



**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change**  
**Zoological Survey of India, M-Block, New Alipore,**  
**Kolkata-700053, WEST BENGAL**

**ADVERTISEMENT for WALK-IN-INTERVIEW**

Interested and eligible candidates are requested to appear before the selection committee on 16th October, 2024 at 11:00 AM for the post of **Research Associate-I (01) in National Mission on Himalayan Studies (NMHS) Large Grant project "Multidimensional Assessment of Ecological Dynamics and Ecosystem Health of Selected High-Altitude Wetlands of Indian Himalayan Region (IHR) for Effective Conservation and Management planning"** at the Zoological Survey of India, Head Qtrs., 'M' Block, New Alipore, Kolkata-700053, West Bengal, India.

**Date & Place of Interview:** 16-10-2024 at 11:00 AM at Zoological Survey of India, 'M' Block, New Alipore, Kolkata-700053

**Details of the project**

Project Name: **"Multidimensional Assessment of Ecological Dynamics and Ecosystem Health of Selected High-Altitude Wetlands of Indian Himalayan Region (IHR) for Effective Conservation and Management planning"**.

**Funding Agency:** National Mission on Himalayan Studies (NMHS), MoEFCC.

**Project Duration:** Initially up to one year, may be extended for further period(s) based on satisfactory performance of individual and funding.

**Eligibility**

Name of the Post	No. of Post	Place of posting	Educational Qualification	Desirable Qualification	Remuneration
Research Associate-I	01 (One)	HQ, Kolkata  May have to work in high altitude regions of Indian Himalayas	PhD in Zoology/ Biotechnology/ Bioinformatics / any other branch of Life Sciences or Equivalent degree from a UGC recognized University.	At least two research papers in Science Citation Indexed (SCI) Journals.  Having hands on experience in handling NGS data on high end computer server.	Rs. 47000 per month + eligible HRA

**General Instructions**

- Age limit:** Upper age limit is 35 years for RA-I on the date of interview. However, the upper age limit may be relaxed as per Government of India rules and regulations.
- The above posts are purely temporary and co-terminus with the project.
- Candidates appearing for the walk-in-interview are required to register from 10 AM to 12:15 PM on the day of interview at Zoological Survey of India, 'M' Block, New Alipore, Kolkata-700053.
- Candidates should bring the duly filled-in application with self-attested true copies of testimonials of qualifications, experience, date of birth etc. along with copies of mark sheets of all examinations.
- All original documents should be produced at the time of registration.
- The offer of appointment to the candidates will be on purely contractual basis for one year initially and it may be extended for further period(s) based on further project extension and satisfactory performance of the candidate.
- The selected candidates need to join immediately or at a short notice.
- No TA/DA will be provided to the candidates for appearing for the interview.

9. The application form can be downloaded from the Zoological Survey of India website <https://zsi.gov.in/advertisement>.
10. In extreme cases, candidates may also send an electronic copy on or before 15th October 2024 of their duly filled application form by e-mail to [nmhs.vkzsi@gmail.com](mailto:nmhs.vkzsi@gmail.com) for online/virtual interview.
11. Incomplete application forms/applications with misrepresented facts will not be considered.
12. Any kind of paid or honorary, part-or-full-time employment or private practice even in honorary capacity is not permissible during the tenure of Associateship.
13. 'No Objection Certificate' from present employer to be submitted during interview (if employed)
14. The Director, Zoological Survey of India reserves the right to selection or rejection of any candidature and cancellation of the walk-in-interview.

The application should be made strictly as per format given below (can be downloaded from the ZSI website [www.zsi.gov.in](http://www.zsi.gov.in)) with attested copies of testimonials of educational qualifications, research experience, proof for date of birth etc., along with copies of mark sheets of all examinations and 'No Objection Certificate' from present employer if, employed.

**Contact Details of PI and Co-PI:**

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**APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF RESEARCH ASSOCIATE**

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**Funding Agency: National Mission on Himalayan Studies (NMHS), MoEFCC.**

1. Name in full (in block letters) :
2. Sex (Male or Female) :
3. Date of birth :
4. Nationality :
5. Father's name :
6. Address for correspondence including mobile and e-mail :
7. Whether SC/ST/OBC (attach certificate):
8. Educational/Professional Qualifications from Matriculation onwards:

S.No.	Examination passed	Year	School/College/University	Subjects	Marks obtained

9. Title of M.Sc. dissertation/Thesis including a one page summary:
10. Details of Ph.D. mention the following:
  - I. Title of thesis:
  - II. University:
  - III. Year of award of the degree: (please attach copy of doctorate degree)
  - IV. One page summary of the thesis

11. Details of Previous Employment

Name of the Employer/ Organization	Full Address of Employer/Organization	Post held (with pay scale)	Duration		Total emoluments drawn (Rs.)	Nature of duties/ experience
			From*	To*		

\* Specify Month and Year

12. List of publications (if any, provide copy of first page of the publication) :
13. Name, complete address and email id of two referees:
14. Any other information :

**Declaration:**

I hereby declare that all the information furnished above are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I shall abide by the terms and conditions specified in the project.

Applicant's signature with date