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**Advertisement for the Post of ‘Project Associate-I’ for
ANRF (PMECRG) sponsored Research Project**

Applications are hereby invited from eligible and interested candidates for one position of *Project Associate-I* in the research project entitled “*Assessment of reproductive and cytological variability in Prunus armeniaca L. (Apricot) from Kargil of UT of Ladakh,*” sponsored by ANRF under Prime Minister Early Career Research Grant (PMECRG). The engagement will be purely contractual for a total duration of **three years**, with engagement to be co-terminus with the project, subject to availability of funds and satisfactory performance.

Position	Essential Qualifications	Desirable
Project Associate-I (ONE) *Stipend: Rs. 37,000/- per month + HRA (10%) for NET/GATE qualified candidates (for first 2 years) Rs. 30,000/- per month + HRA (10%) for Non-NET candidates (for first 2 years)	Masters degree in Agriculture Science/Botany from a recognized University or equivalent	• Qualified CSIR-UGC NET including Lectureship (Assistant Professorship) /GATE exam or its equivalent. • Good and applied knowledge of Plant Reproduction and/or Cytology • Practical experience in plant field sampling and floristic surveys • Well experienced in microscopy. • Upper age limit of 50 years.

**Details could be checked from the ANRF order No. ANRF/OM/N-01/2024, Dated: 14-10-2024*

Candidates, fulfilling the above qualifications, may submit by hand or post their applications in the prescribed format available on the University website (<https://www.cukashmir.ac.in>). The completed application form, accompanied by self-attested supporting documents, must reach the office of the undersigned on or before **30-09-2026**. Further queries, if any, may be addressed to departmentofbotany.cuk@gmail.com or +91-7006692876 (strictly during official hours of working days only).

Terms and Conditions:

1. Applicants should note that the appointment is to be made purely on temporary basis. The candidate will have no right or claim for any regular appointment in the University.
2. The engagement may be terminated at any time by the University without any reason by giving a notice of one week.
3. Any corrigendum in connection with this advertisement shall be uploaded on the University website: www.cukashmir.ac.in only.
4. No TA/DA will be paid for attending an interview or at the time of joining the post.
5. Date of Interview of the shortlisted candidates will be notified separately.
6. **Please note that canvassing in any form will not be entertained.**

Sd/-
Dr. Madhu Raina
Principal Investigator
Central University of Kashmir



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Application form for the post of ' Project Associate-I ' in the ANRF (ECRG) sponsored project titled "Assessment of reproductive and cytological variability in <i>Prunus armeniaca</i> L. (Apricot) from Kargil of UT of Ladakh".	Paste your recent passport size photograph here
Advt. No. ----- (2026)	Reg. No. _____ (to be filled by the Office)

Personal details							
1.	Name (in Capital Letters)	First Name		Middle Name		Last name	
2.	Date of birth	Day	Month	Year	Age as on date of advertisement		Years
							Months
		City/ Village		State		Country	
3.	Place of birth						
4.	Father's name						
5.	Mother's name						
6.	Nationality					7. Gender:	
8.	Marital status						
9.	Category						

10. Educational qualifications (Attach additional pages, if required)							
	Name of the course	Name of the Board / University	Year passed	Division	% age of Marks	CGPA (if grading is applicable)	Subjects studied
10 th Class / equivalent							
10+2 /equivalent							
Bachelor's degree							
Master's degree							
M.Phil. / Ph.D. equivalent							
NET or its equivalent	Subject			Roll No		Year	Position/Rank
Any other exam passed							

11. Experience, if any						
S. No.	Name of the organization	Designation	From	To	Nature of Job	Salary

12. Publications, if any (Mention here only numbers. The details and copies of the reprints be appended)

S. No.	Authors	Title of the Paper	Journal Name	Publisher	Vol./ Page No/ Year	Impact Factor

13. Seminars/ Conferences/ Workshops/ Training programmes, attended, if any.	National (No.)	International (No.)	Total (No.)	Nature (Oral/p oster)

14. Candidate's Name & Address for correspondence:		
Name:	Complete Address with pin code	
	Mailing address	Permanent address
Email:		
WhatsApp Number		
Alternate Mobile No., if any		
Guardians Mobile Number		

15. List of self-attested testimonials attached (original to be produced at the time of interview). Please tick ☐ the ones applicable

- i. Matriculation marksheet / certificate
- ii. Intermediate marksheet / certificate
- iii. Graduation (Final) marksheet/ degree
- iv. Post Graduation (Final) marksheet/ degree
- v. M.Phil/Ph.D. degree
- vi. NET etc. certificate
- vii. Caste Certificate issued by the Competent Authority (if any)
- viii. Experience certificates duly signed by competent authority
- ix. Award (s) /Fellowship (s)
- x. Publication (s)
- xi. Other (s)

Total Number of above self-attested testimonials attached _____ (in words _____)

** Applications without the above self-attested testimonials will not be entertained.

16. Declaration
I, _____ son/daughter of _____ hereby declare that all the statements and entries made in this application are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. In the event of any information being found false or incorrect or ineligibility being detected before or after the Selection Committee, my candidature / appointment may be cancelled by the University. Signature of the applicant *Name as signed (in BLOCK LETTERS) *Application not signed by the candidate is liable to be rejected. Date : _____