

School of Chemical Sciences

Mahatma Gandhi University

Priyadarsini Hills P O, Kottayam-686 560, Kerala, India

Dr. Krishnan Kartha Kalathil Ramanujan Fellow (SERB)

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Advertisement for Project Associate

Applications are invited for a temporary position of Project Associate I to work on a Ramanujan Fellowship project by SERB, Govt. of India, at School of Chemical Sciences, Mahatma Gandhi University (MGU), Kottayam 686 560, Kerala, India.

The duration of the project is *five* years from 17-01-2022.

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Position	Project Associate I
No. of Posts	1
Age	Below 28 years
Qualification [Essential]	M. Sc. in Chemistry (minimum 60% marks) [Candidates who have qualified with NET/GATE will be given preferences]
Job Description	The project will involve multi-step organic synthesis and investigation of the self- assembly process with a detailed spectroscopic and photophysical characterisation in solution. Thus, research experience in organic synthesis and /or self-assembly

studies of small molecules in solution will give preference.

Fellowship As per SERB guidelines

Rs. 25,000 per month for the initial two years and following a mandatory assessment of performance after the completion of 2 years Rs. 28,000 per month for the remaining period of Project Associate position.

Eligible and interested candidates should send their application with a complete CV (having personal details, academic qualifications, research experience, publications, name, affiliation, and email address of two referees) and other relevant documents as a PDF attachment via email to krishnankartha@gmail.com.

Due date: All documents should be mailed on or before 31st July 2022. The interview date and details will be informed to the shortlisted candidates via email.

Conditions:

- i. The decision of the selection committee will be final.
- ii. If the number of shortlisted candidates called for the interview is large, the selection committee may decide to restrict the number of candidates for the interview to a reasonable limit after considering qualifications and experience over and above the minimum prescribed in the advertisement.
- iii. The selected candidate will have to join duty immediately on receipt of the offer,
- iv. The fellowship is for **1 year** initially and will be renewed based on the performance of candidate.

With regards,

Dr. Krishnan Kartha Kalathil Principal Investigator