



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

RA Advertisement No. IIITDMKL/MED/RA/2026/01

Date: 11th March 2026

Applications are invited for the following temporary post to work on the **ARMREB-DRDO** sponsored research project (**ARMREB/MAA/2025/306**) for a limited period of time.

Title of the project	Development of Impact test coupons with superior strain energy absorption characteristics for underbody protection in Armoured Fighting Vehicles (AFVs)
Position and Number of post	Research Associate (One post)
Duration of the Project	01 Year
Essential qualification	Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering, Materials Engineering, Aerospace Engineering, or a closely related discipline. Candidates with M.E./M.Tech. in a relevant discipline and a minimum of three (03) years of post-M.E./M.Tech experience in research, teaching, or design and development are also eligible, provided they have at least three research publications in Q1 journals indexed in the Science Citation Index Expanded (SCIE). Area of Research Preference: Additive Manufacturing for Defence and Aerospace Applications, Impact Testing, Energy Absorption in Metallic Structures, and Advanced Materials for Armoured Fighting Vehicles (AFVs).
Desired qualification	1) Good academic record and knowledge in the relevant area 2) Experience in the Design, Dynamic Simulation, Additive Manufacturing Basics 3) Good analytical ability and technical writing skills.
Stipend	One Year of Rs 67,000/- per month (Consolidated). HRA (10%) will be given as per rules. Total Maximum: Rs. 73,700/- (Inclusive of HRA)
Nature of post	The post is on contract basis up to a maximum period of one year subject to satisfactory performance evaluation every six months.
Mode of Application	Interested candidates are requested to submit duly filled application form in the format (available online on the institute website www.iiitk.ac.in) along with all the enclosures (CV, PhD Degree certificates, GATE score card and any other relevant documents) as a single pdf file through E-mail/speed post to the Principal Investigator before the deadlines.
Important Dates	Submission Deadline for Application Form: 27th March 2026
Correspondence Address (Principal Investigator)	Dr. C. Chandrasekhara Sastry, Assistant Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIITDM Kurnool, Jagannathagattu Hill, Andhra Pradesh-518008. E-mail: chandrasekhar@iiitk.ac.in , Contact : +918518-289100 – 210 (E)
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 project requirements.

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Instructions to the Applicants

- 1) The post is purely temporary and is for the duration of one year.
- 2) Only short-listed applicants will be called for the interview. Applicants who do not meet the required qualification will not be called for the interview.
- 3) The institute reserves the right to fix suitable criteria for short listing of eligible candidates satisfying qualification and experience.
- 4) No interim correspondence/ inquiries will be entertained from the candidates in connection with the process of shortlisting.
- 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 cancelled / terminated. Incomplete/ partially filled application forms/ application without the supporting documents will not be considered.
- 6) Applications which 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) No TA/DA will be provided to attend the interview.
- 9) The original testimonials will be verified at the time of written test/interview.
- 10) Shortlisted candidates will be intimated through email
- 11) Applicants are requested to look at website of IIITDM Kurnool (www.iiitk.ac.in) from time to time for information, updates etc. Updating, if any will be published on the website only and not in newspaper.

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Application for the recruitment to the post of “Research Associate (RA)” to work on the research project titled “Development of Impact Test Coupons with Superior Strain Energy Absorption Characteristics for Underbody Protection in Armoured Fighting Vehicles (AFVs)” in the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Indian Institute of Information Technology Design and Manufacturing (IIITDM) Kurnool, Andhra Pradesh.

1.	Name of the Candidate	
2.	Date of Birth	
3.	Marital Status	SINGLE/MARRIED
4.	Gender	MALE/FEMALE
5.	Nationality	
6.	Community	GEN/OBC/SC/ST
7.	PwD	YES/NO
8.	Email	
9.	Phone/Mobile Number	
10.	Permanent Address	
11.	Address for Communication	
12.	Particulars of the GATE GATE Score Year of Passing Department	

13. Academic Record

Certificate/Degree	Specialization	Name of the Institute	Name of the Board/ University	Year of Passing	Percentage/CGPA
SSLC (10 th)					
HSC (+2)					

B. Tech./B.E.					
M. Tech./M.E.					
Ph.D.					

14. Experience (Industry/ Research/ Teaching)

Designation	Name of the Organization	Duration		Nature of Work
		From	To	

15. Any Other Information

I declare that the above given information are true to my knowledge and belief. If any discrepancy is observed, my selection may be cancelled at any stage.

Date:
Place:

Candidate's Signature

Note: Attach all the supporting documents