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**Brief description:** This project involves the design and development of an exosuit, a soft wearable robotic device, for upper limb augmentation. The work is interdisciplinary and brings together researchers from various disciplines including control, brain-machine interface, biomechanics, materials, machine learning and human physiology. Your role is to design and develop learning-based control systems for soft wearable robots.

**Why you would like to join:**

1. You will have an opportunity to interact with an interdisciplinary team of scientists having a background as diverse as soft robotics, machine learning, biomechanics, signal processing, and control theory.
2. This is a cutting-edge project in the country on soft neuro-robotics and control.

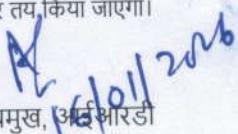
Title of the Project	Wearable soft robotics for Upper Limb Muscle Power Augmentation with BMI interface (DRDO JATC Project) . (RP04191G)	
Funding Agency	DRDO, Ministry of Defence	
Name of the Project Investigator	Prof. Sitikantha Roy/Prof. Lalan Kumar [email ID: recruitment.jatc@gmail.com]	
Dept./Centre	School of Artificial Intelligence/ Department of Applied Mechanics	
Duration of the Project	Upto: 17/12/2026	
Post (s)	Consolidated fellowship / Pay-slab	Qualifications
Research Associate (01)	Rs.58,000/- p.m. plus HRA @ 27%	<p>Ph.D./MD/MS/MDS/M.Des or equivalent degree or having 3 years of Research, Teaching and design &amp; Development experience after MSc/M.Pharma/ M.E/M-Tech with at least one research paper in science citation (SCI Journal).</p> <p><b>Essential:</b> Person having a strong background in Design Innovation and Development, Human Factors &amp; Ergonomics in wearable robotics, Product Sketching &amp; Ideation, CAD Modeling (for prototyping, fabrication, manufacture), 3D rendering, Prototype fabrication skills (Fabric Stitching, Pattern making, 3D printing), Usability testing, Industrial Design Process methods, Mechanical testing.</p> <p><b>Desirable skills:</b> Candidate with prior knowledge and hands on experience in CAD modeling, 3D printing and Mechanical design / fabrication.</p>

The posts may be downgraded as per discretion of the Selection Committee if none of the candidate is found suitable for the post.

The candidates who are interested to apply for the above post should download Form No. IRD/REC-4 from the IRD Website (<http://ird.iitd.ac.in/rec>) of IIT Delhi and submit the duly filled form with complete information regarding educational qualifications indicating percentage of marks/division, details of work experience etc. to Prof. Sitikantha Roy by e-mail with advertisement No. on the subject line at email id: [recruitment.jatc@gmail.com](mailto:recruitment.jatc@gmail.com) and cc it to: [sroy@am.iitd.ac.in](mailto:sroy@am.iitd.ac.in)

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कार्यवाहक प्रमुख, 30/01/2026  


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