

**Central University of Tamil Nadu  
Thiruvarur- 610005- Tamil Nadu**

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**Plant molecular biology laboratory  
Department of Horticulture  
School of Life Sciences  
Advertisement for the position of Project Associate**

Applications are invited for the position of Project Associate-I (One number) on contract basis to work in a time bound SERB-DST sponsored research project (CRG/2021/007158) sanctioned to the undersigned at the Department of Horticulture, Central University of Tamil Nadu.

**Title of the Project:** Uncovering the role of abscission-specific SAUR genes in tomato abscission regulation

Details of qualifications, Emoluments and duration are given below:

<b>Name of the Position</b>	<b>Project Associate-I (01 Post)</b>
<b>Emoluments</b>	31,000 + 8 % HRA = Rs 33,480 / Month
<b>Educational Qualifications</b>	MSc in Agriculture/ Horticulture and allied disciplines, MSc in Biotechnology with minimum 55% marks
<b>Duration of Project</b>	1 year, extendable annually till the completion of the project period (3 years), subject to satisfactory performance. From the start of third year the emoluments will be Rs 37,800 / Month
<b>Procedure for Submission of Application</b>	Applicants may submit the application (format attached), resume along with the copy of degree certificates, mark statements, work experience certificates, GATE score card/ UGC-CSIR JRF/NET/ ICAR-NET/JRF/SRF examination result and publications (if any) to <a href="mailto:srivignesh@cutn.ac.in">srivignesh@cutn.ac.in</a>  The mail should reach the undersigned by 28 <sup>th</sup> March 2022 at 5.00 pm (IST). Eligible candidates will be called for online interview
<b>Last date to apply</b>	28.03.2022
<b>Date of Interview</b>	30.03.2022

Desirable: Experience in a reputed research institute, plant/pathological cell cultures and any other relevant molecular and cell biology work experience. Age limit: 35 years (to be relaxed as per rules of Govt. of India)

The Project Associate position is purely temporary and the candidate should not seek any permanency at the institution on the basis of the service. After the scrutiny of the application form, the selected candidates would be called for an online interview with the selection committee of the university. Interview mode will be informed to the candidates later. No TA/DA is admissible for attending the interview. The decision of the selection committee is final.

For any further information, please contact:

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