

Project Associate-1 Position at AMRF

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for the post of **Project Associate-1** to work in the SERB-DST funded project (CRG/2022/004337) entitled “*A scalable system for the production of human induced pluripotent stem cell derived functional retinal pigmented epithelial cells*” at the Department of Immunology and Stem Cell Biology, Aravind Medical Research Foundation, Madurai Tamil Nadu.

Required Qualification & Consolidated Emoluments: Master’s degree in Natural Science, Agricultural Science, Biological Science, MVSc or bachelor’s degree in Engineering or Technology or Medicine from recognized University. Selected candidate is paid fellowship as per the SERB norms (SB/S9/Z-07/2020, dated 25th August 2020).

(i) 31,000/- + HRA to Scholars who are selected through (a) National Eligibility Tests - CSIR-UGC NET including Lectureship (Assistant Professorship) or GATE or (b) A selection process through National level examinations conducted by Central Government Departments and their Agencies and Institutions

(ii) 25,000/- + HRA for others who do not fall under (i) above

Desirable Qualifications: Hands-on experience cell culture and molecular techniques such as RT-PCR, WB and Immunostaining.

No of vacancies: 1

Duration of Project: Until 3rd October 2026, or until the project is completed, whichever is earlier.

Upper Age Limit: 35 Years

Job Application:

Interested applicants are invited to send their updated CV and scanned copies of relevant certificates, grade/mark sheets, GATE/NET score, publications, etc., to **anwar.azad@aravind.org** on **or before 18th December 2025**. Shortlisted candidates will be informed through e-mail regarding the date of interview. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.

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