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ADVERTISEMENT FOR POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP (PDRF)

IISER Berhampur is a premier autonomous Institution of National Importance funded by Ministry of Education (MoE), Govt. of India for promoting high quality Science Education and Research. IISER Berhampur invites applications for **Post-Doctoral Research Fellowship** in the Department of **Biological Sciences, Chemical Sciences, Mathematical Sciences, Physical Sciences, Earth & Environmental Sciences and Computer Science**. The application must be submitted online by filling in the form available at: <https://pdrfrec.iiserbpr.ac.in>

Minimum Qualifications: Ph.D. degree in respective discipline, with a consistently good academic record throughout. Candidates who have submitted the thesis and awaiting award of degree may also apply. These positions are open for candidates with 0-5 years of experience after obtaining PhD degree.

| Sl. No. | Category | Experience | Basic Emoluments | Remarks |
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| 1 | RA [#] | NA | Rs. 42000/- plus HRA* | For candidates who have submitted thesis but PhD degree is awaited |
| 2 | PDRF | Upto 1 Year | Rs. 58000/- plus HRA* | -- |
| 3 | PDRF | More than 1 year upto 2 Years | Rs. 61000/- plus HRA* | -- |
| 4 | PDRF | More than 2 years | Rs. 67000/- plus HRA* | -- |

* As per the prevailing rates applicable to the city of Berhampur on basic emoluments.

Candidate has to produce a letter from competent authority stating that the thesis has been submitted and the final viva/defense is pending.

The appointees will be called as Postdoctoral Research Fellow (PDRF) and the initial award will be for 1 year which can be extended for maximum of 3 years. The extension after each year will be after thorough review of the candidate's performance. Those who do not have PhD degree will be called as Research Associate (RA).

Age: The upper age limit is preferably less than 35 years as on the date of application.

Accommodation: Suitable residential accommodation as per the Institute rules shall be provided on the campus on joining the Institute (subject to availability). In case of non-availability of residential accommodation, HRA as per GoI rules shall be admissible.

Leave Rules: Each postdoctoral fellow will be entitled for 30 days of Annual Leave in a calendar year. He/she will be entitled for on duty leave for attending conferences/workshop/seminars/academic visits as per institute rules. Leave on medical grounds can be granted for a maximum period of 15 days in a year on production of a valid medical certificate.

Medical Facilities: Only OPD medical consultation will be provided to the postdoctoral fellows as per the Institute norms. However, candidates joining the Institute should have medical insurance of at least **One lakh** for the period of their stay at the Institute.

Notes:

- These fellowships are open for foreign nationals and overseas citizens of India too.
- Please see respective Departmental website for detailed research areas.
- The minimum requirement of qualifications and/or experience may be relaxed in case of exceptionally outstanding candidates in certain areas.
- A mere fulfilment of required minimum qualifications and experience does not entitle a candidate to be called for discussion.
- Reservation will be as per Govt. of India norms.
- The foreign residents and overseas citizens of India can attend the interview via Skype.
- Campus facilities for postdoctoral fellows will be the same as those of UG and PG students.
- The interviews for the postdoctoral fellows shall be conducted periodically in a calendar year.
- Applications of selected candidates may also be forwarded to DST-SERB through the Institute for consideration of financial support. Details of the SERB National Post-Doctoral Fellowship (N-PDF) is available at <http://www.serb.gov.in/npdf.php>

N.B. - This advertisement supersedes earlier advertisement no. IISERBPR/DoFA/PDF/2019/01 Date: 05th April, 2019

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Director