Applications are invited on plain paper along with the attested copies of certificates, mark sheets and publications, for the following posts:

1. **Research Associate (Rs 11,000 + HRA) for two years under Dr B. P. Pal National Environment Fellowship.**
   
   Age : 35 years as on 1/6/2005  
   Qualification : Ph.D in Orchid Taxonomy or M.Sc first class in Botany with 5 years research experience in Orchid Taxonomy and Reproductive Biology

2. **Junior Research Fellow (Rs 8000 + HRA) 2 positions**
   1. DST funded National Gene Bank on medicinal and aromatic plants (1)  
   2. DST funded project on ‘Reproductive Biology of Selected Rare, Endemic and Horticulturally promising Balsams of Western Ghats’ (1)

   Age : 25 years as on 1/6/2005  
   Qualification : M.Sc First Class in Botany/Biotechnology  
   Desirable : UGC/CSIRNET  
   Duration : 3 years

Applications should reach the undersigned within 15 days from the date of this advertisement.

**Post-Graduate Diploma in Medico-Botany**

A self-financed One-year evening course by

**Department of Botany, Faculty of Science,**

**The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Vadodara 390 002, India**

**Course contents:** Medicinal plants of India, Taxonomy, Biomarkers, Phytochemistry of major and minor constituents, Tissue Culture, Cultivation, Harvesting and storage, Extraction, Quality control analysis (involving spectrometric and GC, HPLC, HPTLC, etc.) analysis of drugs and formulations, Manufacturing procedures, standardized extracts, GLP, GMP, Marketing and Patenting.

**Eligibility criteria:** A recognized degree in any discipline of Science, Agriculture, Pharmacy or Ayurveda.

**Fee structure** : Rs 15,000/- p.a.

**Last date for receiving application** : 20 June 2005

**Admission procedure** : By open test on 4 July 2005 at 2.00 pm

Applications are available from the Faculty office, Faculty of Science, The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Vadodara 390 002 on remitting Rs 250/- from 1 June 2005 onwards. For further details please contact Head, Department of Botany, The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda on phone 0265-2791891, or by e-mail: aryaarunarya@rediffmail.com or mdanieluni@yahoo.co.in