## Department of Horticulture, Aromatic & Medicinal Plants

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## Advertisement for Project Staff on DBT Sponsored Research Project

Applications are invited for the post of Project Associate-I (One Position) on Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi sponsored research project 'Phytochemical and genotypic evaluation of underexplored *Curcuma* spp. from North East and South India for various applications', being implemented by the Department of Horticulture, Aromatic and Medicinal Plants, Mizoram University, Aizawl. The details of post are given below:

## **Project Associate-I (One Position)**

**Essential qualifications:** Post graduate degree in relevant branch of Biological Science/Horticulture/HAMP with minimum 55% marks or equivalent CGPA.

**Desirable qualification:** Candidates with published work/experience in the project area shall be given preference.

**Responsibilities:** The project require travelling to different parts of North East for collection of germplasms, multiplication of germplasms in the farm of Mizoram University, recoding and monitoring of crop parameters, and detailed phytochemical studies including GCMS and HPLC analysis. It is obligatory on part of staff to write research papers on the outcome of the project.

Monthly Stipend: Rs. 31,000 + HRA (8%) for NET/GATE qualified candidates and

Rs. 25,000 + HRA (8%) for candidates without NET/GATE

**Upper Age Limit:** 35 Years

**How to apply:** Interested eligible candidates may submit their application (covering letter) along with detailed biodata, self-attested copies of all testimonials starting from class 10<sup>th</sup> class onwards and certificate of experience, training/conference /workshop and research publications, if any, in a single PDF file at e-mail: rambirsingh@mzu.edu.in

Application shall be accepted through email only. No hard copy required.

The last date of submission of application is 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 2025. Applications without cover letter or proof of date of birth, educational qualifications, experience, training/conference /workshop and research publications etc. shall be rejected.

The eligible and shortlisted candidates shall be informed about the date and time of interview by email.

## Terms and conditions:

- 1. The position is purely temporary, on annual extension basis, co-terminus with the project duration i.e up to 29.07.2026 or as decided by DBT.
- The selected candidates shall not be considered as employee of Mizoram University or DBT.
   They are not entitled for any benefits applicable to the employees of Mizoram University or DBT.
- **3.** Selected candidates are required to contribute for successful implementation of the project. They are not allowed to take any other employment during the tenure of their engagement with the project.
- **4.** The progress of the staff shall be regularly monitored by the PI. The staff is required to submit monthly progress report to the PI. If the progress of the staff is not satisfactory, their services may be terminated on the recommendation of PI.

(Prof. Rambir Singh)
Project Coordinator

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