

Walk-in interview for the position of Biodiversity Scientist in a project to be undertaken in the Centre for Climate and Environmental Studies at IISER Kolkata.

Project Title: Coastal Wetlands Conservation Action: public access data for education and conservation

Funding Agency: GLOW (through Griffith University, Australia)

Temporary position: Biodiversity Scientist

Number of vacancy- 1

Salary- Rs 1,00,000 per month (consolidated)

Age Limit- Must not be over 40 years as on 3rd June, 2026 which can be relaxed for certain reserved categories as per rules of Government of India. Relaxation in age, educational qualifications or experience may be considered in case of exceptionally meritorious candidates. As part of the project, field-based biodiversity attributes including crabs will be measured in Sundarbans mangrove from pristine and degraded mangrove patches using in field and remote techniques. In addition, relevant ecological datasets routinely collected across regional and global scales for mangroves will be explored to quantitatively map signals of biodiversity and integrated into graphical user interfaces. For details about the project, please write to Punyasloke Bhadury at pbhadury@iiserkol.ac.in

Qualifications: Doctoral Degree (Ph.D.) in Science or Master's Degree in Engineering or Technology from a recognized University/Institute or equivalent or Ph.D. thesis submitted. Proven experience working on Sundarbans biodiversity including relevant publications on aspects of Sundarbans biodiversity would be welcome. The position would be initially for six months but can be extended to one year subject to satisfactory performances.

Walk-in interview: 3rd June, 2026

Venue of interview: Lab M254, Second Floor, Research Complex, IISER Kolkata;
Time:10:15 AM.

No TA/DA will be paid to attend the walk-in interview.