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# Engagement of Project Personnel for the Project "Conservation Status, Habitat evaluation and Conflicts of Sloth bear in Palkot Wildlife Sanctuary, Jharkhand"

### **ON LINE INTERVIEW**

The Wildlife Institute of India, Dehra Dun invites application for engagement of the following Project Personnel in the Project "Conservation Status, Habitat evaluation and Conflicts of Sloth bear in Palkot Wildlife Sanctuary, Jharkhand" purely on contractual basis for a period of 6 months.

The project aims to assess the status and distribution of sloth bears and evaluation of sloth bear habitats in Palkot WS and the Human-Sloth bear Conflicts in and around the Sanctuary in order to develop plans for habitat improvement and monitoring high conflict areas to reduce conflicts.

The EQ, DQ and other details of the Project Personnel are listed below:

1	Engagement Position	Project Assistant (02 positions)
2	Essential Qualification (EQ)	Post Graduate Degree in Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Botany/ Forestry/ Ecology / Environment Science / Biodiversity Conservation
		Six months field research experience (proof to be submitted along with application)
3	Desirable Qualification (DQ)	Proven abilities of data analysis, writing skills
4	Work description	Field work pertaining to sloth bear distribution and population assessment, habitat evaluation and investigation on Human-Sloth bear conflicts in Palkot WS. Development of habitat management plan and conflict reduction strategies. Data analysis, report writing and associated activities.
5	Duration	Six months
6	Location of Project sites	HQ and at field site in Jharkhand

7	Age	Not exceeding 35 years as on the date of interview. Upper age limit in case of applicants belonging to SC/ST/OBC categories may be relaxed as per the rules.
8	Emoluments	Rs 20,000/- month + HRA as applicable

1	Engagement Position	Project Intern (03 positions)
2	Essential Qualification (EQ)	Graduate Degree in Biological Sciences
3	Desirable Qualification (DQ)	Knowledge / experience on field research
4	Work description	Assist Project Personnel in field work pertaining to sloth bear distribution and population assessment, habitat evaluation and Human-Sloth bear conflicts in Palkot WS. Data entry, assistance in data analysis, report writing and associated activities.
5	Duration	6 months (full time)
6	Location of Project sites	HQ and field sites in Jharkhand
7	Age	Not exceeding 30 years as on the date of interview. Upper age limit in case of applicants belonging to SC/ST/OBC categories may be relaxed as per the rules.
8	Emoluments	Rs 10,000/- month (Consolidated)

#### **General Conditions:**

#### Mode of Selection and other conditions:

- 1. The selection of the candidates will be in accordance with the performance in the interview and in order of merit as decided by the Interview Committee. All original documents should be produced at the time of interview. The decision of the Institute's Committee in all matters relating to eligibility, work experience, acceptance or rejection of application will be final and binding on the candidates and no enquiry or correspondence will be entertained from any individual.
- 2. The candidates are required to submit their completed application forms in PDF format, with accompanying attachments (proof of research experience, publications etc.), by email (with subject line: "Application for the post of Project Assistant / Project Intern in Project "Conservation Status, Habitat evaluation and Conflicts of Sloth bear in Palkot Wildlife Sanctuary, Jharkhand" to registrarpr@wii.gov.in not later than 1700 hrs on 12<sup>th</sup> April 2021:
- 3. Application forms needs to be typed according to the prescribed format and must be accompanied by: (a) Scanned copies of educational qualifications, and

(b) Scanned copies of experience letter/ certificate, failing which applications will not be considered.

## 4. The applications received after the deadline will be rejected by the Institute.

- The shortlisted candidates will be notified (through email and website notification) for online personal interview by 15<sup>th</sup> April 2021. The online interview will be held on 19<sup>th</sup> April 2021 from 1000 hrs onwards.
- 6. At the time of verification of original documents, if it is found that an attempt has been made by the applicant to wilfully conceal, misrepresent or canvass the facts, his/her candidature will not be considered.
- 7. The positions advertised are purely temporary/ contractual for the project period only and will stand abolished after completion of the project.
- 8. The tenure in the project will be governed by the Institute's rules and regulations
- 9. Relaxation in Age will be given as per Govt. of India norms
- 10. After announcement of the results, the candidate should join the project immediately.
- 11. The Director, WII reserves the right to reject any candidature in view of incomplete information provided by the candidate or for any other reason thereof.

Registrar Wildlife Institute of India