

## Advertisement

Walk-in-interviews will be held at Arid Forest Research Institute (AFRI), New Pali Road, Krishi Upaz Mandi P.O Jodhpur- 342005, Rajasthan, from 20 to 22 January , 2020 at 9.30 A.M. for the positions of Research Associate (RA), Junior Research Fellows (JRFs), Junior Project Fellows (JPFs), Project Assistants (PA) and Field Assistant (FA) in the research projects purely on temporary basis and co-terminus with the project period. Interested and eligible candidates are requested to attend the walk-in-interview. **Details of advertisement is available on AFRI website (<http://afri.icfre.org> & [www.icfre.org](http://www.icfre.org)).**

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Director  
AFRI, Jodhpur



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पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार की स्वायत्त संस्थान)  
डाकघर-कृषि उपज मण्डी, न्यू पाली रोड, जोधपुर-342005



### ARID FOREST RESEARCH INSTITUTE

(Indian Council of Forestry Research & Education,  
An Autonomous Body of the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate change, Govt. of India)  
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List of Projects, Project codes, PIs, and details of staff to be recruited at AFRI

Sr N.	Title of project, name of PI	AFRI Project Code	Duration	No. of positions & Consolidated Emoluments /Month (Rs.)	Educational Qualifications & Experience
1	Survey, Invetorization, Documentation, Propagation and Conservation of Rare, Endangered and Threatened medicinal plants of Arid and Semi arid regions. . PI: Dr. I.D. Arya, Scientist-G	NMPB	3 Years	JRF-01 Rs. 31000/- per Month + HRA as per rules	Essential: Post Graduate (PG) in Botany/ Biotechnology with first Division with NET/GATE.
			3 years	FA-01 Rs. 16000/ month (fixed)	Essential: First class B.Sc./B.Tech in - Biological sciences Desirable: Knowledge of computer applications
2	National Programme for Conservation and Development of Forest Genetic Resources Regional coordinator : Dr. Tarun Kant A.FGR Documentation Cell PI: S. R Baloch Dr. G. Singh Mrs. Bhawana Sharma	FGR-1	5 Years	RA-01 Rs. 47,000 / month + HRA As per rule	Essential: PhD in Botany/ Forestry/ Biotechnology/ Environment Science Or Three years of Research experience after Post graduation. Desirable: Knowledge of computer applications
				JPF-03 Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	Essential: First class M.Sc in Botany/ Forestry/ Biotechnology/ Soil science/ Environment Science. Desirable: Knowledge of computer applications
3	National Programme for Conservation and Development of Forest Genetic Resources (FGR). B. FGR-Seed Cell PI: Dr. N. K Bohra Dr. Sarita Arya	FGR-2	5 Years	JPF-03 Rs. 16000/- per Month &HRA as per rules	Essential: First Class M.Sc. in Botany/ Agriculture/Forestry/ Biotechnology (Knowledge of computer is essential)
				PA -01 Rs 15500 / month (fixed)	Essential: First class B.Sc. in any branch of Life science Desirable: Knowledge of computer applications

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4	National Programme for Conservation and Development of Forest Genetic Resources (FGR). H. S Ginwal/FRI Dehradun <b>C. FGR Characterization cell</b> <b>PI: Dr.Tarun Kant</b>	FGR-3	5 Years	<b>JPF-03</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. – Molecular Biology/ Biotechnology or Applied Sciences/Life Sciences/Plant Sciences stream with specialization in Biotechnology and/or Molecular Biology <b>Desirable:</b> Hands-on experience in general molecular biology techniques along with working knowledge of computer based productivity tools
				<b>PA-01</b> Rs.15500 / month (fixed)	<b>Essential:</b> First class B.Sc./B.Tech in – Biological Sciences with Botany/Plant Sciences as one subject <b>Desirable:</b> Hands-on experience in general molecular biology techniques along with working knowledge of computer based productivity tools
5	National Programme for Conservation and Development of Forest Genetic Resources (FGR). H. S Ginwal/FRI Dehradun <b>D. FGR Conservation Cell</b> <b>PI: Dr. M.T Hegde</b>	FGR-4	5 Years	<b>JPF-03</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month + HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc in Botany/ Forestry/ Agriculture <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge in Computer application and data analysis.
6	All India coordinated research project on bamboo. <b>PI Dr. Sarita Arya</b>	AFRI-AICRP-2	5 Years	<b>JPF-02</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month &HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. In Botany/Biotechnology <b>Desirable:</b> Experience in field of Tissue culture
7	Conservation, improvement, management and promotion of sandalwood ( <i>Santalum album</i> ) cultivation in India. <b>PI: Dr. M. T. Hegde</b>	AFRI-AICRP-3A	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month &HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc in Botany/ Forestry/ Agriculture(Plant Breeding or Seed Technology) / Biotechnology <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge in Computer application and data analysis.
8	Genetic improvement of Eucalyptus. <b>PI:Dr. N. K. Bohra</b>	AFRI-AICRP-4	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. in Botany/ Forestry/ Agriculture / Biotechnology <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications and data analysis
9	Assessment and monitoring of invasive alien plant species in India and formulation of strategies for management of key species in different regions of the country. <b>PI: Smt. Seema Kumar</b>	AFRI-AICRP-7A	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. Zoology (Entomology) <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications and data analysis
		AFRI-AICRP-7B		<b>PA-01</b> 15500 / month (fixed)	<b>Essential:</b> First class B.Sc. In any branch of Life science <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
10	Conservation and productivity improvement of Red Sanders ( <i>Pterocarpus santalinus</i> ). <b>PI: Dr. M. T. Hegde</b>	AFRI-AICRP-8	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc in Botany/ Forestry/ Biotechnology / Agriculture(Specialization in Genetics or Plant breeding) <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge in Computer application and data analysis.

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11	Quality teak production: Capitalizing on cloning. <b>PI: Dr. Bilas Singh</b>	AFRI-AICRP-9	5 Years	<b>JPF - 01</b> Rs. 16000 / Month + HRA as per rule	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. In Botany/Forestry/Agriculture <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications and data analysis
12	Developing seed testing, seed storage protocols and nursery techniques of selected forestry species from diverse types. <b>PI: Dr.N.K.Bohra</b>	AFRI-AICRP-10	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month &HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. in Botany/ Forestry/ Agriculture/ Biotechnology/ Chemistry <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications and data analysis
13	All India coordinated research project on <i>Dalbergia sissoo</i> . <b>PI: Dr. Sangeeta Singh</b>	AFRI-AICRP-11-A	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month &HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. In Agriculture/ Botany/ Biotechnology/ Life science/ Forestry/ Microbiology <b>Desirable:</b> Specialization in Pathology or Microbiology
14	All India coordinated research project on <i>Dalbergia sissoo</i> . <b>PI: Dr. S. K Rajput</b>	AFRI-AICRP-11-B		<b>PA-01</b> 15500 / month (fixed)	<b>Essential:</b> First class B.Sc in Life Science <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
15	Bio-prospecting for industrial utilization of lesser known forest plants <b>PI: Dr. Hemant Kumar</b>	AFRI-AICRP-16	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First division M.Sc. In Chemistry/ Biotechnology/ Botany/ Forestry <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
16	Enhancement of fodder availability and quality to reduce unsustainable grazing in the forests <b>PI: Sh. S. R. Baloch</b>	AFRI-AICRP-17A	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. in Botany/ Forestry/ Soil science/ Environment Science. <b>Desirable :</b> Knowledge of Computer
		AFRI-AICRP-17B		<b>PA-01</b> 15500 / month (fixed)	<b>Essential:</b> First class B.Sc in any Discipline of Life science <b>Desirable :</b> Knowledge of Computer
17	Silvicultural interventions for productivity enhancement and carbon sequestration in plantations of important tree species. <b>PI: Sh. A. Durai</b>	AFRI-AICRP-18	5 Years	<b>PA-01</b> 15500 / month (Fixed) (fixed)	<b>Essential:</b> First class B.Sc in any Discipline of Life science <b>Desirable :</b> Knowledge of Computer
18	Assessment of water requirement of different forest tree species and its impact on subsoil moisture <b>PI: S. R. Baloch</b>	AFRI-AICRP19	5 years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16,000/- per month & HRA as per rule	<b>Essential:</b> Post Graduate (PG) in Botany/ Forestry/ Environment Science/ Geology <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
19	Development of bio-pesticide products /formulations from extracts of tree borne oil seeds and different tissues of wild plants for management of insect pests. <b>PI: Dr.Shiwani Bhatnagar</b>	AFRI-AICRP-20	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. In Zoology (specialization in Entomology) / Agriculture (specialization in Entomology) / Forestry/ Biochemistry <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
20	Development of superior bio-fertilizer products for enhanced plant productivity. <b>PI: Dr. Sangeeta Singh</b>	AFRI-AICRP-21	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. In Agriculture/ Botany/ Biotechnology/ Life science/ Forestry/Microbiology <b>Desirable:</b> Specialization in Pathology or Microbiology

21	Preparation of forest soil health cards under different forest vegetations in all the forest divisions of India, <b>PI: Smt. Bhawana Sharma</b>	AFRI-AICRP-22A	3 Years	<b>JPF-02</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. In Botany/ Forestry/ Agriculture/ Soil Science/ Environment Science/ Life Science <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
		AFRI-AICRP-22B		<b>PA-02</b> Rs. 15500/- per Month (fixed)	<b>Essential:</b> First class B.Sc. In any branch of Life science/ Forestry/ Agriculture <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
22	Combating desertification by enhancing vegetation cover and people livelihoods in degraded drylands and deserts of India. <b>Pi: Dr. G. Singh</b>	AFRI-AICRP-24A	5 Years	<b>JPF-02</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. In Botany/ Forestry/ Agriculture/ Soil Science/ Environment Science/ Life Science <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
		AFRI-AICRP-24B		<b>PA -03</b> Rs. 15,500/ month (fixed)	<b>Essential:</b> First class B.Sc. In any branch of Life science/ Forestry/ Agriculture <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
23	Genetic improvement of <i>Azadirachta indica</i> A. Juss. (Neem). <b>PI: Dr. U. K. Tomar</b> <b>CoPI: Dr Tarun Kant</b> <b>Mrs. Desha Meena</b>	AFRI-AICRP-26A	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. In Botany/Biotechnology/Forestry/Agriculture/Life sciences <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
24	Sustainable management of NTFPs through conservation and value addition. <b>PI: Smt. Sangeeta Tripathi</b>	AFRI-AICRP-29	5 Years	<b>JPF-02</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. In any discipline <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
				<b>PA -01</b> Rs. 15500 / month (Fixed) (fixed)	<b>Essential:</b> First class B.Sc. In any discipline <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
25	Study of climate driven effects on Indian forests through long term monitoring. <b>PI. Gr. G.Singh</b> <b>Nodal Officer: Shri. S. R Baloch</b>	AFRI-AICRP-31-A	3 Years	<b>JPF-03</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. Botany/ Forestry/ Agriculture/ Soil science/ Environment Science/ Life Science. <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
		AFRI-AICRP-31-B		<b>PA -01</b> Rs. 15,500/ month (fixed)	<b>Essential:</b> First class B.Sc. In any branch of Life science <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of computer applications
26	Study of climate driven effects on Indian forests through long term monitoring. <b>Nodal Officer: Sangeeta Singh</b>	AFRI-AICRP-31-B	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month & HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. Agriculture/ Botany/ Biotechnology/ Life science/ Forestry/ Microbiology <b>Desirable:</b> Specialization in Pathology or Microbiology

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27	Study of climate driven effects on Indian forests through long term monitoring. <b>Nodal Officer: Shiwani Bhatnagar</b>	AFRI- AICRP-31-C	5 Years	<b>JPF-01</b> Rs. 16000/- per Month &HRA as per rules	<b>Essential:</b> First class M.Sc. Zoology/ Forestry/ Agriculture/Soil science/ Ecology Environment Science/ Life Science. <b>Desirable:</b> Specialization in Entomology
			Total	<b>RA-01, JRF-01, JPF-38, PA-13, FA-01, Total-54</b>	

**Terms and conditions:**

1. Only Indian nationals are eligible:-
2. Age limit as on **01.06.2019**
  - I. Research Associate - **35 years**
  - II. Senior Project Fellow - **32 years**
  - III. JRF/ Junior Project Fellow - **28 years**
  - IV. Project Assistants/ Field Assistant - **28 years**  
(Relax-able by 5 years for SC/ST/Women/Physically Handicapped and 3 years for OBC candidates).
3. The candidates who have already served AFRI as a Project Fellow for a period of **4 years** continuously are not eligible for the above engagements.
4. The position is temporary and Co-terminus with the project or earlier depending on the performance of the candidates.
5. Recruitment for the above temporary positions is governed by rules of the Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education and does not guarantee subsequent employment in any institutes under the council.
6. The interested candidates may appear before the Selection Committee with all their original certificates, mark sheets with a self attested copy of each of it, as per the date and time given below. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the walk in interview.
7. **Candidates without Provisional Certificate/Degree Certificate awarded by the Universities will not be permitted to attend the interview.**
8. Offer of engagement of the selected candidates will be issued subject to availability of funds and approval of the Competent Authority. Tenure mentioned in the advertisement is tentative and liable to be curtailed/ extended as per decision of the Competent Authority.
9. If it is found at any stage of the process or thereafter that the candidate does not fulfill the eligibility criteria, their candidature shall be cancelled without assigning and reason whatsoever. Further, the decision of Director, AFRI with regard to the selection process will be treated as final and binding to all concerned. No correspondence in this regard will be entertained by the Institute.
10. **The candidates have to strictly follow the form annexed (typed/filled) duly signed and submit on the date of interview.**
11. **Schedule of the walk-in-interview is details below:-**

S No.	Post	Date of the walk in interview	Reporting time
1.	RA/JRF/JPF/PA/AF in NMPB & FGR Project (Sr.No.1 to 5)	20-01-2020	9.30 AM
2.	RA/JRF/JPF/PA/AF in AICRP (Sr.No. 6 to 17)	21-01-2020	9.30 AM
3.	RA/JRF/JPF/PA/AF in AICRP (Sr.No. 18 to 27)	22-01-2020	9.30 AM

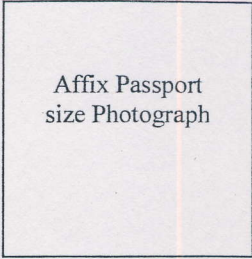
The Selection process may continue till late evening /next day. Candidates are advised to come prepared accordingly.

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Director  
AFRI, Jodhpur

**Annexure-I**

**Arid Forest Research Institute,  
New Pali Road, Jodhpur-342005  
Application Proforma**



1. Advertisement No. :  
2. Name in full (Capital letters) :  
3. Projects Code (Applied For) :  
4. Positions Applied For :  
5. Date of Birth : 

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6. Age as on 01.06.2019 : 

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7. Aadhar No. :  
8. Father's Name :  
9. Sex/Marital Status :  
10. Whether belongs to : SC/ST/OBC/PH/Others  
11. Communication Address :  
12. Email ID :  
13. Mobile No. :

14. Have you been engaged in any Research Work related to AFRI (as Trainee/Project Assistant/Project Fellow/JRF/SRF/Research Associate)? If so, please provide details with duration:

15. Educational Qualifications (attest self attested copies of testimonials) :

Qualifications	Institution	University/Board	Year of Passing	Subject	Division/ % of Marks	Specialization
Secondary						
Senior Secondary						
B.Sc.						
M.Sc./PG						
NET Details						
Any Other						
Experience Details						

**Declaration**

I hereby declare that the above information is correct and to the best of my knowledge and belief, if I am found to have concealed/distorted any material information, my appointment shall be liable for termination without notice.

Place:

Date:

Signature of Candidate