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**INSTITUTE OF LIFE SCIENCES**  
(An Autonomous Institute under the Dept. of Biotechnology, Ministry of  
Science & Technology, Govt. of India)  
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Institute of Life Sciences (ILS), Bhubaneswar, an autonomous institute of the Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science & Technology, Government of India invites applications from Indian Nationals to join in the following project position.

**Project:** Proposal for Establishing a Bio-repository for COVID 19 Viral and Clinical Samples.'

**Name of position:**

1. Research Associate-I (01 position)
2. Data Entry Operator (01 position)

**Fellowship/ Emolument:**

1. Research Associate-I: Rs. 47,000/- + @ 16% HRA
2. Data Entry Operator: Rs. 31,000/- (Fixed)

**Eligibility:**

1. **Research Associate-I:** Candidates having Ph.D. in any branch of Life Sciences are eligible to apply. Research experience in Virology, cell biology, microbiology, molecular biology and infectious disease biology will be preferred. Candidate with first author paper in peer-reviewed journals (PubMed listed) will be preferred. Candidates who have submitted Ph.D. thesis and are waiting for viva voce may also apply. For such candidates, fellowship amount will be that of an SRF until he/she defends Ph.D. thesis.
2. **Data Entry Operator:** Bachelor's degree in Computer Science/ IT/Computer application are eligible to apply. Candidates should have a computer speed of 15000 keys/ hr.

**Selection will be carried out through application screening, followed by an interview process.**

Interested/eligible candidates may download application form from the institute website ([www.ils.res.in](http://www.ils.res.in)) and apply along with self-attested copies of mark sheets and certificates, as well as copies of publications and Ph.D. thesis synopsis to the "Director, Institute of Life Sciences, Nalco Square, Bhubaneswar-751023." Super-scribe the envelope with "Advertise No..... & Application for the position of ..... ". Incomplete applications and applications without the above-mentioned documents will be rejected.

The selected candidate will not have any right to claim explicit or implicit for any post in the Institute of Life Sciences. Only names of shortlisted candidates will be published on the Institute website and a separate call letter will not be issued. No TA/DA will be given for attending the interview. The decision of the Director regarding the selection of the candidates will be final and no correspondence will be entertained in this regard.

1. **Last date for receiving application:** 01.03.2022
2. **Date of display of shortlisted candidates on the ILS website:** 04.03.2022
3. **Date & time of interview:** will be notified on the website

*Note: All communication will be through e-mail. No separate call letter will be issued to the candidates.*

**Administrative Officer**