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Advertisement for Research Associate-II Position

Applications are invited from highly motivated and eligible candidates for the **Research Associate (RA) - II** in the Mehta Family School of Sustainability to work on the research project entitled "Carbon Stock Assessment of Ramsar Wetland Ecosystems for Effective Conservation Strategies."

The objective of the project is to develop and standardize carbon stock assessment methods for Sirpur and Yashwant Sagar Wetland, Indore, M.P. Key responsibilities include assessing carbon dynamics in soil, vegetation, and water, analyzing seasonal variability and spatial distribution of carbon; identifying pollution sources; designing strategic recommendations for conservation and enhancement of carbon sequestration contributing to the ecological health of the wetlands.

Application Form: Interested candidates are requested apply by filling the application form - Click here - https://forms.gle/Ruy68SZLmSQZmLoJ7.

Emolument & Eligibility:

1. **Position: Research Associate-II –**
   - **Eligibility:**

Essential Qualifications:

- Ph.D. in Environmental Engineering/ Civil Engineering/ Biotechnology/ Geosciences or allied fields.
- Minimum 1-3 years of relevant post-Ph.D. research experience in microbiology, water monitoring and supported by evidence of handling research projects independently, publications, laboratory investigations.

Desirable Qualifications:

- At least one research paper in Science Citation Index (SCI) Journal in water/environment or relevant fields
- Candidates have working experience with extensive field surveys and data analysis through spreadsheets, report writing, and presentation preparation

Fellowship: Rs. 61,000/- + HRA (as per project norms)
Duration: Initial appointment will be for 6 months
Last Date*: 17:00 hrs on 23rd November 2026.*

Shortlisted candidates are required to attend the interview on **Monday, 30th November 2026, in online mode only**.

Time and date of interview: 11:00 AM on **November 30**, **2026**.

Venue: Online and Google Meet links will be shared only with the shortlisted candidates before the interview date.

Terms & Conditions:

- No TA/DA will be provided to the candidate for the interview.
- The PI shall not be responsible for email delay, if any, or any other reason for non-

receipt of the document at the specified time, which will result in disqualification/rejectionof the application.

- The decision of the selection committee will be final.
- If the number of shortlisted candidates called for the interview is large, the selection committee may decide to restrict the number of candidates to a reasonable limit after considering qualifications and experience over and above the minimum prescribed in the advertisement.
- The candidate's appointment will be governed by the terms and conditions of the Institute/ funding agency particularly applicable to the said project as and when required.
- The selected candidate must join duty immediately upon receipt of the offer.
- The fellowship may be terminated with a 30-day notice before completion of the tenure if performance to date is not deemed satisfactory.
- Only shortlisted candidates will be intimated by email for an interview.