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The ICGEB invites applications for the post of Group Leaders/Scientists, New Delhi Component

Applicants can be of any nationality and must have an excellent post Ph. D. record of research/publications in any area of modern biology and biotechnology. While highly competent candidates under any of the research mandates of ICGEB, New Delhi will be considered, expertise in virology concerning new and emerging diseases is being currently preferred. ICGEB New Delhi provides competitive and supportive research environment and state-of-the-art facilities

Education and Expertise

The candidate should have a Ph. D. degree in any branch of science with expertise and experience in the areas of ICGEB mandate. Applicants must have significant accomplishments commensurate with their career stage and should have proven ability to compete for extramural national/international funding and head a successful research laboratory.

Applicants must have a sound record of research and publications in above cited area/s, evidence of independent research achievements, ability to guide Ph.D. students and teach Ph.D. level courses as well as post-Ph.D. level training programmes will be an asset with ability and commitment to build a dynamic research program of international stature is essential.

Work Expectation

Candidate/s will be expected to conduct their own research programs, guide Ph.D. students and participate actively in teaching Ph.D. level courses as well as post-Ph. D. level training programmes.

Remunerations and benefits

The post is full-time. A 4-year contract with the initial year on probation will be offered, renewal subject to performance, and will foresee an attractive salary package within the United Nations Common System at a level commensurate with the incumbent’s
qualifications and experience, including participation in the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund and international health insurance.

**Language:**

Fluency in English is essential.

Applicants should submit their curriculum vitae, a statement of research interests and names and addresses of three referees to The Director, ICGEB, Aruna Asaf Ali Marg, New Delhi-110 067, INDIA. Additionally, applicants should submit their full CV by completing the ICGEB’s Personal History Form available online at: [https://www.icgeb.org/about-us/work-with-us/](https://www.icgeb.org/about-us/work-with-us/) and address it to email id: icgeb.director@gmail.com.

**Closing Date for the Applications: Open**

**JOB DESCRIPTION**

**POST TITLE:** Group Leader / Scientist - New Delhi Component

**LEVEL:** attractive employment packages linked to experience and achievements

**DATE REQUIRED:** As soon as possible

**DURATION:** As per contract conditions

**DUTY STATION:** New Delhi, India

**DUTIES:** Under the direct supervision of the Director of the New Delhi Component, and the overall guidance of the Director-General

Within the limits delegated by the Director, assume responsibilities, in particular:

- Ability to guide Ph.D. students and teach Ph.D. level courses as well as post-Ph.D. level training programmes.

- Ability and commitment to build a dynamic program of international stature is essential.

- Incumbent must have significant accomplishments commensurate with their career stage and should have proven ability to compete for extramural national/international funding and head a successful research laboratory.

- Assume responsibility on other matters as delegated by the Director-General or the Director of the New Delhi Component.