



Defence Institute of High Altitude Research (DIHAR)

Defence Research & Development Organisation (DRDO)

Walk-in Interview for Junior Research Fellows (JRF) & Research Associate (RA) Positions

Defence Institute of High Altitude Research (DIHAR) is a frontier institute of Defence Research & Development. Defence Institute of High Altitude Research (DIHAR) is a centre of Armaments & Research Development Establishment (ARDE) a premier establishment of Defence Research and Development Organization (DRDO) working on trial and testing & High altitude technologies.

Applications are invited from candidates to work in defence related research projects of DIHAR for the following posts:

Sl. No.	Post	Vacancies	Qualifications
1.	JRF	Eighteen (18)	Required subjects:- 01 post - M.Tech in Mechanical Engineering /Instrumentation Engineering/ Instrumentation & Control Engineering 02 posts - B.Tech in Mechanical Engineering/Civil Engineering 03 posts - B.E/B.Tech /M.Tech in Mechanical Engineering 03 posts - B.E/B.Tech in Computer Science/ Electronics 03 posts- M.Sc./ M.Tech/ M.V.Sc. in Biomedical Engineering/ Electronics and Instrumentation/Biophysics/Animal Physiology/ Microbiology/ Biochemistry/ Chemistry/ Material Science & Engineering/ Technology/Environmental Science 02 posts- M.Tech/M.Sc in Biotechnology. 01 post - M.Sc in Zoology/Entomology/Plant Pathology/ Environmental Sciences. 03 posts- M.Sc in Botany/Horticulture/Agriculture Science / Environmental Sciences. Essential Qualification:- M.Sc./ M.V.Sc in first division with NET qualification. "or" B.E/B.Tech in first division with NET/GATE qualification. "or" M.Tech in first division at both Graduate and Post-graduate level. Note:- The eligible selected candidate will enroll for Ph.D during their tenure of fellowship.
2.	RA	Three (03)	01 post - Ph.D in Agriculture Extension 01 post - Ph.D in Horticulture/Botany/Agriculture Science/Environmental Science. 01 post - Ph.D in Biophysics/Animal Physiology/Medical Biochemistry/ Veterinary Sciences/Animal Sciences. Essential Qualification:- Ph.D with atleast one research paper in SCI journal. Note:- 1. Candidates who have submitted their Ph.D thesis may also apply. However, if selected, such candidates shall be awarded the Research Associateship only after award of degree/provisional certificates.

Upper Age Limit: 28 years and 35 years for JRF and RA respectively as on date of walk-in-interview. Relaxable for SC, ST & OBC candidates as per Govt orders.

Stipend (monthly) and tenure of fellowship:

- (a) **JRF:** A stipend of Rs (37,000/- + HRA) per month for an initial period of two years and performance based extension / upgradation as per DRDO guidelines subject to a maximum total period of 5 years.
- (b) **RA:** A stipend of Rs (67,000/- + HRA) per month for a maximum period of two years.

Selection procedure: Desirable candidates shall report by **0930 hours on 05 Dec 2025 (Friday)** for walk-in interview at **DIHAR Base Lab, Near 3 BRD, Industrial Area Phase-II, Chandigarh-160002.**

Chennai - 600022 within 45 days from the date of publication of the advertisement in Employment News/ Rozgar Samachar. The application form and other details are available on the website of the Ministry of Culture: www.indiaculture.nic.in and SZCC: www.szccindia.org

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Candidates shall bring the following:-

1. Certificates wrt DoB and Essential qualification in original along with a self-attested copy of each.
2. Neatly typed Bio-data.
3. Documents in support of preferential experience wrt RA Post if applicable.

Initially, the candidates shall be screened wrt qualification etc. Those candidates who are screened-in shall face interview on the same day.

General Conditions:

1. Fellowship / Associateship shall be governed as per policy and rules in vogue in DRDO, MoD, Govt.
2. The offer of Fellowship / Associateship shall not confer on the candidates any right for absorption in DRDO.
3. No TA / DA will be paid for attending the interview or for joining, if selected.
4. In case of any query / clarification, the candidates may contact on **Tele No. 0172-2639800, 2638900** during office hours of working days.
5. Candidates working in Govt / Public Sector Undertakings / Autonomous Bodies should bring NOC from their present employer on the date of interview. If selected, such candidates shall be required to submit relieving order from their employer before joining.
6. The posts advertised are for R&D project related studies. Only those who are medically fit and willing to work in environmental conditions of high altitude region may apply.
7. Grant of fellowship / associateship shall be entirely at the discretion of DIHAR. The Institute may refuse to admit any candidate without assigning any reason thereof.
8. Number of seats may increase or decrease without prior notice.

Head HRD

For Centre Head

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