

TAMIL NADU FOREST DEPARTMENT Anamalai Tiger Reserve, Coimbatore – 641 043 Phone – 0422 2453114 Email – fielddirectoratr@gmail.com



ANNOUNCE MENT

Requirement of Research Coordinator (Project Scientist - PS -1 Position) and Senior Research Fellow (SRF-04 Positions) for the Project Nilgiri Tahr which will be implemented in the Nilgiri Tahr habitat of Tamil Nadu state on contractual basis. The positions are purely on a temporary basis (Indian nationals only). Interested candidates may apply online. Details of the vacancies and application procedures are given below:

C. No. 107/2023/D1 dt: 04 .03.2023

Tamil Nadu Forest Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, invites applications from Indian Nationals for the temporary position of **Project Scientist (PS – 1 Position)** for carrying out the Projects under **Project on Nilgiri Tahr which will be implemented in the Nilgiri Tahr habitat of Tamil Nadu state** on contractual basis through short listing and a personal Interview. Details of the position along with essential and desirable qualifications, and monthly consolidated remuneration are given in **Annexure-I.**

The last date of receipt of completed application forms along with supporting documents is 27.03.2023 up to 5.00 PM. The duly filled in application with documents should be sent by hard copy to the below signed authority by post preferably or by email to_fielddirectoratr@gmail.com

Conservator of Forests and Field Director, Anamalai Tiger Reserve, Coimbatore.

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GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

- 1. Age limit for Research Coordinator (Project Scientist) is 40 years and Senior Research Fellow (SRF) is 30 years as on the date of the interview. However, age relaxation the upper age limit may be relaxed up to 5 years in the case of candidates belonging to SC/ST/OBC and Women applicants as per Government of Tamil Nadu norms.
- 2. Application should be in the prescribed format, duly signed and should be accompanied by self-attested copies of documents on educational qualifications, research experience, extracurricular activities, date of birth, mark sheets of all examinations, community certificate (if seeking relaxation as per Government of Tamil Nadu rules) etc.
- 3. The Forest Department will not provide accommodation and no TA/DA will be paid to the candidates appearing for the personal interview. The interview will be in either online or physical mode.
- 4. At the time of the verification of original documents or even after selection, if it is found that an attempt has been made by the applicant to wilfully conceal, misrepresent the facts or canvass, such application will be rejected, and due action will be taken against the candidate.
- 5. The application form can be downloaded from the Tamil Nadu Forest Department website http://forests.tn.nic.in
- 6. The date and time of the personal interview will be intimated individually by email to the shortlisted candidates.
- 7. The candidates who score equivalent marks, the senior person in terms of the Date of Birth shall be given priority.
- 8. The Conservator of Forests and Field Director Anamalai Tiger Reserve, Coimbatore reserves the right to reject any candidature in view of incomplete information provided by the candidate or for any other reason thereof.
- 9. The applicant should be cautious against touts and agents who may cheat, by making false promises of securing jobs through unfair means.
- 10. The Forest Department shall not be responsible or liable for any loss that may be caused to any applicant on account of indulging in any sort of dealings with such unscrupulous elements.
- 11. Selected candidates are **expected to join IMMEDIATELY** as the projects have very strict timelines.

12. Candidates are expected to be FULLY vaccinated against COVID-19.

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	Monthly Remuneration		Consolidated pay of Rs. 70,000/- per month			
	Age Relaxation		The upper age limit may be relaxed up to 5 years for the candidates belonging to SC/ST//BC/ and Women category.			
	Maximum Age limit		40 years			
ANNEXURE - I	Educational Qualifications	Project Nilgiri Tahr implemented in the Nilgiri Tahr habitats of Tamil Nadu state.	PhD. Degree in Zoology/ Botany/ Wildlife Biology/ Environmental Science/ Forestry. Essential Qualification: Doctorate Degree in any of the above disciplines with a minimum 60% aggregate marks and above in P.G. from a recognized university. Minimum two years experience in wildlife management, translocation of wildlife, spatial data analysis, and management plan preparation. Working experience in Nilgiri Tahr would be given added weightage. Candidate should have a proven record of published research. Desirable Qualification: 1) Knowledge of management plan preparation, 2) Independent research work experience in wildlife 3) Knowledge about forest ecosystems especially mountain ecosystems 3) Knowledge about R and other statistical software, 4) Excellent oral presentations and writing skills. 5) Very good physical endurance to work in the mountain environment. Fluency in Tamil language is an added advantage. Good knowledge in computer data management, Need to possess good experience in software and mobile application development. Should have typing skill at lower grade level.			
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Description of Work: Planning and execution of the project by coordinating with Research Organizations, District Administration and local communities. Financial and logistics management. Conducting meetings, workshops, data analysis, preparation of reports and organise capacity building trainings. Conducting and co-ordinating field level research and eco-tourism activities.	Project Nilgiri Tahr implemented in the Nilgiri Tahr habitats of Tamil Nadu state. Master's Degree in Botany/ Zoology/ Forestry/ Life Science/ Environmental Science/ Wildlife Biology with 2 years of research experience. Essential Qualification: Degree in any of the above disciplines with a minimum 60% aggregate marks and above in P.G. from a recognized university Desirable Qualification: 1) Knowledge about forest ecosystems, especially mountain ecosystems. 2. SRF contractual basis (Project based position) Project based advantage. 4) Very good physical endurance to work in the mountain environment. Good knowledge in computer data management, Need to possess good experience in software and mobile application development. Should have typing skill at lower grade level.		
	Senior Research Fellow (4 positions) on contractual basis (Project based position)		
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- 7. Research publications, title of the publication, year of publication, journal, etc., may be indicated (reprints may be enclosed). Details may be given in a separate sheet.
- 8. Seminar/Symposium/Workshop/Conference attended (Documentary proof(s) may be enclosed).
- 9. Extracurricular activities. (Details may be given in a separate sheet).
- 10. National Parks, Sanctuaries & Forest areas visited, and a paragraph on self interest in the field of Wildlife Conservation & Research (attach a separate sheet).
- 11. Name, Complete Postal Address and Phone Number of three referees should be given below.

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12. Certified that information furnished above are correct to the best of my knowledge.

Date:	(Signature of the Applicant
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