Applications are invited for the post of JRF/SRF/RA in a CSIR funded project entitled 'Role of environmental toxins in kidney related diseases of Canacona Taluka, Goa' under Dr Anasuya Ganguly. The work will be carried out at the Department of Biological Sciences, Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani, K. K. Birla Goa Campus, Goa. Candidates with knowledge of konkani will be given preference. Interested candidates may e-mail their CVs to ganguly@goa.bits-pilani.ac.in


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