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NOTIFICATION

Applications are invited for selection to the post of **Project Assistant** under the project entitled “**Deciphering the arms race between Indian *Xanthomonas oryzae* pv. *oryzae* and *Oryza sativa* for durable bacterial blight resistant rice: A genomics based approach**”. The details about all post, essential and desirable qualifications are given below.

S.No	Name of the Position	No. of posts	Monthly emoluments	Age	Qualifications
01	Project Assistant	02	Project assistant @ INR 20000 /- pm +27% HRA	Maximum 35 years for men and 40 years for women (Age relaxation for SC/ST/OBC/Physically Challenged/Ex-Serviceman/Women Candidates as per Govt. of India Rules)	Minimum Essential Qualifications: B.Sc. degree in Agriculture/Microbiology/Biotechnology/Plant Sciences/Life Sciences Desirable Qualifications: 1. Post-graduation in any of the above mentioned subjects 2. Experience in regular laboratory works related to Plant Pathology and molecular biological techniques, collection of field/glasshouse experiment data, data entry and basic knowledge in data analysis

Eligible candidates may send their applications in the prescribed pro-forma to the e-mail address **lahags66@gmail.com** latest by **10.10.2026** along with the Application form (enclosed in word format), self-attested scanned copies of original certificates of educational qualifications, experience certificates, additional qualifications (if any) to be uploaded as a **Single PDF File** in the same order as mentioned here.

After screening of the applications, the short listed candidates will be informed about the details of Virtual Interview (Date and Time) by mail.

Original documents will be verified at the time of appointment. If any candidate is found to have submitted false claims at later stage, their candidature will be summarily rejected.

Terms & Conditions

1. The above post is purely temporary and is for one year.
2. If we receive large number of applications, the applications will be shortlisted for interview based on desirable qualifications and experience.
3. Original documents will be verified at the time of interview.
4. The interview of eligible, short listed candidates will be held virtually on the prescribed date and time which will be communicated by mail.
5. The candidates will have to send a soft copy of filled in application form duly signed as per the format annexed, along with the self-attested scanned copies of the original documents of the qualifications and a recent photograph pasted onto the scan application as a **Single PDF File**.
6. The selected candidate will be required to produce all the original documents and medical certificate at the time of joining.
7. Only the shortlisted candidates would be interviewed.
8. Concealing of facts or canvassing in any form shall lead to disqualification or termination of such candidates.
9. Mobile Number and E-mail ID must be entered in the prescribed application form; therefore, the applicant must have a valid operative email and mobile number.
10. No Objection Certificate from the present employer is must, if the candidate is already working.
11. The decision of PI would be final and binding in all aspects.

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PI of the Project (IIRR component)