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Applications are invited for the following assignment in a purely time-bound **ANRF PAIR** project. The **Junior Research Fellow** (JRF) position is initially for one year, but extendable to 5 yrs based on performance in the project depends on the release and availability of the funds.

Project title: Dynamic research ecosystem for advanced materials (DREAMs)" funded by ANRF, Sanction no: **ANRF/PAIR/2025/000006/PAIR-A** dated 20-09-2025.

This project has been sanctioned with 6 JRFs with salary @ Rs. 37,000/- + HRA as applicable by ANRF/university rules subsequently be promoted to SRF based on the performance and eligibility. The project involves multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary aspects of research on bioenergy, biosensors, electronics, biorefinery, materials, biotechnology, nanotechnology, sustainable-renewable chemistry and computational chemistry.

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Component title/: subproject title/ task	No. of JRF positions and Code of the post	Eligibility	
IRG-3 - Component 1- DREAM (Dr. Shailesh Kumar Patidar)	1 (APCURAJ 1)	M.Sc. in Environmental Science, Biotechnology, Microbiology, Botany or any branch of life science with ≥ 55% or equivalent CGPA from a recognized university/institute as per UGC norms. The candidates must have qualified CSIR/UGC NET including lectureship (LS) and/or GATE or equivalent Examination. Candidates with knowledge in algal biotechnology or metabolomics or bioprocessing may be preferred.	
IRG-3 -Component 2- (Dr. Dipak Gayen)- DREAM	1 (APCURAJ 2)	M.Sc. in Biochemistry, Biotechnology, Botany or any branch of life science with ≥ 55% or equivalent CGPA from a recognized university/institute as per UGC norms. The candidates must have qualified CSIR-UGC NET including lectureship (LS) and/or GATE or equivalent examination. Candidates with knowledge in Plant/algal molecular and biotechnology may be preferred	
IRG-2 -Component 1- (Dr. Kapil Saraswat)- DREAM	1 (APCURAJ 3)	ME/M.Tech in Electronics and Communication Engineering or allied areas, OR B.Tech from CFTI with valid Gate Score, OR M.Sc. in Physics (major in Electronics or allied areas) Or Electronics with ≥ 55% or equivalent CGPA from a recognised university/institute as per UGC norms. The candidates must have qualified CSIR-UGC/UGC NET, including lectureship (LS) and/or GATE or equivalent examination. Candidates with knowledge in EM Simulation, Programming, Device Fabrication, Metasurface Simulation may be preferred	

IRG-2 Component 2- (Dr. Rajan Singh & Dr. Yugandhar Bitla)- DREAM	1 (APCURAJ 4)	M.Sc. in Physics with ≥ 55% or equivalent CGPA from a recognised university/institute as per UGC norms OR B.E./B.Tech from CFTI. The candidates must have qualified CSIR-UGC NET/GATE/ equivalent examination. Candidates with knowledge in Materials science, Solid State Physics, sample synthesis and magnetism may be preferred
IRG-3-Component 3 DREAM, Dr. Pankaj Gupta & Dr. Shailesh Kumar Patidar	1 (APCURAJ 5)	M.Sc. in Chemistry, Biochemistry, Biotechnology, or any branch of chemical or life science with ≥ 55% or equivalent CGPA from a recognized university/institute as per UGC norms. The candidates must have qualified CSIR-UGC NET including lectureship (LS) and/or GATE or equivalent examination.
IRG- 2/ 3-Component DREAM- Dr. Rajgopala Reddy Seelam	1 (APCURAJ 6)	Essential: M.Sc. in Chemistry/Physical Chemistry (minimum 55% or equivalent CGPA). Qualification of National Eligibility Tests such as CSIR-UGC NET including lectureship or GATE. Desirable: 1. Working experience in the area of theoretical or computational chemistry or theoretical molecular spectroscopy. 2. Experience in modelling excited states using multireference methods 3. Experience in modelling ultrafast quantum nuclear dynamics

For technical information on the project, the candidate may contact the Principal Investigator (PI), – **Dr. Shailesh Kumar Patidar** (shailesh.patidar@curaj.ac.in), Department of Environmental Science; and (Co-PIs): Dr. Dipak Gayen (dipak.gayen@curaj.ac.in), Dr. Kapil Saraswat (kapil Saraswat (kapils@curaj.ac.in), Dr. Rajan Singh (rajan.singh@curaj.ac.in), Dr. Yugandhar Bitla (y.bitla@curaj.ac.in), & Dr. Rajgopala Reddy Seelam (rajagopala.seelam@curaj.ac.in)

Eligible and interested candidates should send their CV along with scanned original documents in a single PDF directly to the email: anrfpaircuraj@gmail.com and fill the Google form up to date – 15.12.2025 (extended). The candidates must fill out the Google form at the following link wherein files may be attached. Google form link: https://shorturl.at/VkHZC

The eligible candidates, after screening, will be informed to attend an interview conducted by the Central University of Rajasthan. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.

Note: The email should be sent with the subject line "Application for JRF (*post code*) in ANRF-PAIR Funded Project."

Dr. Shailesh Kumar Patidar, (PI)