science/ Botany/ Zoology/ Forestry/ Life Science/ Agriculture/ Environmental Sciences with a minimum of 60% aggregate marks from a recognized University.</p> <p><b>AND</b>            8 years experience after master's degree with publications in peer-reviewed journals in relevant field.</p>	Conduct camera trapping, vegetation sampling, herpetofauna surveys, and misc. Field activities as required in the project. Candidates will also be required to analyze the data and write reports.	Rs. 49,000 + HRA	40

Name and Number of the Position	Component(s)	Duration	Qualifications	Description of Work	Monthly Emoluments	Upper age limit Age
			<p><b>OR</b></p> <p>Doctoral Degree in Wildlife Science/ Botany/ Zoology/ Forestry/ Life Science/ Agriculture/ Environmental Sciences from a recognized University.</p> <p><b>Desired Qualifications:</b> Candidate(s) with prior experience in camera trapping, vegetation sampling, and herpetofauna surveys will be preferred. GIS, GPS, statistical analysis, and report writing knowledge is desirable. Should be able to undertake arduous field work in dense tropical forests of Western Ghats on hilly terrain even in monsoon.</p>			
<b>2. PROJECT TITLE: Response to Anthropocene and climate change: Movement ecology of selected mammal species across the Himalayan region.</b>						
<p><b>Research Associate – I</b></p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p><b>Principal Project Associate</b></p> <p>No of positions: <b>One (01)</b></p>	<p><b>Ecology</b></p>	<p><b>One (01) Year</b></p>	<p><b>Essential Qualification:</b> <i>For Research Associate – I:</i> Doctoral Degree or Masters's Degree in Wildlife Science/ Botany/Zoology/ Forestry/ Life Science/ Agriculture/ Environmental Sciences from a recognized University.</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p><i>For Principal Project Associate:</i> Masters's Degree in Wildlife Science/ Botany/ Zoology/ Forestry/ Life Science/ Agriculture/ Environmental Sciences with a minimum of 60% aggregate marks from a recognized University.</p>	<p>The proposed project aims to study the movement ecology of selected mammal species with different ecological adaptations across the IHR. The selected mammal species are Pallas's cat (<i>Otocolobus manul</i>), Himalayan wolf (<i>Canis lupus</i>), and Himalayan marmot (<i>Marmota himalayana</i>). The work involves capturing and tagging target species and intensive monitoring in the harsh and rugged terrain of Ladakh, India.</p>	<p>Rs. 47,000 + HRA <i>(Research Associate-I)</i></p> <p>Rs. 49,000 + HRA <i>(Principal Project Associate)</i></p>	40

Name and Number of the Position	Component(s)	Duration	Qualifications	Description of Work	Monthly Emoluments	Upper age limit Age
<b>3. PROJECT TITLE: Ecology and Conservation Perspective of Fishing Cat (<i>Prionailurus viverrinus</i>) in EGREE, Andhra Pradesh.</b>						
<b>Project Associate – I</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Ecology</li> </ul>	<b>One (01) Year</b>	<p><b>Desired Qualifications:</b> Candidate(s) with prior experience in sampling design and animal abundance estimation are preferred. Prior experience in sampling using camera trapping, distance sampling, and radiotelemetry. Knowledge of GIS and GPS is desirable. Should be able to undertake arduous field work under rigorous conditions.</p> <p><b>Essential Qualification:</b> Master's Degree in Wildlife Science/ Botany/ Zoology/ Forestry/ Life Science/ Agriculture/ Environmental Sciences with a minimum of 60% aggregate marks from a recognized University.</p> <p><b>Desired Qualifications:</b> Candidate(s) with prior experience in population estimation using camera trapping and distance sampling. Hands-on experience in animal capture, tagging, and radiotelemetry will be preferred. Knowledge of GIS and GPS is desirable. Should be able to undertake arduous field work under rigorous conditions.</p>	The work involves understanding the ecology of the fishing cat in Andhra Pradesh. The project intends to use camera traps for the population estimation and radiotelemetry to understand	Rs. 31,000 + HRA	35
No of positions: <b>One (01)</b>						

## GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. Incomplete/late applications and applications not in the prescribed format are liable to be rejected.
2. To apply for the above positions, candidates must send **Hard Copy only** of the filled application form (Annexure-I) and self-attested copies of certificates, documents, and testimonials by **post/courier** to **Dr. Bilal Habib, Scientist-F, Dept. of Animal Ecology and Conservation Biology, Wildlife Institute of India, Chandrabani, Dehradun-248 001 (Uttarakhand), latest by 1700hrs on Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> May 2023.** Application should be superscripted with the title "**Application for the position of \_\_\_\_\_ in the Project \_\_\_\_\_ and Advertisement No. WII/AE&CB/BH/Recruitment/2023-01**" on the envelope.
3. Shortlisting of applications for an in-person interview will be based on essential qualification, age limit, NET/GATE qualification, percentage of marks in Bachelor and Master, specialization relevance in Masters, research experience (Publications, Paper Presented in Workshops/Seminars/Symposiums/Conferences), SOP and extracurricular activities (as per WII rules).
4. Mere fulfillment of the minimum advertised qualification and experience requirement DOES NOT automatically entitle an applicant to be called for an interview. The decision of the Institute in all matters relating to eligibility, acceptance, or rejection of the application and mode of selection will be final and binding on the candidates. No inquiry or correspondence will be entertained from any individual or agency.
5. A duly constituted Selection Committee will conduct all the recruitment process steps. However, if the Number of applications received for a particular post(s) is large, then Institute reserves the right to lay down any criteria to shortlist the candidates for interview
6. All original documents/certificates must be produced at the time of joining for necessary verification.
7. At the time of the verification of original documents or even after selection, if it is found that the applicant has attempted to wilfully conceal, misrepresent or canvass the facts, such applicant will not be considered for selection, and due action will be taken.
8. Relaxation in the upper age limit shall be allowed in accordance with the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel & Training) OM No. 15012/2/2010-Estt. (D) dated 27.03.2012, as amended from time to time. However, the categories of upper-age relaxations are as follows:
  - a. Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes up to 5 years.
  - b. Other Backward Class (OBC) up to 3 years.
9. The positions advertised are purely temporary/ contractual for the project period only. They will stand abolished after the completion of the project.
10. The Institute's rules and regulations govern the project's tenure.
11. After announcing the results, the candidate should join the project immediately.
12. The Director WII reserves the right to reject any candidature because of incomplete information provided by the candidate or for any other reason.

- *Registrar*  
**Wildlife Institute of India**

APPLICATION FORM FOR THE CONTRACTUAL POSITIONS AT  
WILDLIFE INSTITUTE OF INDIA, DEHRADUN

Recent passport  
size colour  
photograph of  
the candidate

**1. Personal Information:**

<b>a</b>	Post applied for and/or Serial Number, project name, advertisement No.		
<b>b</b>	Name of the applicant		
<b>c</b>	Current designation		
<b>d</b>	Caste (SC/ ST/ OBC)		
<b>e</b>	Current pay scale		
<b>f</b>	Father's/Husband's Name		
<b>g</b>	Date of birth ( <b>attach proof</b> )		
<b>h</b>	Contact details	Communication address	
		email	
		phone number	

**2. Educational qualifications (from Bachelor's Degree onwards). Attach self-attested copies of mark sheets and degree certificates:**

Degree/Diploma	Name of the Institution/ University	Passing year	Grade**/ Division	% of marks	Main subjects

**\*\*Please provide grade equivalence to the percentage of marks, if any.**

**3. Details of experience in relevant fields (Attach self-attested copies of experience letter/ certificate):**

Sl. No. #	Name of Institute/ Organization/ Department	Designation	Period		Monthly Emoluments drawn
			From	To	

**4. a) Details of Publications (please attach separate sheet if needed):**

<b>Category</b>	<b>Number</b>
(1) Peer-reviewed journal articles	
(2) Technical/ Research Reports	
(3) Books/ Book Chapters/ Manuals	
(4) Others	

**4. b) Details of Projects/ work experience (please attach separate sheet if needed):**

<b>#Sl. No. In Section 3</b>	<b>Projects</b>	<b>Nature of duties (Roles and responsibilities held by the applicant)</b>

**5. Professional/ Academic Referees (optional):**

*(Please provide the name, affiliation, designation, and contact details of 1-2 Referees)*

**6. Any other relevant information (optional):**

**Declaration by the Applicant**

I declare that all the particulars stated in the application and enclosures are accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature of Applicant)

Place:

Date:

List of attachments:

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