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Dr. Rajendra Prasad Central Agricultural University

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Pusa, Samastipur, Bihar -848125

Advt. No. 15/Temp./RPCAU/2024

Date: 28/06/2024

Advertisement for the posts of RA and SRF

Applications are invited for engagement of four (04) posts of Research Associate (RA) and five (05) posts Senior Research Fellow (SRF) on purely temporary basis, time bound and non-regular nature under the project entitled “**Climate Resilient Agriculture Programme**” (CARP) at Dr. Rajendra Prasad Central Agricultural University, Pusa.

Interested and eligible candidates have to submit duly filled application form (Available on university website) complete in all respects, continuously page numbered along with self-attested copies of each testimonials/Certificates/supporting documents, in a sealed envelope super scripting “**Application Form for the post of Research Associate (RA) and Senior Research Fellow (SRF) and Advertisement No. 15 dt. 28/06/2024**” on its top should reach at the following address latest by **18/07/2024**.

RECRUITMENT SECTION,
DR. RAJENDRA PRASAD CENTRAL AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY,
PUSA, SAMASTIPUR- 848125, BIHAR (INDIA)

The candidates are also advised to communicate the **tracking number/details** of the posted envelope (comprising application form along with aforesaid documents) on the email- recruitment@rpcau.ac.in well before the last date.

The interested and eligible candidates may apply in prescribed application form available on the University website www.rpcau.ac.in.

The details of the post are as follows:

Item No.	Name of the post	Number of Post	Emoluments/month (₹)	Qualification	Age Limit
1.	Research Associate (RA)	04 (four)	₹ 49,000/- per month + HRA for M.Sc. degree holder & ₹ 54000/- per month + HRA for Ph.D. degree holder.	Doctoral degree: Ph.D. in any discipline of agriculture and allied. OR Master's degree holders: Master's degree in agriculture & allied with 4/5 years of Bachelor's degree having 1 st division or 60% marks or equivalent overall grade point average, with at least three years of research experience as evidenced from Fellowship/Associate ship/Training/other engagements as circulated vide F.No.2-9/2012 dated 25.04.2014 and one research paper in Science Citation Index (SCI)/NAAS rated (≥.0) Journal as per OM SR/S9/Z-09/2018 of DST dated 30.01.2019.	Minimum 21 years and Maximum 45 years
2.	Senior Research Fellow (SRF)	05 (five)	₹ 31,000/- per month + HRA for initial two years and ₹ 35,000/- per month + HRA for third year	Master's degree in relevant subject with 4 years/5 years of Bachelor's Degree. Candidates having post-graduate degree in Basic Science with 3 years Bachelor's degree and 2 years Master's degree should have NET qualifications and 2 years of research experiences as mentioned in OM No. Edn./6/27/2014/HRD dated 13 th July, 2015. OM No. Agril. Edn./6/27/2014-HRD 9 th October, 2015 of the Council and OM SR/S9/Z-09/2018 of DST dated 30 th January, 2019.	

Note: Only shortlisted candidates will be informed by e-mail for interview. No TA/DA will be paid to the candidates appearing for the interview. The original certificates/documents along with their self-attested photocopies must be brought at the time of interview.

Terms & Conditions

1. The above position ison purely temporary and will be filled on contractual basis with co-terminus with the project. The post will be offered initially for a period of one year or till termination of the project whichever is earlier and further extendable based on periodic review and satisfactory performance for the remaining period of the project.
2. The University reserves the right to increase/decrease the number of post/alter any conditions at any time or not to fill up the post advertised in case of non-availability of any suitable candidate or due to any other reasons without adducing any reason thereof.
3. It should be clearly remembered that this post is purely temporary and co-terminus with the project and the continuance of the above post will be strictly subject to financial support from **“Climate Resilient Agriculture Programme” (CARP) at Dr. Rajendra Prasad Central Agricultural University, Pusa**. Engagement will depend upon the review of year-to-year performance of the candidate or as deemed fit by the Competent Authority.
4. Further, this post is governed strictly by the relevant rules/regulations/conditions of service framed under the **“Climate Resilient Agriculture Programme” (CARP) at Dr. Rajendra Prasad Central Agricultural University, Pusa** from time to time.
5. No TA/DA will be borne by the University to attend the interview.
6. Canvassing in any form will lead to disqualification.
7. **The candidate will be shortlisted for interview only based on their qualifying academic/required performance as per the university rules/guidelines. Only the shortlisted candidates after screening procedure will be allowed to appear in the interview.**
8. Selected candidates will not be entitled to claim for regular appointments/absorption in the University. Non-maintenance of the discipline and failure to perform the assigned duties will make the **Research Associate (RA)** and **Senior Research Fellow (SRF)** liable for termination during the appointment period as per rules.
9. No objection certificate from the employer shall be produced in case the candidate is employed elsewhere.
10. In case of any disputes, it will be resolved in the jurisdiction of Patna High Court only.
11. Candidates are advised to fill their application form carefully such as Name, Father’s name, Date of Birth, Category, Qualification, e-mail & mobile number and other details, it is mandatory to enclose/attach essential documents along with recent passport size photo (not more than 06 month old) & Signature. Candidate will be responsible for any mistake in the data of application form and no correspondence will be entertained in this regard.
12. All the relevant columns of the application form should be filled in.
13. Candidate is required to clearly mention the item number on the application form. Failing to the same, his/her candidature will not be considered & candidate would be solely responsible for that.
14. Incomplete and Unsigned applications will not be considered and will be REJECTED.
15. Qualifications/eligibility conditions, age and other documents will be determined as on closing date with due approval of the Competent Authority.
16. No interim correspondence shall be entertained.
17. University will not be responsible for any postal delay and late submission of the application form.

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