HOMI BHABHA CENTRE FOR SCIENCE EDUCATION

Walk-in Interview

Ref: HBC/EST/PA&PF **NOTICE NO. 08/13** **August 20, 2013**

Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, (TIFR), Mumbai hereby invites applicants for Walk-in-interview for following positions. National Initiatives on Undergraduate Science (NIUS) is an extended nurture programme aimed at promoting excellence in science at the undergraduate level with particular emphasis on research. For more details please visit http://nius.hbcse.tifr.res.in

➢ **PROJECT ASSISTANT (NIUS Astronomy) – ONE POSITION**

Job Description: The candidate should be interested to work in a research oriented environment in the field of astronomy. The main task will be to help organize we and monitor undergraduate student projects and to organize teacher and student workshops in astronomy. We are looking for candidates who have an active intaerest in scientific research, especially in astronomy.

Qualification: The candidate should have
1. B.Sc. or M.sc. degree in Physics or Astronomy with at least 50% marks OR
2. B.E. / B. Tech. with either a M.Sc. and/ or some research experience.
Experience of working in Linux – based computers is desirable.
The position is purely temporary, for one year in the first instance and extendable by one or two more years. A consolidated honorarium will be paid as follows.

- **For Project Assistants with Master's (M.Sc.) degree / B.E./ B.Tech** - **Rs. 10,000/-** during the first year, **Rs. 11,000/-** during the second year and Rs**. 12,000/-** during the third year + **HRA 30% in lieu of Government accommodation.**
- **For Project Assistants with Bachelor's (B.Sc.) degree** - **Rs. 7,500/-** during the first year, **Rs. 8,500/-** during the second year and **Rs. 9,500/-** during the third year+ **HRA 30% in lieu of Government accommodation.**

Age: Below 25 years. (Relaxable up to five years in deserving cases)

➢ **PROJECT FELLOW (NIUS Astronomy) – ONE POSITION**

Job Description: The candidate should be interested to work in a research-oriented environment in the field of Astronomy. The main task will be
1. Designing and monitoring undergraduate level research projects in Astronomy.
2. Preparing pedagogical material for training of students and teachers in Astronomy at the undergraduate level.

Qualification & Experience:
The candidate should have
1. M. Sc. (Physics/Astronomy) with at least 55% marks OR
2. B.E. /B.Tech (Physics/Engineering Physics) with at least 55% and some additional skill and one year experience relevant to the job.
Experience of working in Linux-based computers is desirable.
The position is purely temporary, for one year in the first instance and extendable by one or two more years at a fixed honorarium of **Rs. 12000/- p.m. to 16000/- p.m. depending on quality of skills and/or experience, with enhancement of the slab by Rs. 1000/- per year up to Rs. 16000/-p.m. House Rent allowance in lieu of government accommodation at the rate of 30% of the honorarium will also be paid.**

Age: Below 30 years (Relaxable up to five years in deserving cases)

Applicants must bring with them the following: 1) Application on plain paper giving full details such as Name, Date of Birth, Full address with phone/mobile number and e-mail address (if any), Educational Qualification, experience, caste, names, phone number and addresses of two referees, details of post applied for and Notice Number. Attach true copies of relevant certificates duly attested. **2) The original certificates for verification.** 3) One latest photograph. 4) In the event of the committee finding the candidate suitable, applicants in Govt. / Semi-Government / Public Sector undertakings /Autonomous body must produce No Objection Certificates from their employer.
Outstation candidates belonging to SC/ST are entitled for ordinary/Mail/Express second class return railway Fare. This concession is not admissible to those SC/ST candidates who are already in Central/State Govt. service.

Date of Interview: Thursday September 05, 2013 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Venue: HOMI BHABHA CENTRE FOR SCIENCE EDUCATION, T.I.F.R., (Next to Anushaktinagar Bus Terminus), V. N. Purav Marg, Mankhurd, Mumbai 400 088. To reach the Centre you may come by train to Mankhurd (Harbour Line) or take BEST Bus routes, 21 Ltd. from Dadar (E), 92 Ltd. or 521 Ltd. from Dadar (W),
360 from Kurla or 352 from Sion

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