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## WALK-IN-INTERVIEW

to engage Research Fellows

The Wildlife Institute of India (WII) is a premier national autonomous Institute of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoE&F), Government of India in the field of teaching, training and research. The WII wishes to engage 08 research personnel viz., 01-Senior Research Fellow, 02-Technical Assistants, 02-Senior Project Assistants 01-Project Associate and 02-Project Biologists (Indian national only) through a **walk-in-interview** on **Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2014**. The details of the available positions along with essential and desirable qualifications, terms and conditions and how to apply are given below:

<b>Project Title, details of position and duration</b>	<b>Economics of living in the wild: cost-benefit analysis for the forest corridor linking the Rajaji National Park and the Corbett Tiger Reserve.</b> (01 – Senior Research Fellow) <b>Duration: One year (likely to be extended)</b>
<b>Essential Qualification</b>	Mastersq Degree in Zoology/Forestry/Wildlife Science/Environmental Science/Life Science/Sociology/Economics with a minimum of 60% aggregate marks from a recognized University and at least 2 years research experience after Post-Graduation.
<b>Desirable Qualification</b>	Experience of conducting socio-economic survey for natural resource management/ biodiversity conservation.
<b>Description of Work</b>	To conduct socio-economic surveys in and around Corbett Tiger Reserve, Rajaji National Park and the adjacent Forest Divisions.
<b>Project Title, details of position and duration</b>	<b>Economics of living in the wild: cost benefit analysis for the forest corridor linking the Rajaji National Park and the Corbett Tiger Reserve.</b> (02 – Technical Assistants) <b>Duration: Nine months (likely to be extended)</b>
<b>Essential Qualification</b>	Mastersq Degree in Forestry/Wildlife Science/Environmental Science/Life Science/ Sociology/Economics with a minimum of 55% aggregate marks from a recognized University.
<b>Desirable Qualification</b>	Experience of conducting socio-economic survey for natural resource management/ biodiversity conservation/forestry/environment issues.
<b>Description of Work</b>	To conduct socio-economic surveys in and around Corbett Tiger Reserve, Rajaji National Park and the adjacent Forest Divisions.
<b>Project Title, details of position and duration</b>	<b>Management planning of Kushsheshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries in Bihar.</b> (01 – Senior Project Assistant, Biological Component) <b>Duration: One year</b>
<b>Essential Qualification</b>	Mastersq Degree in Wildlife Science/Forestry/Environmental Science/Zoology/Botany/ Agricultural Science/Life Science with a minimum of 60% aggregate marks from a recognized University and at least 2 years research experience after Post-Graduation.
<b>Desirable Qualification</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Experience on subject related to ecological survey of rivers and wetlands with special reference to aquatic flora and fauna.</li> <li>Experience of application of remote sensing and GIS in natural resource management.</li> <li>Proficiency in using computers and good writing skills in English language.</li> </ul>

<b>Description of Work</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Prepare an inventory of the floral and faunal resources of above mentioned Protected Areas i.e. Kushseshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries in Bihar.</li> <li>▪ Identify factors affecting the integrity of Kushseshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries.</li> <li>▪ Assist in preparation of Remote Sensing and GIS maps of Kushseshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries.</li> <li>▪ Assist in the preparation of an Integrated Wetland Management Plan of Kushseshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries.</li> </ul>
<b>Project Title, details of position and duration</b>	<b>Management planning of Kushseshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries in Bihar.</b> <b>(01 – Senior Project Assistant, Sociological Component)</b> <b>Duration: One year</b>
<b>Essential Qualification</b>	Mastersq Degree in Forestry/Wildlife Science/Environmental Science/Agricultural Science/Life Science/Sociology/Economics with a minimum of 60% aggregate marks from a recognized University and at least 2 years research experience after Post-Graduation.
<b>Desirable Qualification</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Experience of conducting socio-economic survey around Protected Areas (PAs).</li> <li>▪ Experience of application of remote sensing and GIS in natural resource management.</li> <li>▪ Proficiency in using computers and good writing skills in English language.</li> </ul>
<b>Description of Work</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Prepare an inventory of the socio-economic status and resource dependency of local people around Kushseshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries in Bihar.</li> <li>▪ Conduct stakeholders analysis and workshops and derive sustainable livelihood options for the local people.</li> <li>▪ Assist is preparation of eco-development plan of the concerned PAs i.e. Kushseshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries in Bihar.</li> <li>▪ Prepare visitors profile, sample education and interpretation materials and assist in preparation of sustainable tourism management plans.</li> <li>▪ Assist in the preparation of an Integrated Wetland Management Plan of Kushseshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries.</li> </ul>
<b>Project Title, details of position and duration</b>	<b>Management planning of Kushseshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries in Bihar.</b> <b>(01 –Project Associate, Wetland Management)</b> <b>Duration: One year</b>
<b>Essential Qualification</b>	Ph.D. Degree in Wildlife Science/Forestry/Environmental Science/Zoology/Botany/Life Science/Social Science.
<b>Desirable Qualification</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Experience of subject related to ecological surveys of wetlands and rivers with special reference to assessment of water quality and environmental flow and aquatic flora and fauna.</li> <li>▪ Experience of Bio-monitoring of wetlands and rivers.</li> <li>▪ Preparation and technical/study report(s).</li> </ul>
<b>Description of Work</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Study hydrological status and flow regime of the two PAs i.e. Kushseshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries in Bihar.</li> <li>▪ Conduct risk analysis of the above mentioned PAs.</li> <li>▪ Compile an Integrated Wetland Management Plan of Kushseshwarasthan and Baraila Sanctuaries.</li> </ul>
<b>Project Title, details of position and duration</b>	<b>Execution of Implementation Plan - Kailash Sacred Landscape Conservation and Development Initiative (KSLCDI).</b> <b>(02 – Project Biologists)</b> <b>Duration: Up to 31.12.2014 (likely to be extended)</b>

<b>Essential Qualification</b>	Mastersq Degree in Zoology/Botany/Wildlife Science/Forestry/Environmental Science relevant to studies in human dimensions aspect of wildlife conservation with a minimum of 60% aggregate marks from a recognized University.
<b>Desirable Qualification</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Field research experience on flora and fauna of western Himalaya.</li> <li>▪ Only candidates with strong physical and mental abilities and a keen desire to carryout arduous field work in the remote and rugged high altitudes of Uttarakhand Himalaya under extreme cold or rainy conditions with minimal logistic support, may apply.</li> </ul>
<b>Description of Work</b>	<p>The International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD) in collaboration with Govind Ballabh Pant Institute of Himalayan Environment and Development (GBPIHED), Almora and Wildlife Institute of India (WII), Dehradun under the Ministry of Environment and Forest, Government of India and Central Himalayan Environment Association (CHEA), Nainital is working in a Trans-boundary Landscape i.e. Kailash Sacred Landscape Conservation and Development Initiative (KSLCDI).</p> <p>The project has following broad objectives, <b>a.</b> Enhance cooperation among the regional member countries through establishment of a Regional Cooperation Framework (RCF), development of a strategy for conservation of Kailash Sacred Landscape (KSL), and developing a trans-boundary regional knowledge base; <b>b.</b> Increase collection of climate change data in the KSL and facilitate coordination among the various actors and stakeholders within the KSL landscape through enhancing trans-boundary collaboration in ecological and climate change monitoring and information exchange networks; and <b>c.</b> Recognize, and strengthen local capacity efforts for community-based participation in conservation and sustainable development, and enhance cultural-socio-ecological resilience.</p>

## **GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS**

1. Candidate(s) possessing Master's Degree along with final year mark-sheet will be eligible to appear for the walk-in-interview. Candidates appearing in the final year of Master's Degree Program will not be eligible to apply for the advertised positions.
2. For the advertised position of the Project Associate, candidate(s) possessing Ph.D. Degree shall only be eligible to appear for the walk-in-interview.
3. A candidate may be allowed to submit duly filled-in application form(s) for a maximum of two advertised positions subject to his/her fulfilling the essential qualifications for the advertised positions. Applications without enclosures and/or incomplete in any respect shall be rejected.
4. Age of the candidate shall not be more than **28 years** for the position of **Technical Assistants/Project Biologist** and **32 years** for **Senior Research Fellow/Senior Project Assistants** as on **Monday, 19<sup>th</sup> May 2014**. Upper age limit for Technical Assistant/Senior Research Fellow/Senior Project Assistant may be relaxed up to 5 years, as in case of candidates belonging to SC/ST/OBC/Women and physically handicap categories.
5. In case of advertised position of Project Associate, the age of the candidate shall not be more than **40 years** as on **Monday, 19<sup>th</sup> May 2014** and the upper age limit may be relaxed up to a maximum of 5 years to the candidates belonging to SC/ST categories.
6. The fellowship amount of the advertised positions is as follow:
  - a. Technical Assistant: The fellowship amount is Rs. 9,600/- consolidated per month.
  - b. Senior Research Fellow: The fellowship amount is Rs. 14,000/- consolidated per month and Rs. 18,000/- in case of NET qualified candidate(s) for Research Fellows (UGC/CSIR).
  - c. Senior Project Assistant: The fellowship amount is Rs. 14,000/- consolidated per month.
  - d. Project Associate: The fellowship amount is Rs. 22,000/- consolidated per month.
  - e. Project Biologist: The fellowship amount is Rs. 16,000/- consolidated per month. In addition, Rs. 2000/- per month will be paid as Daily Allowance, while in field.
7. Selected candidate(s) will be engaged initially for a period mentioned against each advertised position. Subsequently his/her tenure may be extended depending upon the exigencies of work at sole discretion of the Institute and satisfactory performance of the candidate.
8. Candidate(s) may be allowed hostel accommodation at the institute, as per availability. Where the hostel accommodation is not possible, house rent allowance (HRA) will be paid as per the rules of the Institute. Other allowances and benefits to the research personnel would be admissible as per the rules.
9. The selection of the candidate(s) will be based on **Walk-in-Interview** to be held on **Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2014** at the Wildlife Institute of India, Dehra Dun. The **registration** will begin by **09:00 A.M. onwards**.
10. Canvassing in any form is liable to rejection of the candidature.
11. **Candidate(s) should bring the duly filled-in applications with attested true copies of testimonials of educational qualifications, research experience, extra-curricular activities, date of birth etc., along with copies of mark sheets of all examinations. All original documents should be produced at the time of registration.**
12. One way travel expenses will be paid to the candidate, selected for the project. The expense will be limited to actual 2<sup>nd</sup> class rail/bus fare by the shortest route from his/her place of stay/residence.
13. **The Institute will not provide accommodation for candidates appearing for the interview.**
14. The application form can be downloaded from the link [www.wii.gov.in](http://www.wii.gov.in)
15. The Director, WII reserves the right to reject any candidature in view of incomplete information provided by the candidate or for any other reason.

**- Research Coordinator  
Wildlife Institute of India, Dehra Dun**

# APPLICATION FORM

(Technical Assistant/SRF/Senior Project Assistant/Project Biologist/Project Associate)

Name of the Project: \_\_\_\_\_

Category: General/SC/ST/OBC/Physically Handicapped, please indicate \_\_\_\_\_

1. Name of the applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

A. Present Postal Address with *Pin Code*

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone/Fax # \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

B. Permanent Residential Address with *Pin Code* \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Phone/Fax # \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Nearest Railway Station for undertaking the Journey \_\_\_\_\_

2. Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age in years \_\_\_\_\_

3. If belonging to SC/ST/OBC, state name of the Caste/Tribe \_\_\_\_\_.

A photo copy of the original caste certificate issued by competent authorities may be attached.

4. (a) Academic Achievements:

Examination Passed	Year	University	Subject	Percentage of marks obtained
Higher Secondary				
Bachelor's Degree				
Master's Degree				
Ph.D. Degree				

(b) Creative Achievement (State briefly your bio data as research worker/giving details of research papers, participation in Seminar, Symposium, Conference, etc.). Furnish this information in a separate sheet.

5. Have you received any scholarship/fellowship before applying for this award? *(If so, please give its source, value, period and details of work done under that award)* \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the Scholarship	Awarding Agency	Period		Amount
		From	To	

6. Employment held so far *(up to date)*:

Name of the Employer	Position held	Period		Emoluments per month
		From	To	

7. Candidate passed UGC/CSIR/ICAR NET should provide details.
8. Research publications, title of the publication, year of publication, journal, etc., may be indicated *(reprints may be enclosed)*. Details may be given in a separate sheet.
9. Seminar/Symposium/Workshop/Conference attended *(Documentary proof(s) may be enclosed)*.
10. Extracurricular activities. *(Details may be given in a separate sheet)*.
11. National Parks, Sanctuaries & Forest areas visited, and a paragraph on self interest in the field of Wildlife Conservation & Research *(attach a separate sheet)*.
12. Name, Address and Phone Number of three referees should be given below. **Also attach separately testimonials obtained from any two referees:**
- 1.
  - 2.
  - 3.
13. Certified that information furnished above are correct to the best of my knowledge.

**Place:**

**Date:**

**(Signature of the Applicant)**