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VACANCY NOTICE

1. Online applications are invited for one positions of Assistant Professor (Guest Faculty) in the Department of Biotechnology, Panjab University, Chandigarh, on purely temporary basis to teach B.Sc. (Hons.) and M.Sc. (Hons.) Biotechnology classes under NEP during the Odd Semester of the Academic Year 2026-27.
2. Interested candidates are required to submit the soft copy as well as hard copy of the application in the prescribed proforma: (UGC regulation 2018 form <http://forms.puchd.ac.in/forms/20200122155429-directrecruitmentassistant professor application formasperugcregulation2018.pdf>), along with the self-attested copies of relevant certificates and documents to the office of the Chairperson, Department of Biotechnology, Panjab University, Chandigarh at its email ID: **chairperson_biotech@pu.ac.in** by **07.08.2026 (Friday)**.
3. **Essential Qualification:**
 - i. Good academic record as defined by the concerned University with at least 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) at the master's degree level from Recognized University in the discipline of Biotechnology. A relaxation of 5% shall be provided for the candidate belonging to SC/ST/Physically and Visually Handicapped/OBC (Non-Creamy Layer)/Ph.D. Degree holders, who have obtained their Master's degree prior to 19th September 1992.)
 - ii. The candidates must have cleared the National Eligibility Test (NET) conducted by the UGC, CSIR or similar test accredited by the UGC like SLET/SET or who are or have been awarded a Ph.D. degree in accordance with the University Grants Commission. Provided further, candidates registered for the Ph.D. Programme prior to July 11, 2009 shall be exempted from the requirement of NET/SLET/SET subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions.
 - a). Ph.D. degree of the candidate awarded in regular mode only;
 - b). Evaluation of the Ph.D. thesis by the least two external examiners;
 - c). An open Ph.D. viva-voce of the candidate had been conducted;
 - d). Candidate has published two research papers from his/her Ph.D. work out of which at least one must be a refereed journal;
 - e). Candidate has made at least two presentations in conference/seminars/based on his/her Ph.D. work. a) to e) as above are to be certified by the Registrar/Dean (Academic affairs).
4. **Honorarium:** The above assignment will be on lecture basis with a token honorarium of Rs. 1500/- per lecture with an upper limit of Rs. 50000/- per month. The candidates shall have to give an undertaking that they will not draw any fellowship/stipend or any financial assistance from any agency till they are teaching in the Department of Biotechnology, Panjab University, Chandigarh, as a Guest Faculty. The candidates who are already availing JRF scholarships in the University are not entitled for the honorarium but they will be issued an experience certificate for the Guest Faculty.
5. **Interview:** The interview date will be intimated to the shortlisted candidates.
6. **TA /DA :** No will be paid to the candidates appearing for the Interview.

(Chairperson)

Chairperson,
Department of Biotechnology,
Panjab University, Chandigarh.