

Advt. No. 14/ Project/ 2026/ HR

Interview for 'Project Research Associate – I' Position

- Title of Project:** Deciphering Inositol polyphosphate roles as crosstalk modulators of (a)biotic stress adaptation and biotechnological application of underlying signaling routes to improve defense response and nutritional uptake in plants (BT/PR45561/AGIII/103/1386/2023).
- Tenure of the Position:** Initially for a period of one (01) year, extendable up to the duration of the project (i.e. 30.07.2027). The PI reserves the right to terminate the candidate's appointment with 1 months' notice if satisfactory progress is not demonstrated.
- Essential Qualifications:** PhD in Life Sciences/Plant Biology/Plant-Pathogen Interactions/Biochemistry/Biotechnology.
Hands-on experience in advanced molecular biology techniques such as DNA & RNA isolation, protein purification, routine PCRs and cloning. Experience in protein purification from plant and bacterial samples, *in vitro* and *in vivo* protein-protein interaction assays.
- Desirable Qualifications:** Prior hands-on experience on proteomics especially related to plant-pathogen interactions.
- No. of Position:** 01 (One)
- Age:** up to 35 yrs.
- Principal Investigator:** Dr. Saikat Bhattacharjee, Associate Professor, RCB
- Emoluments:** Rs. 58,000/- + 24% HRA per month

Interested candidates should apply online by **18th June, 2026, 5:00 PM.** [Apply Online](#)

The shortlisted candidates will be informed via email to appear in the online interview to be held at **10:30 AM on 24th June, 2026.**

For any query, you may contact PI by email: saikat@rcb.res.in

Please upload the following documents with your application:

- 1) PhD Award Certificate.
- 2) Detailed CV.
- 3) Soft copies of published manuscripts.
- 4) Name, contact Nos. and recommendations of at least 2 referees from the PhD/post-doctoral tenure.

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