

WALK-IN-INTERVIEW for engaging Research Personnel on Contract

The Wildlife Institute of India, Dehra Dun invites applications for Walk-in-interview for engaging Project Associate, Project Biologist and Field cum Lab Assistants on Contract for project entitled "Estimation of economic losses in real term per hectare basis due to forest fire in Uttarakhand and Madhya Pradesh" purely on contractual basis.

Brief description of the project:

A multi-disciplinary and multi-institutional project "Estimation of economic losses in real term per hectare basis due to forest fire in Uttarakhand and Madhya Pradesh", has to be conducted on pilot basis in the forest fire prone forest types of Uttarakhand and Madhya Pradesh to develop a framework methodology for estimation of economic losses in real terms on per hectare basis. This multi-facet project has several objectives as per the institutional expertise, however, the Wildlife Institute of India has to focus mainly for terrestrial and avi-faunal aspects. This will provide a framework/approach/methods/tools and techniques to estimate tangible and intangible losses due to forest fire on per hectare basis and may be used in other similar forests/areas.

Position 1: Project Associate (1)

Emoluments: 36,000/- plus HRA (as admissible) **Age:** 34 years (Age relaxation applicable as per GOI norms)

Essential Qualification: Masters in Forestry/Botany/Zoology/Ecology/Environmental Economics/Wildlife Science/Geo-informatics from a recognized University with Ph. D. degree or minimum 3 years' experience in relevant field.

Desirable Qualification: Preference will be given to the candidate having working experience in Ecological economics/Environmental accounting/RS & GIS related studies. The candidate should have experience in habitat quantification using different approaches, wildlife surveys, occupancy analysis, population estimation.

Work Description: Required to stay at the proposed study areas and designing study plans and to coordinate with the team members and guiding them in collecting data on habitat quantification, wildlife surveys, occupancy analysis, population estimation work etc. and report writing.

Position 2: Project Biologists (2)

Emoluments: 16,000/- plus HRA (as admissible) **Age:** 28 years (Age relaxation applicable as per GOI norms)

Essential Qualification: Masters in Forestry/Botany/Zoology/Ecology/Environmental Economics/Wildlife Science/Geo-informatics from a recognized University with Ph. D. degree or minimum 1 year experience in relevant field.

Desirable Qualification: Preference will be given to the candidate having working experience in Ecological economics/Environmental accounting/RS & GIS related studies. The candidate should have experience in habitat quantification using different approaches, wildlife surveys, occupancy analysis, population estimation. Additional knowledge of GIS and Statistics will be an advantage.

Work Description: Required to stay at the proposed study areas and collecting data on habitat quantification, wildlife surveys, occupancy analysis, population estimation work etc. and report writing.

Position 3: Field cum lab assistants (2) Emoluments: 10,000/-Age: 25 years (Age relaxation applicable as per GOI norms)

Essential Qualification: Masters in Forestry/Botany/Zoology/Ecology/Environmental Economics/Wildlife Science/Geo-informatics from a recognized University with Ph. D. degree **Desirable Qualification:** Preference will be given to the candidate having specialization in Ecological economics/Environmental accounting/RS & GIS related studies at Masters level. The candidate should have field cum lab experience.

Work Description: Required to stay at the proposed study areas and helping in data collection, lab analysis and report writing.

General Conditions

- 1. The candidate should report by 0930 hrs on 5 March, 2020 at Wildlife Institute of India, Chandrabani, Dehradun for scrutiny of documents followed by an interview on the same day at 1100hrs. The Institute will not provide accommodation for candidates appearing for the interview.
- 2. Candidate should bring the dully filled-in-application with attested true copies of testimonials of educational qualifications along with certificate of research experience, extracurricular activities, date of birth, etc. All original documents/ certificates must be produced at the time of registration for necessary verification.
- 3. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.
- 4. The application form can be downloaded from the institute's website www.wii.gov.inThe Director WII, reserves the right to reject any candidature in view of incomplete information provided by the candidate or for any other reason thereof.

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