

**Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests**  
**Botanical Survey of India, Arunachal Regional Center**  
**Itanagar 791 111, Arunachal Pradesh**

Applications are invited for the following posts under the project: '**Preventing Extinction and Improving Conservation Status of Threatened Plants through Application of Biotechnological Tools**' funded by Department of Biotechnology, Govt of India (The project is initially approved for 5 years). Working place: Plant Tissue Culture Laboratory, BSI, ERC, Shillong.

- Junior Research Fellow** : 2 (two) posts.  
**Pay** : Rs 16,000 + 10% HRA per month for 2 years and Rs 18,000 + 10% HRA per month from 3rd year onwards.
- Qualification** : M.Sc. degree in Botany/Life Sciences/Biotechnology from a recognized university. NET qualified candidates will be given preference. Hands on experience in plant tissue culture techniques, ecological studies and knowledge in computer operation would be desirable.
- Field Assistant** : 1 (one) post.  
**Pay** : Rs 7500 per month (fixed) for first two years and Rs 9000 per month (fixed) from third year onwards.
- Qualification** : HSC/12th standard passed. B.Sc. in Botany would be desirable. Knowledge in plant collection, experience in laboratory work with computer skill would be preferable.

Candidates may apply on plain paper with complete bio-data, passport size photograph, certificates, mark sheets and two testimonials by post **within 15 days** to **Dr A. A. Mao**, Principal Investigator; e-mail: aamao2008@gmail.com, aamao2001@yahoo.co.in. No TA/DA is permissible for attending the interview.



**Bangalore University**  
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Applications are invited for the One post Senior Research Fellow (SRF) in a research project entitled '**Cloning, expression, purification and biochemical characterization of *Wolbachia* surface protein (WSP) complexed with target protein in *Drosophila melenogaster***' funded by Department of Atomic Energy (DAE), BRNS. The fellowship is Rs 18,000 p.m. Candidates with First or High second class M.Sc., with up to 2 years research experience preferably in *Wolbachia* – Host Interactions may send in their application and bio-data by e-mail **within 10 days** from the date of advertisement to the following address.

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**National Centre for Antarctic and  
Ocean Research, Goa  
Ministry of Earth Sciences**

**Invites Proposals for the Forthcoming  
Indian Expedition to Southern Ocean**

Advt No. NCAOR/41/12

National Centre for Antarctic and Ocean Research, Goa, an autonomous research organization of Ministry of Earth Sciences, proposes to launch the seventh expedition in the ice free areas of the Indian sector of Southern Ocean. The SO research programme is mainly focusing on the '**Role and response of Southern Ocean to the regional and global climate variability**'. Duration of the expedition will be ~45 days. Launching of the expedition shall be in January 2013. Scientists/ Research Fellows/Students from scientific organizations/universities interested in participating may send the project proposal within the scope of Southern Ocean Research plan (please visit [www.ncaor.gov.in](http://www.ncaor.gov.in) or contact 0832-252 5512/513 for details) before **20 August 2012** in the prescribed format given in the website to **Dr N. Anilkumar**, Coordinator, Southern Ocean Expedition, National Centre for Antarctic and Ocean Research (NCAOR), Headland Sada, Vasco-Da-Gama, Goa 403 804 at anil@ncaor.org with a copy to The Director, NCAOR at director@ncaor.org.