	INDIAN INSTITUTE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DESIGN AND MANUFACTURING KURNOOL, Jagannathagattu Hill, Dinnedevarapadu, Kurnool, Andhra Pradesh - 518008 (An Institute with National Importance under MoE, Govt. of India)

RA/JRF/PA Advertisement No. IIITDMK/Project/MeitY/2025/003

Date:27-June-2025

Applications are invited for the following post on the MeitY-sponsored research project.

Project Title	Development of Secure Post Quantum Public Key Infrastructure
Position	Research Associate (RA) - 01; Junior Research Fellow (JRF) - 01; Project Associate (PA) - 01
Duration	1.3 Years
Essential qualification	**For RA position**: PhD in Cryptology and allied areas. Thesis submitted candidates can also apply. **For JRF/PA position**: Master degree in **Computer Science and Engineering** or **Mathematics** or **Mathematical Computing** and/or BTech in **Computer Science and Engineering or Mathematical Computing**.
Desired qualification	1) Good academic record and knowledge in public key cryptography especially in Lattice-based Cryptography 2) Knowledge of provable security, linear algebra, probability and statistics required
Ph.D. Opportunity	JRF candidates selected for this position will have the opportunity to register for the regular Ph.D. program in IIITDM Kurnool provided JRF satisfies the *eligibility criteria*.
Stipend	**For RA position:** (1st Year - Rs. 58000, 2nd Year - Rs. 61000) + HRA*. **For JRF position:** Candidate qualified with **GATE or CSIR or NBHM: (**1st, 2nd Years - Rs. 37000, 3rd Year - Rs. 42000) + HRA*. **For Project Associate:** a. If candidate **without** GATE or NBHM or CSIR qualification and **less than two years** of experience in the field of Cryptography: Rs. 25000 + HRA*. b. If candidate **without** GATE or NBHM or CSIR qualification and **more than two years** of experience in the field of Cryptography: Rs. 28000 + HRA*. Note: * As per the institute's rule.
Mode of Application	Interested candidates are requested to **submit** a **duly filled application form** in the format along with all the enclosures (CV, all educational certificates, GATE/CSIR-NET/NBHM score card, and any other relevant documents) as a single pdf file through E-mail with subject "**RA** or **JRF** or **PA Application for Post-Quantum Cryptography Project**" before the deadlines. **Email**: kabaleesh@iiitk.ac.in
Important Dates	**Submission Deadline** for Application Form: **Rolling advertisement**. First phase of the deadline is **18th July 2025.** Shortlisted candidates may have an interview within one or two weeks.

Note: Shortlisted candidates will be emailed about the interview. The date and time of the interview will also be sent to the shortlisted candidates. Mere possession of the minimum qualifications does not guarantee an invitation to the interview. Candidates will be shortlisted based on their merits and as per the project's requirements.

Project Investigator

HoD, CSE   Associate Dean (SRIC).

Instructions to the Applicants

1. Only short-listed applicants will be called for the interview. Applicants must meet the required qualifications to be called for the interview.
2. The Institute reserves the right to fix suitable criteria for shortlisting eligible candidates who satisfy qualifications and experience.
3. No interim correspondence/ inquiries will be entertained from the candidates in connection with the shortlisting process.
4. The post is purely temporary and based on the periodic evaluation It may be extended further.
5. The candidate is responsible for the correctness of the information provided in the application. If it is found at a later date that any information given in the application is incorrect/false, the candidature/appointment is liable to be canceled/terminated. Incomplete/ partially filled application forms/applications without supporting documents will not be considered.
6. Applications that are not strictly as per the format given will be summarily rejected.
7. Canvassing in any form will disqualify the candidature of the applicant.
8. The original testimonials will be verified at the time of presentation/interview.
9. Shortlisted candidates will be intimated through email.

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Associate Dean (SRIC).