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**Contractual Engagement of Project Personnel for Project “Population Management of Species Involved in Human Wildlife Conflict”**

The Wildlife Institute of India, an autonomous institution of the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change (MoEFCC), Government of India, plans to engage project personnel for various positions on a contractual basis, initially for one year period from the date of appointment that can be extended depending on the candidates' performance and the project requirement.

The project “*Population management of species involved in human-wildlife conflict*” is an MoEF&CC sponsored project that aims to develop appropriate mechanisms for population control of select wild animal species that are in conflict with humans. The project will be implemented in two phases that would involve developing and implementing a range of strategies including immuno-contraception for managing wild animal populations. The work description, essential qualifications, age, monthly emoluments plus admissible allowances for the required positions are given in **Annexure 1**. The upper age limits as mentioned below may be relaxed for SC/ST and OBC candidates as per the rules of Government of India.

**Age relaxation:**

Relaxation in upper age limit shall be allowed in accordance with the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel & Training) OM No.1501282/2010-Estt.(D) dated 27.03.2012 as amended from time to time. However, the categories of upper age relaxations are as follows:

- (a) Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, and women candidates up to 5 years.
- (b) Other Backward Class (OBC) up to 3 years.

**Recruitment process:**

The Project Personnel (Indian Nationals only) for the project will be recruited through an online test followed by a personal interview. The online test for these positions will be conducted at 10 centres namely; (i) Dehradun, (ii) Mumbai, (iii) Bangalore, (iv) Chennai, (v) Kolkata, (vi) Delhi/NCR, (vii) Bhopal, (viii) Lucknow, (ix) Guwahati, and (x) Hyderabad. The address of the centre(s) will be communicated to candidates through their Admit Card.

Candidates who have cleared the CSIR/UGC- JRF Fellowship exam and have active fellowship are exempt from online exam. These candidates have to submit fees online and appear for interview on designated day. The qualification of the UGC/CSIR JRF- Fellowship exam does not entitle a student for direct recruitment for the post or guarantee registration of Ph.D. This exam is deemed to be solely of qualifying nature, in lieu of the exam conducted by WII. The merit and aptitude of these students will be decided based on their interview. Candidates who have not registered will not be entertained for interview.

#### **Written Examination and Interview:**

- (i) The entrusted online agency will issue “Admit Card” to eligible candidates which can be downloaded from weblink provided. The admit card will have details of Examination Centre, Date and Time of online test, likely to be held at **1200 hrs on 18<sup>th</sup> August 2019**, at the 10 centres wherein applicants will appear for the online written test. Applicants will make their own arrangement for travel and accommodation for appearing in online test.
- (ii) The written examination will be of one hour and 30 minutes duration that will include:
  - a) 30 multiple choice questions on ‘General Ecology and Conservation Biology’ (60 Marks)
  - b) One essay of 250 words on a given topic related to Ecology and Wildlife Conservation (40 Marks each)
- (iii) The result of the written test for advertised position shall be declared on the Institute’s website [www.wii.gov.in](http://www.wii.gov.in). The shortlisted candidates will be called for a personal interview at the Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun. The interviews are likely to be held on 28<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> August 2019, the **final dates of which would be notified to the shortlisted candidates and also hosted on the Institute’s website**. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the written test or the interview

#### **How to Apply:**

- (i) The entire process for registration and written test is “Online”. Details for online registration and test will be hosted on the WII’s website (<http://www.wii.gov.in/>) under recruitment section. The online registration process will open on **25<sup>th</sup> July 2019**, and close on **11<sup>th</sup> August 2019**, which will be the last date of receipt of application.

Online Registration link - <https://services2.amezo.com/wiihwc/reg/>

- (ii) All eligible interested candidates are advised to follow the latest updates on WII’s website (<http://www.wii.gov.in/>) under recruitment section for online registration, submission of application and payment of application processing fee, downloading of admit card, etc.
- (iii) Candidates will be required to enter their personal, educational and professional experience profiles online besides uploading a recent passport size photograph. Candidates will make the payment of application processing fee of Rs. 500/- (Rupees

Five hundred only) through the prescribed “Payment Gateway”. Candidates belonging to SC, ST category need to pay only Rs 100/- as communication fees.

- (iv) The original documents must be produced for verification at the time of interview of shortlisted candidates.
- (v) Candidates must mention the Project Position applied for in their applications.

### **General Conditions**

- (i) The candidate should report by 0900 hrs on the day of the interview for verification of documents followed by personal interview. The Institute will not provide accommodation for candidates appearing for the written test and personal interview.
- (ii) At the time of interview, shortlisted candidates should bring attested true copies of testimonials of educational qualifications, mark sheets, date of birth, and other relevant documents of professional experience.
- (iii) All original documents/certificates must be produced at the time of interview for necessary verification.
- (iv) No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.

### **Terms of disqualification:**

Applications received after the due date, without the application fee, incomplete, or not in prescribed format are liable to be rejected. Mere fulfilment of the minimum advertised qualification and experience requirement DOES NOT automatically entitle an applicant to be called for written test / interview. The decision of the Institute in all matters relating to eligibility, acceptance or rejection of application, mode of selection will be final and binding on the candidates and no enquiry or correspondence will be entertained from any individual or his / her agency. At the time of the verification of original documents, if it is found that an attempt has been made by the applicant to wilfully conceal, misrepresent facts or canvass in any form, his / her candidature will not be considered and he / she will be disqualified. Candidates are required to furnish the declaration form as given in the prescribed application format.

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.

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**ANNEXURE I – Details of positions, qualifications, work description, emoluments**

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Essential Qualifications</b>	<b>Desired Qualifications</b>	<b>Work Description</b>	<b>Age Limit</b>	<b>Monthly Emoluments (INR)</b>
1	Project Fellow – Ecology (03 positions)	M.Sc. in Life Sciences viz. Wildlife/Botany/ Zoology/Forestry/ Agriculture or related subjects with minimum 1 year experience	Prior experience and aptitude for working in rigorous field conditions; knowledge of sampling methods/basic statistics	Candidate will conduct animal behaviour, population ecology, and related research work	≤ 30 years	Rs. 31,000 + HRA (when and as applicable)
2	Research Assistant – Ecology (03 positions)	M.Sc. in Life Sciences viz. Wildlife/Botany/ Zoology or related subjects	Aptitude for field work in rigorous conditions, prior experience desirable	Candidate will assist in animal behaviour, population ecology, and related research work	≤ 28 years	Rs. 22,000+ HRA (when and as applicable)
3	Research Assistant – Microbiology (01 position)	M.Sc. in Microbiology/ Biotechnology/ Life Sciences	Prior experience in molecular laboratory work	Candidate will be based in Dehradun and conduct molecular analyses	≤ 28 years	Rs. 22,000 + HRA (when and as applicable)