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Applications are invited for the following assignment in a purely time-bound DBT research project undertaken in the Department of Environmental Science, School of Earth Sciences of the University.

Sl. No.	Name of the temporary post	Senior Research Fellow
1	Number of Post	01 post
2	Title pf the Research Project	Understanding algal microbiome compositions, functional
		genomic traits, and allelochemicals interactions in polyalgal and
		mono-algal cultures of suitable synthetic ecology models for
		biofuel production
3	Name of the Funding Agency	DBT, Govt of India
3	Tenure of the Assignment	~3 Years/ 01 Year (extendable for another year based on performance)
4	Job Description	To carry out the interdisciplinary research work in Microbiology,
		Phycology/algal biotechnology and Genomics
5	Consolidated monthly compensation	As per the norms (Rs. 42,000 + HRA as per the norms of the
	/ Fellowship	University)
6	Essential qualifications and	M.Sc. in Microbiology, Biotechnology, Environmental Science,
	experience	Botany, Biochemistry, Bioinformatics, Genetics or any
		equivalent branch with $\geq 60\%$ or equivalent CGPA from a
		recognized university/institute as per UGC norms. The
		candidates must have qualified CSIR-UGC/UGC NET including lectureship (LS) and/or GATE or equivalent examination.
		Minimum 2 yrs. of experience in the Research and Development
		in related field.
		Candidates with knowledge and experience in molecular biology,
		metagenomics/microbiome, metabolomics and biotechnology
		may be preferred.
8	Accommodation	Accommodation in the University may be provided, subject to availability.

For technical information on the project, the candidate may contact the Principal Investigator – **Dr. Shailesh Kumar Patidar** (**PI**), (**Mo No.** +91-7426920299; <a href="mailto:shailesh.patidar@curaj.ac.in">shailesh.patidar@curaj.ac.in</a>), Department of Environmental Science; and (Co-PI)- **Dr. Dipak Gayen**, Department of Biochemistry, Central University of Rajasthan. Further details can be found in the department profile: <a href="https://www.curaj.ac.in/faculty/shailesh-kumar-patidar">https://www.curaj.ac.in/faculty/shailesh-kumar-patidar</a>

Eligible and interested candidates should send their CV along with scanned original documents in a single PDF directly to the PI of the project on or before **18.08.2025**. The candidates must fill out the Google form at the following link wherein files may be attached. Google form link: https://ln.run/9QncU

The eligible candidates, after screening, will be informed to attend an interview conducted by the Department of Environmental Science, Central University of Rajasthan. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.

Note: The email should be sent with the subject line "Application for SRF in DBT-Funded Project."

Dated: 01.08.25

Department of Environmental Science

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