



Call for Research Staff Position (Project Research Scientist-I)

Date: 15 January 2026

About: Applications are invited from interested and motivated candidates for the post of Project Research Scientist-I (Non- Medical) on the research project sponsored by the **Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR)**. The position will be purely on contractual basis as per the following details:

Position	Project Research Scientist-I (Non- Medical)	Number of Vacancy: 01
Funding Agency	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR)	
Project Title	Development, Evaluation and Clinical Validation of Fluorescent Molecules to Target Alzheimer's Disease	
Principal Investigator	Dr. Jagpreet Sidhu, Department of Pharmacy, BITS Pilani, Pilani Campus	
Project Tenure	1 Year and extendable to 3 years	
Project/Job Description	The Selected candidate will undertake the synthesis and characterization of fluorescent molecular probes, including analytical and photophysical studies. He/She will perform in vitro and in vivo biological evaluations and coordinate with the clinical research team at AIIMS, New Delhi, for translational studies. The candidate will analyze data, maintain documentation, and contribute to publications in indexed journals, conferences, and patent filings.	
Qualification	M.Pharm Pharmaceutical Chemistry/MSc Chemistry Candidate having Experience in organic synthesis, analytical instruments, and animal handling will be preferred.	
Upper Age Limit	35 Years	
Fellowship/Stipend	56,000 Per month + 10 % HRA (if applicable, as per rules)	
Registration for PhD	Selected candidate may be permitted to register for the PhD program of BITS Pilani subject to fulfilling the requirements of the PhD qualification process as per the institute norms.	
How to Apply	Email the following documents to: jagpreet.sidhu@pilani.bits-pilani.ac.in a. CV (Mention past education, technical skills, research experience, publications etc.) b. Cover letter and contact details of at least two academic referees. c. Copy of the GPAT/NET/GATE/National-level exam score card (if applicable).	
Selection Process	Candidates will be shortlisted based on their merit, experiences and as per the requirements of the project. Shortlisted candidates will be informed of the interview which will be conducted through online mode. Only qualified and suitable candidates will be called for an interview.	

Application Deadline: 24th January 2026