



**NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF IMMUNOLOGY  
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Applications are invited for the position of Research Associate for the following time-bound sponsored project as per the details given below:

<b>Name of the project and duration of the project</b>	<b>Post details and no. of post</b>	<b>Name of the Project Investigator and Email ID</b>
Project titled 'A novel vaccine evaluation platform to support SARS-CoV-2 vaccine development in resource-limiting setting' funded by BIRAC <b>Tenable till: August 31, 2022</b>	Research Associate (one position)	Dr. Devinder Sehgal Staff Scientist VII  devinder@nii.ac.in

**Educational qualifications:** PhD degree in molecular immunology or human infectious diseases

**Emoluments:** Rs. 47,000 per month plus 24% HRA (as per DST OM dated 30.01.2019)

**Job description and desired knowledge**

The responsibilities assigned to the candidate will require an in depth knowledge of molecular immunology and infectious disease biology, and would involve shaping and executing research plans, optimization of research methodologies, performing experiments, data collection and analysis, and writing scientific reports/ manuscripts. The candidate will be required to carry out research activities within the predetermined scope and methodology of the project.

The incumbent should have solid background in molecular biology and immunological techniques. The incumbent should have bench-level experience in, but not limited to, the following techniques: Cloning, transfection, mammalian culture, expression and purification proteins/ recombinant antibodies, flow cytometry, single cell PCR, mice handling, B cell subset analysis and nucleotide sequence analysis.

The candidate should have at least one first-author research article in an international peer reviewed journal

**General terms and conditions**

1. Apart from sending application in the prescribed format given below, the candidates should email a cover letter, Curriculum Vitae and a statement of research experience relevant to this position (all as a single PDF file). The cover letter should summarize the candidate's research accomplishments in one page. The Curriculum Vitae should contain details of his/ her technical expertise and list of publications. Contact information (with complete postal address, email ID and phone number) for 3 academic referees should be provided. The subject line of your email application should read 'Application for Research Associate position'.
2. The candidates selected for the above post will be on contract for one year or duration of the project whichever is shorter, at a time.
3. No hostel/ housing facility will be provided.
4. Applicants may clearly mention the category they belong to i. e. SC/ ST/ OBC/ PH and attach documentary proof of the same.
5. No TA/ DA will be paid for attending the interview, if called for.
6. Shortlisted candidates will be intimated by email about the date and time of interview. The interview will be held online through video conferencing.

7. Canvassing in any form will be a disqualification.

## HOW TO APPLY

Interested candidates may apply directly, **STRICTLY IN THE PRESCRIBED FORMAT GIVEN BELOW**, through e-mail, to the Principal Investigator of the project, clearly indicating the name of the project along with their complete Curriculum Vitae, email ID, fax and telephone numbers. **Only Short listed candidates** will be called for interview and they are required to submit attested copies of all their certificates and a Demand Draft of Rs 100 drawn on Canara Bank or Indian Bank payable at Delhi/ New Delhi in favour of the Director, NII (SC/ ST/ PH and women candidates are exempted from payment of fees subject to submission of documentary proof), at the time of interview.

**PS: Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, the interview will be held through online mode only. Please mention your valid email ID while applying for the position.**

**LAST DATE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS IS NOVEMBER 16, 2020**

### PRESCRIBED FORMAT

1.	Full name:				
2.	Father's name:				
3.	Mother's name:				
4.	Date of birth and age:				
5.	Gender:				
6.	Category (SC/ ST/ OBC / PH):				
7 (a)	Full correspondence address:				
(b)	Permanent address:				
8.	E. mail-ID, fax, telephone no. and mobile no. (if any):				
9.	Details of past experience and present employment, if any:				
10.	Candidates should state clearly whether they have been awarded PhD degree or thesis has been submitted:				
11.	Whether qualified any ' <b>National Level Examination</b> ' e. g. (NET/ GATE), (if any):				
12	Details of the academic qualifications:				
	Name of examination passed	Year of passing	Board/ Institution/ University	Percentage and division	Remarks

#### Please note

1. Applications containing incomplete information shall not be entertained.
2. Date of passing the examinations must be indicated clearly.