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[कृषि अनुसंधान एवं शिक्षा विभाग, कृषि मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार]



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## INTERVIEW FOR SELECTION OF JRF (CHEMISTRY)

**Name of the Project:** ICAR Norman Borlaug Award Challenge project “Development of high-value pharmacophores and nutraceutical products from marine macroalgae for human health management and combating lifestyle diseases”

**Name of the Posts:** JRF (1 No)

**Date & Time of Interview:** 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2026 (10:00 am); Venue: In person at CMFRI, Kochi-18, ICAR-Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute (Near High Court of Kerala), Abraham Madamakkal Road, Ernakulam North PO, Kochi, Kerala 682 018

**Number of Vacancy:** JRF (1 No)

**Nature of the post and duration of the post:**

JRF: Purely temporary for one year from the date of recruitment and extendable for a maximum period of two years based upon performance, or the termination of the project, whichever is earlier.

Upper Age limit JRF: 35 years for men and 40 years for women as on last date of application

**Emoluments:** (a) 31,000/- per month + 20% HRA to scholars selected through through NET-CSIR/UGC NET including lecturership or GATE or A selection process through National level examinations conducted by Central Govt departments and their agencies/institutions OR (b) 25,000/- per month + 20% HRA who are not NET/CSIR-UGC qualified, and do not fall under the (a) above (\*The House Rent Allowance (HRA) will be given as per existing Central Government rates applicable in Kochi, Kerala).

**Place of posting:** Kochi

**Educational qualification/work experience:**

**JRF:**

**Essential:** Postgraduates in the discipline of Chemistry/Chemical Sciences with an experience in research in chemical/chemistry laboratories supported by project document/s. The candidate should have hands-on experience in chromatographic/spectroscopic techniques in natural product chemistry, including proof of filing patents, publication in the relevant area, and IPs.

**Desirable:** Basic and applied knowledge of scientific analysis in chemistry/organic chemistry/chemical sciences, Swimming skills.

**Selection process:** Suitably qualified candidates may e-mail the application along with all the supporting documents on or before 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2026 to **challengeprojectcmfri@gmail.com**

The candidate must bring all the certificates with them for the selection interview. No TA/DA will be paid to the applicants for appearing in the interview.

**General Instructions:**

The candidates are requested to furnish their original certificates, project works, and biodata along with a set of attested copies to the e-mail: **challengeprojectcmfri@gmail.com** along with the application.

The candidates are advised to send their biodata in advance to the e-mail: **challengeprojectcmfri@gmail.com** on or before 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2026. The shortlisted candidates will be informed by e-mail on or before 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2026. The shortlisted candidates may attend the interview to be held on 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2026 (10:00 am).

**Co-Principal Investigator of the project**