The Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS) is looking for creative scientists in the position of a Professor in the Department of Inorganic Chemistry.

Candidates for the post of Professor should have excellent academic career with proven records of research activities in a frontier area including Synthetic and Structural Coordination Chemistry; Organometallics; Chemistry of main group elements; Bioinorganic Chemistry; Chemistry of materials and Catalysis. Minimum ten years of research experience in independent capacity with proven track record of guiding Ph.D. students is required.

Department of Inorganic Chemistry of IACS being one of the leading centres of research activities, the candidates are required to conduct high level of research. The ability to procure research funding from external agencies and participation to develop infrastructural facilities and group activities of the Department will be considered as desirable qualities of the applicants. Selection to the post will not necessarily be confined to the applicants only.

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