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The Wildlife Institute of India (WII) is an internationally acclaimed Institution that works towards strengthening wildlife conservation and management through capacity building, research, academics and advisory services. The institute is actively engaged in research across the breadth of the country on biodiversity-related issues. WII invites applications from INDIAN NATIONALS for 08 contractual positions of research/project personnel under various research projects. Duly filled-in Application-Form along with all self-attested documents and application/processing fee shall be addressed <u>By-post</u> only to The Nodal Officer, Research Recruitment & Placement Cell, Wildlife Institute of India, Chandrabani, Dehradun – 248 001 (Uttarakhand) and, the same must reach the Institute latest by 1700hrs on 12 September, 2024. The period of contractual term, EQ, DQ, Monthly Emoluments and other details of the advertised positions are given below:

1.				
Title of the Project	"Study on the Status, Habitat and conservation of Indian grey wolves and associated carnivores at Kappathagudda WLS and other forest in Gadag Division"			
Position Advertised	Project Associate I			
No. of Position(s)	Two (02)			
Monthly Emoluments	Rs. 31,000/- plus HRA			
Age Limit	35 years as on last date of receiving of application			
Project Duration	1 Years			
Essential Qualification(s)	Master's degree in Natural or Agricultural Science/MVSc or bachelor's degree in Engineering or Technology or Medicine from a recognized University or equivalent.			
Desirable Qualification(s)	Good skills in analysis of data in Occupancy, Distance and other multivariate analysis Good skills in spatial analysis of data with GIS Excellent writing skills Knowledge of the local language will be an added advantage			
Description of Work	Extensive status and population surveys for Indian Wolf and other species in arid landscapes			
Responsibilities	Will be involved with a team in regular field data collection, database generation for geo-spatial modelling and report writing. Assist Project Associate and PIs for implementing project mandate.			
2.				

Title of the Project	Development of Integrated Landscape Management Plan and Monitoring Strategies for Greater Panna Landscape, Madhya Pradesh, and Uttar Pradesh				
Position Advertised	Project Associate – I				
No. of Position(s)	One (01)				
Monthly Emoluments	Rs. 31,000/- plus HRA				
Age Limit	35 years as on last date of receiving of application				
Project Duration	Till 31st March 2025				
Essential Qualification(s)	Master's degree in Natural or Agricultural Science/MVSc or bachelor's degree in Engineering or Technology or Medicine from a recognized University or equivalent.				
Desirable Qualification(s)	Candidate(s) with prior experience in sampling design and animal abundance estimation are preferred with reference to monitoring of Tiger, co-predator and prey. Domain knowledge and experience in field data collection for birds (especially Vultures/Raptors and Galliformes), including biology/ecology and telemetry.				
Description of Work	Selected candidates shall coordinate and implement the following: (1) Ecology and monitoring of tiger, co-predator and prey (2) Ecology of Vultures/Galliformes including breeding and movement patterns, and habitat/nesting suitability modelling in the landscape, (3) Assessment of woodland birds and Galliformes and (4) Handling, processing and analyses of large-scale spatial data, landscape analyses for habitat and corridor mapping including LULC, species distribution modelling, Data entry, data analyses, report writing and all other associated works assigned by the project investigator.				
3.					
Title of the Project	Long-term Ecological Monitoring of Mukundara Hills & Ramgarh Vishdhari TR.				
Position Advertised	Technical Assistant				
No. of Position(s)	One (01)				
Monthly Emoluments	Rs. 20,000/- plus HRA				
Age Limit	50 years				
Project Duration	One Year Initially (Likely to be extended for further period)				
Essential Qualification(s)	Bachelors' Degree in Science or three years Diploma in Engineering & Technology from a recognized University or equivalent.				
Desirable Qualification(s)	Candidate(s) with prior experience in Wildlife sampling, i.e., camera trapping, line transect, sign survey, habitat assessment. Able to do field work in harsh condition. Proficiency in using computers and good writing skill in English language.				

Description of Work	Carry out camera trapping, line transect, sign survey, and implementation of M-STrIPES (Ecological Assessment, Capacity Buillding)				
4.					
Title of the Project	Pashmina Certification Centre				
Position Advertised	Analyst				
No. of Position(s)	Two (02)				
Monthly Emoluments	Rs. 30,000/-per month Consolidated wages				
Age Limit	40 years				
Project Duration	One year				
Essential Qualification(s)	M.Sc. in Life Sciences & Forensic Science with minimum 50% aggregate marks				
Desirable Qualification(s)	Preference will be given to the candidate with proficient analytical knowledge and wool analysis from a reputed laboratory with good computer knowledge				
Description of Work	To work on the analysis of Pashmina Products and to assist the Senior Analyst and facility-in-charge under the guidance of Coordinator of the Centre				
5.					
Title of the Project	Pashmina Certification Centre				
Position Advertised	Junior Analyst				
No. of Position(s)	Two (02)				
Monthly Emoluments	Rs. 25,000/-per month Consolidated wages				
Age Limit	35 years				
Project Duration	One year				
Essential Qualification(s)	B.Sc. in Life Sciences & Forensic Science with minimum 50% aggregate marks				
Desirable Qualification(s)	Preference will be given to the candidate who will have working analytical knowledge in a reputed laboratory with working computer knowledge.				
Description of Work	To work on the analysis of Pashmina Products and to assist the Analyst, Senior Analyst, and facility-in-charge under the guidance of Coordinator of the Centre				

GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

- 1. Applicant(s) must read stated terms & conditions <u>very carefully</u> before filling up Application Form.
- 2. applications (application without age proof, without proof for EQ, without proof for research experience from employer/ guide/ supervisor, without self-attested documents, without passport size photograph, without original self-hand written Statement of Purpose) /late applications and applications not in the prescribed format as per Annexure I are liable to be rejected.
- 3. Duly filled-in Application-Form along with all self-attested documents and application/processing fee shall be addressed <u>By-post</u> only to The Nodal Officer, Research Recruitment & Placement Cell, Wildlife Institute of

India, Chandrabani, Dehradun – 248 001 (Uttarakhand) and, the same must reach the Institute latest by 1700hrs on Thursday, 12th September 2024.

4. An Application Fee of **Rs. 500/-** (*Rupees Five Hundred only*) for the applicant(s) belonging to **General Category** shall have to be deposited through an online mode. However, category candidate(s) belongs to **SC/ST/OBC/EWS** (*Non-General Category*) and **Physically Challenged** (**PC**) are exempted from the said Application Fee but shall have to pay **Rs.100/-** as 'Application Processing' Fee and, the same shall be payable through **online/electronic mode** to the following Bank Account:

Account Name: RRP Cell Revolving

Name of the Bank: Union Bank of India

Branch: Wildlife Institute of India, Chandrabani, Dehradun – 248 001 Account No.: 518502010059776

IFSC Code: UBIN0551856

- **5.** Applicant shall also have to attach a copy of the Application/Processing Fee(s) deposited in the above-mentioned account along with the Application Form. Failing to attach the same shall lead to rejection of the application.
- 6. A candidate may apply for a maximum of two advertised positions with relevance to his/her academic education and, as per essential and desirable requisites of an advertised position(s). Candidate applying for more than one position shall have to submit separate Application Form and Fee for each position.
- 7. The subject on top of the envelope carrying application, must clearly mention "Application for Advt. No. WII/ADVT.3/RP-CELL/August "2024 at WII reg".
- 8. Candidate(s) presently working/engaged with any WII's project or research activity must ensure to attach a "No Objection Certificate" from their concerned PI/Nodal Officer, as the case may be.
- 9. Shortlisting of applicants for online interview will be based on essential qualification, age limit, percentage of marks in Bachelors'/ Master's Degree, specialization relevance in Masters, research experience and (Publications- Paper published in journals, books Paper Presented in Workshops/ Seminars/ Symposiums/Conferences), as per WII rules).
- **10.** The selection of short-listed candidates for online interview(s) shall be done for different positions as per criteria stated below:

a) Field/ Lab / Project Assistant category

% Marks in Bachelor's Degree (As per EQ of the advertised post)	Specialization in relevance to the Project applied (relevance evidence can be produced/ submitted in the form of internship/ volunteering work done or previous work experience in the relevant field)	Total Marks
25 Marks	25 Marks	50 Marks

b) Project Associate - I category

	previous	
	work experience in the relevant field)	
25 Marks	25 Marks	5

c) Project Associate – II/ Senior Project Associates/ Principal Project Associates/ Project Scientist I, II & III categories

UGC/CSIR / ICAR NET with JRFship/WI I- NET Passed*	% Marks in Post Graduation (As per EQ of the advertised post)	Research/Work Experience	Publications in journal Conference, book chapter etc.	Tota l Mark s
5 Marks	25 Marks	10 Marks	10 Marks	50 Marks

- 11. Candidate(s) must also mention the names with complete address, e-mail and contact details of the referees as mentioned in the Application Form.
- 12. A check-list of following self-attested documents shall be duly filled in the attached application form *viz.*, Passport Size Photograph; Documents/testimonials; Copies of relevant research publications; Extracurricular activities etc.
- 13. Mere fulfilment 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 individual or agency.
- **14.** Based on the above stated screening criteria, top ten (10) short-listed candidates against each respective advertised position shall be called for interview(s).
- 15. A duly constituted Selection Committee will conduct the recruitment process.
- **16.** All original documents/certificates must be produced at the time of joining for necessary verification.
- 17. 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.
- 18. 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.
- 19. The positions advertised are purely temporary/contractual for the project

- period as specify in the advertisement. They will stand abolished after the completion of the project.
- 20. Candidates not found suitable for a particular post as advertised may be considered for a position at a lower grade as per recommendations of the Interview Committee. In this regard, recommendations/approval of the Interview Committee shall be considered as final.
- 21. The Institute's rules and regulations govern the project's tenure.
- 22. After announcing the results, the candidate should join the project immediately.
- 23. The Director, WII, reserves the right to reject any application/candidature because of incomplete information provided by the candidate or for any other reason(s), thereof.

- Registrar

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