Applications are invited for a "**Project Assistant**" position in DBT funded project in the Dept. of Biological Sciences (DBS), IISER Kolkata, Mohanpur, Nadia, West Bengal 741246. This position is purely temporary and co-terminus with the project mentioned above.

Job Title: Project Assistant

Duration: 1 year (extendable to 2 years based on performance and availability of the funds) **No. of Post:** 01

Project Title: "Assessing the immuno-therapeutic potential of type III interferons-IFNs (IFN- λ) against Avian Influenza virus (AIV) infections in murine and chickens model." Principal Investigator: Dr. Amirul I. Mallick

Qualification:

Essential qualification: MSc in Biotechnology/Zoology/Molecular biology/Microbiology or related field in Life Sciences. Preference will be given to NET/GATE/equivalent National Level Tests qualified candidates.

Desirable Qualifications: Prior experience in virus propagation, purification and quantification will be preferred. In addition, candidates with experience in cell culture, molecular biology techniques, and immunological assays (ELISA, Western blot, FACS, Immunofluorescence) are desirable. Prior experience in animal experimentation (mice/chickens) will be preferred.

Salary: INR 20,000 per month plus HRA as per the rule.

How to apply: Eligible candidates should send a soft copy of their application (Cover letter, detailed CV, work experience, if any, in **SINGLE PDF**) to **dbs.hpilab@gmail.com**

The last date for receipt of the application: <u>July 25, 2022</u>

Date of Interview: Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for an_interview in the <u>first</u> <u>week of August 2022.</u>

Start date of the position: September 1, 2022

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