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**Online Application Close Date: 30 June, 2026**

Wildlife Institute of India (WII), an autonomous Institution under the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEFCC), Government of India, is an acclaimed Institution, which offers training program, academic courses and advisory in wildlife research and management. The institute is actively engaged in research and technical across the breadth of the country on biodiversity-related issues and other multidisciplinary areas. WII invites online applications from **INDIAN NATIONALS** to engage **14 different categories of positions** for various research projects.



Submit your **ONLINE APPLICATION-FORM** at the specific application portal, given in the link <https://wiirp.com/application.php> or obtain the link via scanning given QR Code. **No printed application copy will be considered.** For more details, may also visit Recruitments section of Wildlife Institute of India website <https://wii.gov.in/recruitments>. Applicants are advised to keep your all-scanned copies of certificates/documents related to Educational Qualification, Marksheets, Work Experience, Reserved Category, UGC/CSIR NET, Publications, any other Supporting Documents, Application Processing Fee Receipt, Passport Size Photo, Digital signature etc. ready in advance before filling the Online Application Form. The project details, along with position(s) which offers training program, academic courses and advisory in wildlife research and management to be engaged, EQ, DQ, Monthly Emoluments and other details of the advertised positions are given below:

S. No.	Details of the Advertised Positions	
<b>01</b>	<b>Project Title</b>	<b>Integrated Landscape Management Plan and Long-term Monitoring of Satpura-Pench-Melghat Landscape Complex, Central India</b>
<b>01 (1)</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Project Associate I (Vegetation)</b>
	No. of Position(s)	One (01)
	Monthly Emoluments	37,000 + HRA (NET or GATE qualified candidates) 30,000 + HRA (For non-NET or non-GATE qualified candidates)
	Age Limit	35 years as on last date of receiving of application
	Project Duration	One Year (likely to be extended)
	Essential Qualification(s)	Four Years Bachelor's Degree (4 Year BSc degree as per National Education Policy) in Natural Sciences (Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Marine Sciences / Marine Biology/ Environmental Sciences/ Geoinformatics/ Life Sciences)/ Agricultural/ Forestry Sciences from recognized institute/ University <b>OR</b> Master's Degree in Natural Sciences (Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Marine Sciences / Marine Biology/ Environmental Sciences/ Geoinformatics/ Life Sciences)/

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		Agricultural Sciences from recognized institute/ University <b>OR</b> Bachelor's degree in Veterinary Science from recognized institute/ University <b>OR</b> Bachelor's Degree in Engineering/ Technology (Computer Science/Information Technology/ Remote Sensing/ GIS/ Data/Electrical Engineering/electronics & visual communication/ Civil/ AI Technology/Data Science) from recognized institute/ University <b>OR</b> Master's Degree in Engineering (Computer Science/ Information Technology/ Remote Sensing/ GIS/ Data Science/ MCA/ Computer Engineering/ Computer Technology/ Civil/Electronics/ Electrical/ Electronics & Visual Communications/ Data Science/ AI technology) from recognized institute/ University
	Desirable Qualification(s)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience in vegetation survey and ecological sampling techniques, including quadrat, transect, and plot-based methods for trees, shrubs, herbs, seedlings, and saplings.</li> <li>• Knowledge of forest ecology, plant identification, habitat assessment, forest regeneration dynamics, and invasive species ecology</li> <li>• Wildlife telemetry, applications of various technologies for forest and wildlife research and environment health monitoring.</li> <li>• Avifauna survey and species-habitat relationships.</li> <li>• Experience with GIS, GPS, remote sensing, and spatial analysis related to vegetation mapping, land-use/land-cover analysis, and landscape ecology.</li> <li>• Socio-economic survey, Quantification of human-wildlife interaction, Participatory mapping and rural appraisal, Meta-Data analysis, etc.</li> <li>• Candidates with prior field experience in protected areas and forest landscapes, especially in Central Indian landscapes, will be preferred.</li> </ul>
	Description of Work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conduct vegetation and habitat surveys in the Satpura–Pench–Melghat</li> <li>• Landscape using standard ecological sampling methods for trees, shrubs, herbs, seedlings, and saplings</li> <li>• Assess forest structure, species composition, regeneration status, habitat quality, invasive species spread, and edge effects along linear infrastructure and forest landscapes</li> <li>• Mapping of biodiversity hotspots in the Satpura–Pench–Melghat Landscape (SPML), with specific focus on road networks, and to guide appropriate mitigation measures in the current and future contexts.</li> <li>• Mapping ecosystem services across the landscape and assess the positive and negative impacts of road networks, with a view to identifying opportunities for carbon-neutral actions wherever feasible.</li> <li>• Establishing an environmental baseline by assessing key natural indicators and the health status of human populations under the One Health framework.</li> <li>• Collect, manage, and analyze field and spatial data using GPS, GIS, remote sensing, and ecological/statistical tools</li> <li>• To sensitize stakeholders and civil society on the need to balance development and conservation linkages, and to highlight the ecological and socio-economic consequences thereof.</li> <li>• To implement and institutionalize long-term monitoring and adaptive management strategies along linear infrastructure and other strategic locations of biodiversity and human welfare, in order to support environment-friendly actions by the National Highways Authority of India and to enhance management effectiveness of the Forest Department.</li> </ul>
<b>01 (2)</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Project Associate I (GIS and Remote Sensing)</b>
	No. of Position(s)	One (01)
	Monthly	37,000 + HRA (NET or GATE qualified candidates)

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	Emoluments	30,000 + HRA (For non-NET or non-GATE qualified candidates)
	Age Limit	35 years as on last date of receipt of the application
	Project Duration	One Year (likely to be extended)
	Essential Qualification(s)	<p>Four Years Bachelor's Degree (4 Year BSc degree as per National Education Policy) in Natural Sciences (Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Marine Sciences / Marine Biology/ Environmental Sciences/ Geoinformatics/ Life Sciences)/ Agricultural/ Forestry Sciences from recognized institute/ University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>Master's Degree in Natural Sciences (Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Marine Sciences / Marine Biology/ Environmental Sciences/ Geoinformatics/ Life Sciences)/ Agricultural Sciences from recognized institute/ University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>Bachelor's degree in Veterinary Science from recognized institute/ University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>Bachelor's Degree in Engineering/ Technology (Computer Science/Information Technology/ Remote Sensing/ GIS/ Data/Electrical Engineering/electronics &amp; visual communication/Civil/AI Technology/Data Science) from recognized institute/ University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>Master's Degree in Engineering (Computer Science/ Information Technology/ Remote Sensing/ GIS/ Data Science/ MCA/ Computer Engineering/ Computer Technology/Civil/ Electronics/ Electrical/ Electronics &amp; Visual Communications/ Data Science/ AI technology) from recognized institute/ University</p>
	Desirable Qualification(s)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience in GIS, Remote Sensing, spatial analysis, landscape ecology, habitat connectivity modelling, Machine learning and geospatial database management using software such as ArcGIS, QGIS, ERDAS Imagine, ENVI, Google Earth Engine, or similar platforms.</li> <li>• Experience in preparation and analysis of thematic maps related to land use/land cover, wildlife corridors, biodiversity hotspots, road ecology, habitat fragmentation, ecosystem services, and landscape-level conservation planning.</li> <li>• Working knowledge of satellite image processing, spatial modelling, GPS- based field data collection, drone/UAV data integration, and spatial statistics relevant to ecological and infrastructure-impact assessments.</li> <li>• Experience in handling spatial datasets, geodatabases, web-based geospatial platforms, and development of spatial decision-support systems for conservation and environmental planning.</li> </ul>
	Description of Work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mapping occupancy, abundance and population structure (including genetic status) of key flagship species that are likely to be affected by the current National Highways</li> <li>• Movement ecology of tiger, co-predators and prey species along the road network in the context of ease of movement and bottlenecks</li> <li>• Mapping of biodiversity hotspots in the Satpura–Pench–Melghat Landscape (SPML), with specific focus on road networks, and to guide appropriate mitigation measures in the current and future contexts.</li> <li>• Mapping ecosystem services across the landscape and assess the positive and negative impacts of road networks, with a view to identifying opportunities for carbon-neutral actions wherever feasible.</li> <li>• Establishing an environmental baseline by assessing key natural indicators and the health status of human populations under the One Health framework.</li> <li>• To sensitize stakeholders and civil society on the need to balance development and conservation linkages, and to highlight the ecological and socio-economic consequences thereof.</li> <li>• To implement and institutionalize long-term monitoring and adaptive management strategies along linear infrastructure and other strategic locations of biodiversity and human welfare, in order to support environment-friendly actions by</li> </ul>

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		the National Highways Authority of India and to enhance management effectiveness of the Forest Department.
<b>01 (3)</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Project Associate I (Engineer/Visual Communication)</b>
	No. of Position(s)	One (01)
	Monthly Emoluments	37,000 + HRA (NET or GATE qualified candidates) 30,000 + HRA (For non-NET or non-GATE qualified candidates)
	Age Limit	35 years as on last date of receipt of the application
	Project Duration	One Year (likely to be extended)
	Essential Qualification(s)	<p>Four Years Bachelor's Degree (4 Year BSc degree as per National Education Policy) in Natural Sciences (Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Marine Sciences / Marine Biology/ Environmental Sciences/ Geoinformatics/ Life Sciences)/ Agricultural/ Forestry Sciences from recognized institute/ University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>Master's Degree in Natural Sciences (Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Marine Sciences / Marine Biology/ Environmental Sciences/ Geoinformatics/ Life Sciences)/ Agricultural Sciences from recognized institute/ University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>Bachelor's degree in Veterinary Science from recognized institute/ University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>Bachelor's Degree in Engineering/ Technology (Computer Science/Information Technology/ Remote Sensing/ GIS/ Data/Electrical Engineering/electronics &amp; visual communication/Civil/AI Technology/Data Science) from recognized institute/ University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>Master's Degree in Engineering (Computer Science/ Information Technology/ Remote Sensing/ GIS/ Data Science/ MCA/ Computer Engineering/ Computer Technology/Civil/ Electronics/ Electrical/ Electronics &amp; Visual Communications/ Data Science/ AI technology) from recognized institute/ University</p>
	Desirable Qualification(s)	<p>1) Experience in visual communication, scientific illustration, graphic designing, multimedia content development, and preparation of IEC/outreach materials related to biodiversity conservation, landscape ecology, wildlife management, or environmental projects.</p> <p>2) Proficiency in visualization and communication tools/software such as Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere Pro, After Effects), CorelDRAW, Blender, Canva, or equivalent platforms for development of digital and print communication materials.</p> <p>3) Experience in preparing infographics, thematic maps, animations, documentary/awareness videos, interactive presentations, and stakeholder communication materials for scientific or conservation-based projects.</p> <p>4) Experience in photography, videography, drone-based visual documentation, and field-based communication support in wildlife, forestry, ecology, infrastructure, or landscape-level projects.</p> <p>5) Knowledge of wildlife mitigation structures such as underpasses, overpasses, culverts, fencing, and habitat connectivity measures associated with highways and transportation networks</p> <p>6) Preference will be given to candidates who have prior experience in conservation communication, road ecology projects, biodiversity monitoring programmes, or interdisciplinary environmental projects involving multiple stakeholders.</p>
	Description of Work	<p>1) Mapping occupancy, abundance and population structure (including genetic status) of key flagship species that are likely to be affected by the current National Highways</p> <p>2) Movement ecology of tiger, co-predators and prey species along the road network in the context of ease of movement and bottlenecks</p> <p>3) Mapping of biodiversity hotspots in the Satpura–Pench–Melghat Landscape (SPML), with specific focus on road networks, and to guide appropriate mitigation measures in the</p>

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		<p>current and future contexts.</p> <p>4) Support identification, mapping, and evaluation of wildlife crossing structures, habitat connectivity bottlenecks, and environmentally sensitive zones along highways and infrastructure corridors Establishing an environmental baseline by assessing key natural indicators and the health status of human populations under the One Health framework.</p> <p>5) To sensitize stakeholders and civil society on the need to balance development and conservation linkages, and to highlight the ecological and socio-economic consequences thereof.</p> <p>6) To implement and institutionalize long-term monitoring and adaptive management strategies along linear infrastructure and other strategic locations of biodiversity and human welfare, in order to support environment-friendly actions by the National Highways Authority of India and to enhance management effectiveness of the Forest Department.</p>
02	<b>Project Title</b>	<b>Development of a Metagenomics-based pathogen surveillance system at the human, livestock, and wildlife interface in Sariska Tiger Reserve</b>
02 (1)	<b>Position</b>	<b>Project Research Scientist II (Non-Medical)</b> <i>(as per the ICMR Guidelines)</i>
	No. of Position(s)	One (01)
	Monthly Emoluments	67000 + HRA
	Age Limit	40 years
	Project Duration	One year (annual renewal based on performance up to 3 years)
	Essential Qualification(s)	<p>First Class Master Degree in Science (Biology / Genomics / Genetics / Biochemistry / Microbiology / Biotechnology / Life Sciences / Veterinary Science or equivalent), <b>including the integrated Master Degrees</b> from recognized institute/ University, <b>with three years of experience or PhD</b> from recognized institute/ University</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p>Second Class Master Degree in Science (Biology / Genomics / Genetics / Biochemistry / Microbiology / Biotechnology / Life Sciences / Veterinary Science or equivalent), including the integrated Master Degrees, from recognized institute/ University <b>with PhD and three years of experience</b></p>
	Desirable Qualification(s)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PhD in genomics/ microbiology/ bioinformatics.</li> <li>• Prior experience in handling metagenomics data, metagenomic sequence analysis and data visualisation</li> <li>• Prior experience in bacterial &amp; viral genomics</li> <li>• Proficiency with Python and R</li> <li>• Knowledge and prior experience in research related to pathogen surveillance</li> <li>• Good communication, analytical and management skills</li> <li>• The candidate is expected to coordinate the project-related research activities with a network of collaborating laboratories and organise meetings</li> <li>• Prior experience in project management and co- ordination</li> <li>• Good organisational skills</li> <li>• Enthusiastic and positive attitude towards societally relevant research</li> </ul>
	Description of Work	<p>Survey of sampling sites and collection of samples for metagenomic sequencing.</p> <p>Analysis of the sequencing data, interpretation and report writing.</p>
02 (2)	<b>Position</b>	<b>Project Technical Support – II</b> <i>(as per the ICMR Guidelines)</i>
	No. of Position(s)	One (01)
	Monthly Emoluments	28,000 + HRA

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	Age Limit	35 years
	Project Duration	One year (annual renewal based on performance up to 3 years)
	Essential Qualification(s)	Three Years Bachelor Degree in Science (Life science / Wildlife science / Biology / Genomics/ Genetics / Bioinformatics or equivalent) from recognized institute/ University <b>and three Years' experience</b>  <b>OR</b> Master Degree in Science (Life science/ Wildlife science/ Biology/ Genomics/ Genetics/ Bioinformatics or equivalent) from recognized institute/ University
	Desirable Qualification(s)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Basic understanding of pathogen surveillance</li> <li>• Field survey and sampling experience</li> <li>• Including camera trap and sign survey</li> <li>• Enthusiastic and positive attitude towards societally relevant research</li> <li>• Working knowledge of basic data analysis and report writing.</li> </ul>
	Description of Work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Field survey and sampling in the Sariska Tiger Reserve.</li> <li>• Monitoring of waterholes and collection of samples.</li> </ul>
<b>03</b>	<b>Project Title</b>	<b>Preparation of a site-specific wildlife management plan to mitigate the ecological impacts of proposed forest land diversion for mining in Bonai Forest Division, Sundargarh, Odisha</b>
<b>03 (1)</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Project Scientist-I</b>
	No. of Position(s)	One (1)
	Monthly Emoluments	77000 + HRA
	Age Limit	35 years
	Project Duration	One year six months
	Essential Qualification(s)	Ph.D. Degree in Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Life Sciences from a recognized institute/ University
	Desirable Qualification(s)	Candidates with prior field experience in assessing the impacts of mining on birds, mammals, plants, and invertebrates, along with skills in data analysis and report writing.
	Description of Work	The responsibilities are: i) Management of the team, Data collection ii) Data analysis and Scientific report writing.
<b>03 (2)</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Senior Project Associate (Ecology)</b>
	No. of Position(s)	One (01)
	Monthly Emoluments	57000 + HRA
	Age Limit	35 years
	Project Duration	One year six months
	Essential Qualification(s)	Master's Degree in Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Life Sciences from a recognized institute/ University <b>AND four years of experience</b> (after obtaining Master's degree) in R&D in Science & Technology Institutions or Scientific activities and Services
	Desirable Qualification(s)	Candidates with prior field experience in assessing the impacts of mining on birds, mammals, plants, and invertebrates, along with skills in data analysis and report writing
	Description of Work	The candidate will conduct a biodiversity survey, data analysis, and support writing
<b>03 (3)</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Project Associate I (Ecology)</b>
	No. of Position(s)	One (02)

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	Monthly Emoluments	37,000 + HRA (NET or GATE qualified candidates) 30,000 + HRA (For non-NET or non-GATE qualified candidates)
	Age Limit	35 years
	Project Duration	One year six months
	Essential Qualification(s)	Master's Degree in Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Life Sciences from a recognized institute/ University
	Desirable Qualification(s)	Candidates with prior field experience in assessing the impacts of mining on birds, mammals, plants, and invertebrates, along with skills in data analysis and report writing
	Description of Work	The candidate will conduct a biodiversity survey, data analysis, and support writing
<b>03 (4)</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Project Associate I (RS/GIS)</b>
	No. of Position(s)	One (01)
	Monthly Emoluments	37,000 + HRA (NET or GATE qualified candidates) 30,000 + HRA (For non-NET or non-GATE qualified candidates)
	Age Limit	35 years
	Project Duration	One year six month
	Essential Qualification(s)	Master's Degree in Natural Sciences (Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Environmental Sciences/ Geoinformatics/ Remote Sensing/ Life Sciences)/ Agricultural Sciences from recognized institute/ University  <b>OR</b> Bachelor's Degree in Engineering/ Technology (Computer Science/ Information Technology/ Remote Sensing/ GIS/ AI Technology/Data Science) from recognized institute/ University
	Desirable Qualification(s)	Candidates with prior experience in assessing habitat suitability, least cost pathway, disaster, land use/land cover, drought, fire, etc
	Description of Work	The responsibilities are: i) Conduct field surveys and collection of data ii) Data analysis and Scientific report writing
<b>03 (5)</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Project Assistant</b>
	No. of Position(s)	Three (03)
	Monthly Emoluments	27000 + HRA
	Age Limit	35 years
	Project Duration	One year six months
	Essential Qualification(s)	Bachelor's Degree in Science (Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Environmental Sciences/ Geoinformatics/ Remote sensing/ Life Sciences/ Forestry) from a recognized institute/ University
	Desirable Qualification(s)	Candidates with prior experience in assessing habitat suitability, least cost pathway, disaster, land use/land cover, drought, fire, etc
	Description of Work	The responsibilities are: i) Conduct field surveys and collection of data ii) Data analysis
<b>04</b>	<b>Project Title</b>	<b>Conservation and management plan of Saltwater Crocodile (<i>Crocodylus porosus</i>) in Great Nicobar Island</b>
<b>04 (1)</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Project Assistant</b>
	No. of Position(s)	One (01)
	Monthly	27,000 + HRA

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	Emoluments	
	Age Limit	50
	Project Duration	01 year (likely to be extended)
	Essential Qualification(s)	Bachelor's Degree in Science (Wildlife Science/ Zoology/ Ecology/ Marine Sciences /Marine Biology/ Environmental Sciences/ Geoinformatics/ Life Sciences/ Agricultural/ Forestry) from recognized institute/ University
	Desirable Qualification(s)	Candidates should have practical skills in boat-based surveys, nest monitoring, telemetry assistance, field photography, and night spotlight surveys. Basic knowledge of data recording and willingness to assist in ecological data collection and analysis is preferred. The role requires strong motivation for extensive fieldwork in remote and challenging environments across the Andaman and Nicobar Islands.
	Description of Work	The selected candidate will work with a team mandated to carry out field surveys; data analyses, liaisoning with forest department, report writing and all other project related works assigned by the Project Investigator.

### GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. **Applicant(s) are advised to carefully read stated the terms & conditions and strictly follow the instructions while filling the application form. Educational details should be entered strictly as per mark sheets of education board/university.**
2. Incomplete Applications (without proof for age, education qualification, research/ work experience mentioning start and end tenure date from employer/ guide/ supervisor, without passport size photograph and signature, application processing fee receipt, etc.) are liable to be rejected.
3. 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, candidate belongs to category **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 shall be payable through **Online Banking/ NEFT/ RTGS/ Electronic Mode** to the following Bank Account:

PAYMENT DETAILS FOR OFFLINE MODE/ INTERNET BANKING	SCAN QR CODE FOR UPI PAYMENT
<p><b>Account Name: RRP Cell Revolving/ Director Wildlife Institute of India</b>  <b>Name of the Bank: Union Bank of India</b>  <b>Branch: Wildlife Institute of India, Chandrabani, Dehradun – 248 001</b>  <b>Account No.: 518502010059776</b>  <b>IFSC Code: UBIN0551856</b></p>	<p>SCAN &amp; PAY TO RRP CELL REVOLVING FUND</p>  <p>staticcbp.a000000000023490@axisbank</p> <p><b>BHIM</b>   <b>UPI</b>  <small>BHARAT HARTIKA FOR MONEY LIMITED PAYMENTS INTERFACE</small></p> <p> PhonePe  Google Pay  Paytm</p>

*Note: Applicants can also submit Application Processing Fee through internet banking (NEFT/ RTGS) or via offline mode from any bank, using the bank details (Cash/ Demand Draft) provided above. Before paying through online/ electronic mode, kindly ensure the Account Holder Name "RRP CELL REVOLVING FUND/ Director Wildlife Institute of India". After successful payment, please attach the receipt in the online Application Form.*

4. Applicant shall also have to upload a copy of the Application Processing Fee(s) deposited in the above-mentioned account and upload receipt followed by the WII-RP Cell online application portal link <https://wiirp.com/application.php>. Failing to upload the same shall lead to rejection of the application. Application/ Processing Fee is non-refundable once paid, even if the application is later rejected/ not short-listed or the applicant withdraws their application.
5. **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).**
6. Candidate applying for more than one position shall have to submit separate online Application Forms along with the supporting documents and Application/Processing Fee for each position. Failing to this, the applications for which supporting documents are not attached will be rejected.
7. Candidate(s) presently working/engaged with any WII's project or research activity or Ph.D. scholars must attach a recent **"NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE"** (not more than one month older than last date of application) from their concerned Project Investigator/Supervisor/ Nodal Officer, as the case may be. Similarly, the candidate earlier worked at WII has to produce 'No Dues' certificate obtained from WII.
8. Shortlisting of applicants for online interview will be based on essential qualification, age limit, percentage of marks in Bachelor's/ 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.
9. 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**

<b>% Marks in Bachelor's Degree (As per EQ of the advertised post)</b>	<b>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)</b>	<b>Total Marks</b>
<b>25 Marks</b>	<b>25 Marks</b>	<b>50 Marks</b>

**b) Project Associate - I category**

<b>% Marks in Master's Degree (As per EQ of the advertised post)</b>	<b>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)</b>	<b>Total Marks</b>
<b>25 Marks</b>	<b>25 Marks</b>	<b>50 Marks</b>

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

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

10. 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.**

11. Based on the above stated screening criteria, top ten (10) short-listed candidates against each respective advertised project/position shall be called for interview(s).
12. A duly constituted Selection Committee will conduct the recruitment process.
13. Selected candidates must produce all original documents/certificates at the time of joining for necessary verification.
14. 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 or terminated, and due action will be taken. Relaxation in the upper age limit shall be applicable 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.  
As of now, 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.
15. The positions advertised are purely temporary basis for the project period as specified in the advertisement. These will stand abolished after the completion of the project.
16. 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, with due approval of the competent authority.
17. The Institute's rules and regulations govern the project's tenure and code of conducts of the selected candidates.
18. Canvassing in any form is liable to rejection of the candidature
19. The list of shortlisted candidates for interview and the result of interview will be uploaded in “**Latest News & Announcements**” section of the Institute’s website <https://wii.gov.in/news> The selected candidates have to join the project position immediately within given duration given in the Offer Letter.
20. The Director, WII, reserves the right to reject any application/candidature with or without assigning any other reason(s), thereof.

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