



**CSIR- NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE COMMUNICATION &
POLICY RESEARCH (NIScPR)**

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CSIR-National Institute of Science Communication and Policy Research (CSIR-NIScPR), New Delhi, a multidisciplinary national research laboratory invites eligible Indian citizens for Walk-in-Interview for engagement as Project Staff for a CSIR ULIP project under the various activities (Project Tenure 1 June 2026 to 31 March 2031) with the Essential Qualification(s) and requirement(s) as mentioned below:

S.n	Project Title	Position / Monthly emoluments (Rs.)	Essential Qualifications	Desirable qualifications
1.	Traditional Knowledge Communication : Bridging Tradition, Education, and Skills	Project Associate - I (PAT-I) No. of Position - 01 Rs. 25000/- OR Rs. 31000/- +HRA	MCA/BE/BTech in IT/computer science or equivalent degree.	Working knowledge of the following: Web Development technologies: PERL/Java/JSP/Python/PHP/ASP.NET, OS: Windows, Linux, RDBMS: SQL/MySQL/PostgreSQL Knowledge of latest web portal development technologies/frameworks, AI/ML tools, experience in working on customization of Open source software including content management systems and others
		Project Associate - I (PAT-I) No. of Positions - 02 Rs. 25000/- OR Rs. 31000/- +HRA	Masters/Integrated Masters in Natural or Agricultural or Pharmaceutical Sciences/MVSc/Animal Sciences OR Bachelor's Degree in Engineering or Technology or Medicine from a recognized University or equivalent	Good communication skills, Computer skills, good skills in the use of MS Word and Excel, database management, scientific report writing, data analysis using tool like excels, experience in science communication/ popular science writing, dissemination of science in Indian languages, graphic designing & social media management, videos/reels/shorts andpodcast production, book designing and illustration, data collection from web resources, capabilities in literature survey from research journals, and exposure to traditional knowledge research/communication.
		Project Associate –II (PAT-II) No. of Positions - 02 Rs. 28000/- OR Rs. 35000/- +HRA	Masters/Integrated Masters in Natural or Agricultural or Pharmaceutical Sciences/MVSc/Animal Sciences OR Bachelor's Degree in Engineering or Technology or Medicine from a recognized University or equivalent, and 2 years' experience in Research	Research experience in traditional knowledge areas such as Chemistry, Astronomy, Environmental Science/ Ecology/Agriculture/Traditional food/Traditional architecture etc. Capabilities in literature survey from research journals, exposure to traditional knowledge research/communication. Good communication skills, computer skills, experience in science communication, graphic designing,

			and Development in Industrial and Academic Institutions or Science and Technology Organizations and Scientific Activities and services OR Masters/Integrated Masters in Engineering or Technology from a recognized University.	videos/reels/shorts and podcast production, book designing and illustration, data collection from web resources, data analysis, and scientific/technical report writing, etc.
		Senior Project Associate (Senior PAT) No. of Positions -02 Rs. 42,000/- +HRA	Masters/Integrated Masters in Natural or Agricultural or Pharmaceutical Sciences / MVSc / Animal Sciences OR Bachelor's Degree in Engineering or Technology or Medicines from a recognized University or equivalent; and 3 years' experience in Research and Development in Industrial and Academic institutions or Science and Technology Organizations and Scientific activities and services OR Masters / Intergrated Masters in Engineering or Technology from a recognized University OR Doctoral Degree in Science / Pharma / MD / MS from a recognized University or equivalent and 2 years' experience in Research and Development in Industrial and Academic institutions or Science and Technology Organizations and Scientific activities and services	Research experience in traditional knowledge areas such as Chemistry, Astronomy, Environmental Science/ Ecology/Agriculture/Traditional food/Traditional architecture etc. with good quality research work demonstration (research paper publication or other research outputs), exposure to documentation, research, analysis, and/or communication experience in traditional knowledge subject domains/traditional and or eco-poetic texts and other relevant literature, scientific report writing, data collection, data analysis. Good articulation, communication and writing skills. Experience in science communication, regional language translation, conducting brainstorming meetings/lectures/workshops/outreach activities, event management, drafting technical reports/research and review papers/policy briefs/bulletins/popular articles/press release/minutes etc.

2.	Leveraging CSIR Technologies for Rural Development: Expanding Initiatives and Identifying Opportunities	PAT-II (Project Associate-II): No. of Positions- 02 Rs. 28000/- +HRA per month	Masters/Integrated Masters in Natural or Agricultural or Pharmaceutical Sciences/MVSc/Animal Sciences OR Bachelor's degree in Engineering or Technology or Medicine from a recognized University or Equivalent and 2 years' experience in Research and Development in Industrial and Academic Institutions or Science and Technology Organizations and Scientific activities and services OR Masters/Integrated Masters in Engineering or Technology from a recognized University	The candidate is expected to have work experience in literature review, data collection techniques, field visit/surveys, data analysis, Research articles/report writing, Good communication skills, Proficiency in Hindi & English, computer skills, etc.
		Senior Project Associate/ Senior-PAT: No. of Positions- 02 Rs. 42,000/- +HRA	Masters/Integrated Masters in Natural or /Agricultural or Pharmaceutical/MVSc /Animal Sciences OR Bachelor's degree in Engineering or Technology or Medicine from a recognized University or equivalent and 3 years' experience in Research and Development in Industrial and Academic Institutions, or Science and Technology Organizations, and Scientific Activities and services OR Masters/Integrated Masters in Engineering or Technology from a recognized University OR	The candidate is expected to have work experience in Literature Review, research articles/report writing, field visit/surveys, Good communication skills, Proficiency in Hindi & English, computer skills, database management, Data analysis, Event handling/management of large conferences, etc.

			Doctoral Degree in Science/Pharma/MD/MS from a recognized university or equivalent and 2 years of experience in Research and Development in Industrial and Academic Institutions or Science and Technology Organizations and Scientific activities and services	
3.	Disseminating Indian R&D Breakthroughs	Sr. Project Associate (SPA) cum Reporter- Content Developer (English) No. of Positions: 01 Rs. 42,000/- +HRA	Master's degree in Natural or Agricultural sciences/MVSc or Bachelor's degree in Engineering or Technology or Medicine or Journalism or Mass communication or Science communication from a recognized University or equivalent; and Four years' experience in R&D or reporting and content development in 'English' language for mass media/science communication/scientific content development in Industrial and Academic Institutions or S&T Organizations and Scientific activities and services. OR Doctoral degree in Science/ Engineering/ Technology/ Pharma/MD/MS from a recognized University or equivalent.	Master's degree in Journalism Mass communication/Science communication from a recognized University or equivalent. Four years' experience in popular science and technology writing for print/ electronic media.
		Sr. Project Associate (SPA) cum Graphic Designer No. of Positions: 01 Rs. 42,000/- +HRA	Master's degree in Natural or Agricultural Sciences/MVSc or bachelor's degree in Engineering or Technology or Medicine or Journalism/Mass communication/ Science communication/Graphic designing/ Visual	Four years' experience of graphic designing/animation on Corel draw, Photoshops, InDesign etc. in any organization.

			Communication and Multimedia or Bachelor's degree in any discipline with Diploma/Certificate Course in Graphics Designing and Multimedia from a recognized University or equivalent; and Four years' experience in R&D or graphic designing/animation using computer aided design tools and software like 3D Max, Adobe, etc. in Industrial and Academic Institutions or S&T Organizations and Scientific activities and services. OR Doctoral degree in Science/Engineering/Technology/ Pharma /MD/ MS from a recognized University or equivalent.	
		Sr. Project Associate (SPA) cum Audio & Video Editor No. of Positions: 01 Rs. 42,000/- +HRA	Master's degree in Natural or Agricultural sciences/MVSc or bachelor's degree in Engineering or Technology or Medicine or Journalism /Mass communication / Science communication from a recognised University or equivalent; and Four years' experience of R&D or in a mainstream TV/Film channels/Ad agency /production house as Video Editor with creative visualization skills, expert level proficiency in Adobe Premiere Pro, in-depth knowledge of VFX, SFX and all other latest practices in the world of video editing in Industrial and Academic Institutions or S&T organisations/ electronic media	Diploma / PG Diploma / Advanced Diploma in video editing from a recognized University/Institute or equivalent; Would have worked for Electronic media/Organization etc. Certificate course in Photography.

			and Scientific activities and services	
			OR	
			Doctoral degree in Science/Engineering/ Technology /Pharma/MD/ MS from a recognised University or equivalent.	

Monthly Emoluments		Age Criteria	
PAT-I	PAT-II		
Rs. 25000/- OR Rs. 31000/- +HRA (i) (Rs.31000/-+HRA) for those candidates who have qualified CSIR-UGC / ICAR / ICMR NET including Lectureship / Assistant Professorship or GATE or those have qualified National Level Examinations conducted by Central Government Departments like DBT / DST or equivalent and or their Agencies and institutions. (ii) Rs.25000/-+HRA for others who do not fall under (i) above	Rs. 28000/- OR Rs. 35000/- +HRA (i) (Rs.35000/-+HRA) for those candidates who have qualified CSIR-UGC / ICAR / ICMR NET including Lectureship / Assistant Professorship or GATE or those have qualified National Level Examinations conducted by Central Government Departments like DBT / DST or equivalent and or their Agencies and institutions. (ii) Rs. 28000/- +HRA for others who do not fall (i) above	PAT-I	Maximum age: 35 years, age relaxation as per rule
		PAT-II	
		Senior Project Associate / Senior PAT	Maximum age: 40 years, age relaxation as per rule

Abbreviations: PAT-I -Project Associate-I, PAT-II- Project Associate-II, SPA-Senior Project Associate,

Mode of Selection: Candidates must report at the NIScPR Reception Desk on 03/09/2026 **from 9.00 AM to 11.00 A.M.** (Candidates will not be entertained after 11.00 A.M.). The selection of the Project staff would be based on (a) Academic records, and/ or (b) Performance in the test, and (c) Interview.

Date of Walk-in-interview:

03/09/2026

Reporting Time:

From 09:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Venue:

Vivekananda Hall CSIR-National Institute of Science, Communication and Policy Research (NIScPR) Dr. K. S. Krishnan Marg, Pusa Gate, New Delhi-110012 Nearest Metro Station: Rajendra Place

General Guidelines

1. The project staff position is on a contract basis and or co – terminus with the Project(s). However, under no circumstances the tenure of project staff who have CSIR- NIScPR or any other laboratories /Institute of CSIR under contract R&D projects would not be allowed to exceed six-year duration.
2. Candidates are required to come for interview with duly filled application in prescribed format, and bring all certificates, in original and a set of self-attested photocopies of the same, in support of age, qualification and experience for verification. Incomplete application in any form will be rejected.
3. The Upper age limit shall be reckoned as on the date of the interview.
4. Only those candidates who have acquired the essential qualification & result has been declared (should have at least a provisional certificate) are eligible to appear in the Walk-in-interview.

5. Result awaited / Final semester appeared candidates are not eligible to appear in the walk-in-interview for the position where such minimum essential qualification requirement is mandatory.
6. Experience, where required, will be counted from the date after acquiring the essential minimum educational qualification. Dissertation/thesis work conducted during the academic period will not be counted as experience.
7. The period of experience rendered by a candidate Part - time, daily wages, visiting/ guest faculty etc. Will not be counted while calculating the valid experience for short listing the candidates for interview.
8. Time spent in acquiring of minimum higher qualification will not be counted as an experience over essential qualification.
9. Mere fulfilling of minimum qualification does not confer any right to a candidate for selection.
10. No up gradation of the project staff shall be done in the same or new project.
11. CSIR – NIScPR reserves the right to cancel or withdraw the offer of engagement in case of any discrepancy of any empanelled candidate at any stage.
12. offer of appointment, after completion of per – appointment formalities like medical examination and character verification etc.
13. Engagement under the new project would be made only after submission of duly completed 'No Demand Certificate' and 'No Dues Certificate' and submission of resignation from the previous project to administration through the concerned Scientist & head.
14. The Engagement of project staff may be terminated at any time without assigning any reasons, by giving a one-month notice. In case, the person desires to leave the assignment, he/she may also do so by giving one-month notice period or payment of one- month remuneration in lieu of which can be condoned/ curtailed/ extended depending upon the discretion of the competent Authority.
15. The project staff shall have to make their own arrangement for accommodation during their tenure in the project. However, HRA shall be admissible as per the applicable rules of the sponsoring agency.
16. No. of positions may increase or decrease.
17. No TA will be paid to the candidates for appearing in the interview.
18. No claim for the permanent position shall be entertained.
19. Other terms & conditions will be governed as per guidelines issued by the funding agency/ CSIR-NIScPR for the engagement of the above project staff as amended from time to time.
20. The offer letter shall be issued to the candidate initially for a period of 6 months, a review committee will assess the performance of the project staff and recommended for their extension if required, subject to the availability of funds in the project.
21. Canvassing in any form and bringing in influence political or otherwise will be treated as disqualification.

Note:

1. In the event of a large number of candidates, the interview process may continue on the following day. Candidates are advised to make the necessary arrangements accordingly.
2. Candidates are advised to fill out the prescribed application form (attached with the advertisement), affix a recent passport-size colour photograph, sign the photograph, and submit one set of self-attested photocopies of all relevant documents along with the application.
3. Candidates are advised to bring all the original documents for verification at the time of the Walk-in-Interview.



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APPLICATION FOR THE ENGAGEMENT OF PROJECT STAFF

[FILL ALL THE DETAILS IN BLOCK/ CAPITAL LETTERS]

Advt. No.: NIScPR/ULIP/VII/2026-R&A

Applied for the position of _____

Serial No. of the project _____

For office Use Only

**Paste Recent Passport size
photograph and sign in the box
given below**

PERSONAL PARTICULARS

1. Name: _____

2. Sex (Male / Female / Others): _____

3. Category (SC / ST / OBC Non-Creamy Layer / EWS/ UR): _____

4. Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY): _____

5. Age as on (walk-in-interview): Years _____ Months _____ Days _____

6. Nationality: _____

7. Correspondence Address: _____

8. E-mail .: _____ MobileNo.: _____

9. EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

Sl. No.	Course / Degree	Board / University / Institute	Year of Passing

10. ADDITIONAL / PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

Sl. No.	Course / Degree	Board / University / Institute	Year of Passing

11. EXPERIENCE

Sl. No.	Organization / Institute	Period (From)	Period (To)	Total Period	Nature of Work

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

12. List of Publications (if any) — give details; add annexure if required:

- Research Papers
- Conference Papers / Abstracts
- Book Chapters
- Popular Science Articles (magazines / newspapers, etc.)

13. List of Audio-Video content developed (if any) — give details; add annexure if required:

14. List of Graphic Designs / Animations developed (if any) — give details; add annexure if required:

15. Experience in popular writing / social media management (if any):

16. List relevant software that you are proficient in:

17. LANGUAGES KNOWN / PROFICIENCY

S. No.	Language	Read	Speak	Write

OTHER PARTICULARS

18. Particulars of close relatives working in CSIR-NIScPR / CSIR, if any:

19. Bring up to ten of your best Publications / works (hard copy) and/or Audio-video content (in Pen drive).

20. List of Enclosures:

S.n.	Documents	Check Box

UNDERTAKING

I hereby declare that all the statements made in the application are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that in the event of any information being found incorrect or ineligibility being detected before or after the engagement, my candidature/engagement is liable to be cancelled. Further, I also declare that I have never been convicted by any court of Law.

Name:

Signature with date