

## Research Fellow (to join as PhD Scholar)

## Copper tailing utilization using MICP

Pilani Campus | Deadline: 23 Nov 2023 | Joining: At the earliest

Date: 10 November 2023

Applications are invited for <u>ONE</u> position of **Research Fellow**\* on project, "*Microbial Induced Calcite Precipitation (MICP)* as a sustainable method for utilization of copper tailing" under the supervision of Prof. Ravi Kant Mittal and Prof. Shilpi Garg.

\* The selected candidate is encouraged to join PhD Program of BITS Pilani. Interested candidates check the eligibility criteria and qualification process of the PhD program of BITS Pilani (http://www.bitsadmission.com/phmain.aspx).

Scope of work	Essential Qualification	Desirable Qualification
<ul> <li>Improving strength and other geotechnical properties of copper tailings using microbial induced calcite precipitation (MICP) for various civil engineering applications</li> <li>Optimization of different parameters or sources utilized in MICP towards cost effective, sustainable, and eco-friendly application.</li> <li>Developing design guidelines for MICP improved copper tailing in subgrade, embankment and foundation using laboratory and field studies.</li> </ul>	M.E./MTech in Geotechnical Engineering or allied fields.	Candidates having background of writing technical papers (conferences/ journals) would be preferred

Fellowship: ₹37,000 - ₹42,000 per month (based on the year of PhD and performance)

**Duration:** As per BITS Pilani norms (http://www.bitsadmission.com/phmain.aspx)

Place of work: BITS Pilani, Pilani Campus, Rajasthan 333031

**Application process:** Please apply with <u>CV and Cover letter</u> (showing alignment and justification with the roles/responsibilities/requirements) through email to ravimittal@pilani.bits-pilani.ac.in

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Preliminary shortlisting will be based on resume and telephonic/audio-visual interview within a week of last date of application. For final interview, the candidate will be informed through e-mail/ Phone for interview. No TA/DA will be provided in case of personal interview. For more details, please contact:

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