ANNA UNIVERSITY
AU–KBC RESEARCH CENTRE – LIFE SCIENCES GROUP

POSITIONS OPEN FOR
RESEARCH FACULTY, POST DOCTORAL FELLOWS,
Ph.D. SCHOLARS

Research faculty and PDFs: Candidates should be capable of contributing to the establishment of a nationally competitive program with the ability to generate externally funded research support. This is an excellent opportunity to grow with a new centre, which already has established facilities in electrophysiology, optical tweezing, Raman spectrometry and molecular biology. While the group’s current emphasis is on membrane biophysics, applications from those working in any other cutting-edge or interdisciplinary area of biology are also welcome. The group has strong alliances with the Centre for Biotechnology, IITM and Matscience, Chennai. PDFs recruited in this program will be strongly encouraged to become independent researchers.

Ph.D. scholars: Eligibility: M.Sc. or equivalent in biological, chemical or physical disciplines. NET and GATE qualifications an asset. Candidates can apply for Research Studentship under ongoing programs. Refer www.au-kbc.org/opp.html for project details.

RAJIV GANDHI CENTRE FOR BIOTECHNOLOGY
Thiruvananthapuram

ADMISSION TO THE Ph.D. PROGRAMME

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for admission to the research programme at RGCB, leading to Ph.D. from the University of Kerala. Candidates who have secured a first division in M.Sc. in any branch of Biological/Chemical Sciences or M.B.B.S. or M.V.Sc. from a recognized University in India or abroad and who hold a CSIR/UGC (NET) Junior Research Fellowship are eligible to apply. Applications will also be considered from those candidates with CSIR/UGC (NET) Junior Research Fellowship who are in the final year of the qualifying examination concerned. Research work at RGCB is currently focused on the following areas: Plant Molecular Biology, Infectious diseases (Tuberculosis and Hepatitis-C), Environmental Biology, Human Molecular Genetics, Ethnopharmacology, Neurobiology, Cancer Biology, Biophysical Chemistry, Peptide Chemistry, Animal Biotechnology and Molecular Endocrinology.

Application forms and information brochures may be obtained from the undersigned upon payment of Rs 300 in the form of a DD addressed to the Controller, Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology and drawn on a Nationalized Bank. The last date for receiving requests for the issue of application forms is 30 November 2003. Completed applications should reach the undersigned on or before 15 December 2003. Shortlisted candidates will be required to appear for an interview to be held at RGCB in January 2004.

Sd/-
Controller,
Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology,
Thiruvananthapuram 695 014

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