Regional Research Laboratory
(Council of Scientific and Industrial Research)
Thiruvananthapuram 695 019

Advertisement No. 2/91

Applications are invited in the prescribed form from Indian nationals for the following scientific posts in the Regional Research Laboratory, Thiruvananthapuram, which is a National Laboratory under the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research. This is a challenging task for scientists and engineers having aptitude, imagination and drive.

Post No. 1: Scientist EII (Rs 4500–150–5700)
Post No. 2: Scientist EI (Rs 3700–125–4700–150–5000)
Post No. 3: Scientist C (Rs 3000–100–3500–125–4500)
Post No. 4: Scientist B (Rs 2200–75–2800–EB–150–4000)
(Reserved for SC & ST)

Areas of specialization

1. Materials Science. Solid state physics of oxidic materials, thin films, etc. Also, solid state chemistry aspects of inorganic materials.

2. Inorganic chemistry. Separation techniques, applied chemistry and analytical chemistry.


Job requirements

Scientist B: First class M.Sc./first class B.E. or M. Tech./M.E./Ph. D. in science.
Scientist C: First class M.Sc./first class B.E. with six years experience/M. E. with four years experience/Ph. D. in science with two years experience/Ph. D. (engineering). Minimum years of experience relaxable only in exceptional cases.
Scientist EI and Scientist EII: First class M.Sc./first class B.E. with 12 years experience or M. Tech./M.E./Ph. D. or corresponding degrees in other disciplines with original work as evidenced by patents or publications. Evidence of leadership with about 10 years of R&D experience.

Total No. of vacancies. Seven (approximately). This may vary at the time of appointment.

Post No. 5: Research associates (Rs. 2200–2700/2700–100–3200/3200–100–3700/3700/125– 4325). Associateship will be tenable initially for a period of two years, extendable for a period not exceeding three years.

Qualifications

Ph. D. in science or having three years research and development experience after M. Tech. in engineering technology, including metallurgy.

Total No. of vacancies. Seven (approximately).

Post No. 6: Technical assistant Gr. III (2)—One post. (Rs. 1640–60–2600–EB–75–2900)
Job requirements

Diploma in electronics/instrumentation engineering of three years duration plus three to five years experience in R&D and repair and maintenance of electronic equipments OR B.E. or B. Tech. in electronics/instrumentation engineering. Candidates possessing knowledge in the generation and control of electron beam and design, fabrication and repair of microprocessor-based systems will be preferred.

General

The scientists posts are contractual. Applications from employees working in government departments, public sector undertakings and government-funded research agencies will be considered only if forwarded through proper channel with a clear certificate that the applicant will be relieved within one month of receipt of an appointment order.

Application forms are obtainable by post (free of cost) from the Administrative Officer, Regional Research Laboratory, Industrial Estate P. O., Thiruvananthapuram 695 019 on or before 24 July 91 by sending a self-addressed and stamped envelope (Re 1/-) of 23 cm x 10 cm size. No postal order should be sent along with the request for application forms. Separate application is required to be submitted for each post with a non-refundable application fee of 8/- in the form of Crossed Indian Postal Order drawn in favour of Regional Research Laboratory, Thiruvananthapuram. Attested copies of certificates/testimonials should invariably be attached with the applications. The post applied for should be clearly written in the application failing which the application will not be considered. There is no application fee for SC/ST candidates.

Outstation candidates called for interview will be reimbursed II class railway/bus fare (each way) by the shortest route from their normal place of residence or from their normal place of commencement of journey whichever is nearer to the place of interview on production of railway ticket number/bus tickets, provided the distance is more than 80 kilometres. This amount will be remitted by M. O. after attending the interview.

Mere fulfilling the minimum prescribed qualifications and experience will not vest any right on a candidate for being called for interview. The Laboratory reserves the right to call for interview only those candidates who in its opinion are likely to be suitable and will not entertain any correspondence in respect of their applications. A lower standard of suitability consistent with efficiency will be applied in respect of SC/ST candidates.

Age not exceeding 40 years for the posts of Scientists, 35 years for RAs and 28 years for Technical Assistant as on 31 July 1991 with usual relaxation for SC/ST candidates.

Age relaxable in cases with appropriate experience.

All applications should be addressed to the Director, Regional Research Laboratory, Industrial Estate P. O., Thiruvananthapuram 695 019 and should reach him on or before 31 July 1991. Applications received after this date for whatsoever reason will not be entertained. Canvassing in any form and bringing in any influence, political or otherwise, will be treated as a disqualification.

INTERIM ENQUIRIES WILL NOT BE ATTENDED TO.