

Dated: 11th January 2024

**Advertisement for the Positions of Project Associate-I
in the Research Project sponsored by DST under the Scheme “Promotion of University
Research and Scientific Excellence” (DST-PURSE)
(Last Date: 25th January 2024)**

Applications are invited for the 04 temporary positions of Project Associate-1 from highly motivated and eligible candidates to work in Doon University Dehradun under time bound research project, sponsored by Department of Science and Technology (Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India) under the scheme entitled “Promotion of University Research and Scientific Excellence” (DST-PURSE), Government of India.

[A] Details of the Project:

Project title	Development of Functional Nanomaterial and their Applications in Coating Materials, Hydrogen Generation, Catalysis and Device Fabrication
Funding Agency	Department of Science and Technology (Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India)
PURSE Project Implementation Group	[1] Dr. Arun Kumar, <i>Associate Professor, Dept. of Chemistry, Doon University</i> [2] Dr. Charu Dwivedi, <i>Assistant Professor, Dept. of Chemistry, Doon University</i> [3] Dr. Himani Sharma, <i>Associate Professor, Dept. of Physics, Doon University</i>
Name of the Position	Project Associate-I
Number of Total Positions	04
Duration	Initial appointment will be for one year. It is extendable on yearly basis up to the duration of the project (about 04 years) based on performance.

[B] Qualifications for Project Associate-I:

Essential Qualifications	M.Sc. in Chemistry from a recognized University or Institute with 55 % marks or equivalent grade
Number of Positions	03
Upper Age Limit	35
Monthly Emoluments (Rs)	(i) Rs. 31,000/- + HRA to those who are selected through (a) National Eligibility Tests – CSIR-UGC NET including lectureship (Assistant Professorship) or GATE or (b) A selection process through National level examinations conducted by Central Government Departments and their Agencies and Institutions. (ii) Rs. 25,000/- + HRA for others who do not fall under (i) above.

[C] Qualifications for Project Associate-I:

Essential Qualifications	M.Sc. in Physics from a recognized University or Institute with 55 % marks or equivalent grade
Number of Positions	01
Upper Age Limit	35
Monthly Emoluments (Rs)	(iii) Rs. 31,000/- + HRA to those who are selected through (a) National Eligibility Tests – CSIR-UGC NET including lectureship (Assistant Professorship) or GATE or (b) A selection process through National level examinations conducted by Central Government Departments and their Agencies and Institutions. (iv) Rs. 25,000/- + HRA for others who do not fall under (i) above.

[D] About Doon University:

Doon University has been established by Government of Uttarakhand through Doon University Act 2005 passed by the State Legislative Assembly. It is recognized by the University Grants Commission (UGC) under Section 12 (B) and 2(f) of the UGC Act and accredited as B++ by NAAC.

[E] Application Procedure:

Interested and eligible candidates may send a cover letter and the detailed Biodata clearly mentioning their Contact details (email ID, phone/mobile number, postal address), Date of birth, Age (as on 25th January 2024), educational qualifications with percentage of marks/grades obtained, NET/GATE Qualification (if any), Research experience (if any) and Details of research publication (if any) through email at purse@doonuniversity.ac.in with subject line “Application for the Position of Project Associate-I” under DST-PURSE Project. In cover letter, the candidate must mention about his eligibility and age.

[F] Last Date: 25th January 2024

[G] Date of Interview:

The shortlisted candidates will be informed by e-mail about the interview date. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.

[H] INSTRUCTIONS

[1] The short-listed candidates will be called upon for appearing in interview on a date which will be informed/conveyed via email by the PURSE Implementation Group. The mode of the interview will be preferably offline in Doon University. Request for online interview may be considered in extraordinary circumstances.

[2] Keep on visiting Doon University website for any update.

- [3] Doon University reserves the right to reject any or all the application/s without assigning any reasons thereof.
- [4] Selection will solely be based on candidate's interview performance.
- [5] Appointment will be made on temporary basis initially for a period of one year and can be renewed for next year based on satisfactory performance in project. Selected candidates will be placed at Doon University.
- [6] The contract will also include a one month notice period wherein if the candidate selected wants to discontinue the project, he/she will have to inform the PI/PURSE Coordinator one month in advance and in case PI is not satisfied with the performance of candidate, the candidate (Project Associate) will be informed one month prior to termination of contract.
- [7] The remuneration will be in accordance with the guideline and may be revised as and when directed by DST.
- [8] Candidates appearing for interview should come with hard copies of cover letter, 05 copies of detailed biodata, self-attested Xerox copies of certificates of marksheets and degree certificates, testimonials, along with their original documents, experience (if any), research publications (if any), academic achievements (if any), and original and Xerox copy of valid GATE/CSIR UGC NET score card (if any).
- [9] No TA/DA will be provided for appearing in the Interview.
- [10] Selected candidate will be supposed to join immediately or within few days after receiving the offer letter.
- [11] Any queries related to above post must be raised at purse@doonuniversity.ac.in

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