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Call for a position of Project Research Scientist II (Non-Medical) for the ICMR Project

Applications are invited from suitable candidates for the Project Research Scientist II (Non-Medical) position to work on the following ICMR-sponsored project, under the supervision of **Prof. Akash Chaurasiya**, Department of Pharmacy, BITS Pilani Hyderabad Campus.

Title of the project: Preclinical Safety/Efficacy Evaluation of Liposomes Mediated Novel Combinatorial Therapy Targeting BTK and Proteasome Pathways for the Management of Pancreatic Cancer

Duration of the project: 3 years

Project position and number: Project Research Scientist II (Non-Medical) - 1 position

Fellowship amount: Rs. 67000/month + 30% HRA as per applicable ICMR norms / Institute norms.

Eligibility requirements:

Essential Qualifications: Candidates should hold a first-class M. Pharm. degree with a minimum of 3 years of research experience or PhD. Applicants who have submitted their doctoral thesis or are in the final stages of submission are also encouraged to apply. Strong expertise and understanding of liposome-based formulation development and characterization, along with hands-on experience in preclinical evaluation (including *in vitro* cellular assays and *in vivo* animal studies), are required. A self-motivated attitude and the ability to manage multiple tasks effectively in a collaborative research environment are essential.

Desired Qualifications: Candidates with a solid research track record, evidenced by peer-reviewed publications or patents relevant to the scope of this project, will be given preference. Strong written and verbal communication skills, demonstrated leadership in a laboratory setting, and experience mentoring or training students are desirable. Candidates with a strong academic record will be preferred.

Application Procedure: Interested candidates with the above-mentioned qualifications may submit their applications, along with a cover letter and CV (including their educational qualifications, research experience, and published research papers) by 30 November 2026, to the PI, Prof. Akash Chaurasiya, via email at akashc@hyderabad.bits-pilani.ac.in. Please note that only qualified and suitable candidates will be called for an online interview.

Regards,
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