

INSTITUTE FOR STEM CELL SCIENCE AND REGENERATIVE MEDICINE
(an Autonomous Institute of the Department of Biotechnology, Govt. of India) GKVK
Campus, Bellary Road, Bangalore-560065

Advertisement No. inStem/12/2021

The Institute for Stem Cell Science and Regenerative Medicine (inStem, www.instem.res.in), an Autonomous Institute of the Department of Biotechnology, Government of India, invites online applications from eligible and interested candidates under Scientific Cadre for Scientist-E on Direct Recruitment failing which by Deputation/ Absorption.

Mode of Applications: Only online applications will be accepted. Applications received through any other mode shall stand rejected automatically.

Sl. No.	Post Code	Name of the Post	Level in Pay Matrix (as per 7 th CPC)	No. of Post (s)	Category
1	12/21	Reader/Assistant Professor/Assistant Investigator (Scientist-E)	Level-13	1	SC

Important Note: The Institute reserves the right to withdraw/cancel the advertisement at any stage of recruitment process and may keep any of the advertised vacancy unfilled. No correspondence will be entertained in this regard.

About the Post: Position: Scientist E – 1 Post– SC Category

The Institute for Stem Cell Science & Regenerative Medicine (www.instem.res.in), Bangalore is an autonomous institute of the Department of Biotechnology, Government of India. inStem's mandate is to establish collaborative research programs in the field of stem cell biology, regeneration and repair in development and disease and with translational emphasis. In order to develop strengths in focused areas, research at inStem is programmatic, driven through collaborative inter-disciplinary themes, addressing questions, which are beyond the scope of a single laboratory. InStem shares a campus and research facilities with the National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS-TIFR) and the Centre for Cellular and Molecular Platforms (CCAMP).

The Institute has an opening in the following themes: Brain Development & Disease Mechanisms (BDDM); Cardiovascular Biology & Disease Theme (CBDT); Regulation of Cell Fate (RCF); Integrative Chemical Biology (ICB); Inflammation & Tissue Homeostasis (CITH); Details on the ongoing research in these themes is available on the website (<https://www.instem.res.in/>).

Applications must include:

- A complete curriculum vitae.
- A well-articulated research plan that must closely align and synergizes with ongoing research in any one (at most two) of the themes.

- A cover letter articulating synergies with the selected theme[s] and indicating the position and advertisement number.

Incomplete applications will not be considered. Applicants are encouraged to engage with theme coordinators for the articulation of their research plans. Direct alignment of the applicant's research program with the overall trajectory of the theme is a key criterion for shortlisting.

Interdisciplinary and collaborative research is strongly encouraged. InStem Investigators are expected to apply for grant funding but in the first instance, initial support is provided.

Compensation / Pay Details:

The post carries the pay level-13 (Starting Basic Pay of ₹1,23,100/-) in the pay structure of 7th CPC Pay Matrix and other benefits which include Dearness Allowance, House Rent Allowance (in lieu of accommodation), Transport Allowance, Children Education Allowance, Leave Travel Concession, Medical Facilities as per Govt. of India Rules. The selected candidate will be covered under National Pension System (NPS).

Eligibility Criteria: Essential Educational Qualifications and Experience required for the post are as under: -

Post Code	Post Name	Educational qualification & experience requirements
12/21	Reader/Assistant Professor/Assistant Investigator (Scientist-E)- Pay level-13	<p>Essential Qualification & Experience PhD in life sciences or other Allied Sciences or Equivalent with 8 years R & D experience including Ph.D, demonstrated by strong publications and successful funding of competitive extramural grants.</p> <p>Should be an outstanding scientist with a strong and exceptional research record with independent discovery research and collaborative/thematic research of a high order.</p> <p>Should have a strong research record with promise to contribute to the focused research themes at the Institute and/or carry out their own discovery driven research.</p> <p>Experience for Deputation: Scientists from Central/State Governments, Research Institutes, Autonomous Bodies etc.</p> <p>(i) Holding analogous post on regular basis in parent Departmentor</p> <p>(ii) With 4 years' service in Level 12 or equivalent in the parentcadre/ Department and possess the essential qualification & experience as mentioned above.</p>

Note:

- (i) InStem is a premier organization under the Department of Biotechnology, Government of India and its mandate is world class research. The institute is looking for Applicants with requisite capabilities, skills, qualifications, aptitude, merit and suitability to fulfil the

institute's objectives. Merely meeting minimum eligibility criteria will not automatically entitle a candidate to be called for assessment. The prospective applicants should align with the requirements of a scientific and research institute and willing to work in a competitive environment with full enthusiasm and dedication.

(ii) It may be noted that candidature will remain provisional till the veracity of the concerned documents are verified by the Appointing Authority.

(iii) Qualification and experience in the relevant field alone will be considered

Age limit & Relaxation: The age of the applicant should be as follows: -

Age Limit	
Not exceeding 50 years for Direct Recruitment and 55 years for Deputation	
Age Relaxation	
Scheduled Caste	5 years
Persons with Benchmark Disability +Scheduled Caste	15 years

Age Relaxation for the reserved category candidates against the reserved vacancies shall be applicable as per Government of India Rules subject to the condition that maximum age of the applicant on the crucial date shall not exceed 56 years.

Nationality: Indian National/NRI/PIO/OCI

Procedure for application for those who are already in Govt. Employment/PSUs/Autonomous Bodies etc: Candidates employed in Government/ Public Sector Undertakings/ State Government/ Autonomous Organizations etc. and Departmental Candidates should produce No Objection Certificate (NOC) from the present employer at the time of Interview, failing which the candidate will not be allowed to appear in the Interview.

Application Fee: As per the prevailing guidelines of Government of India of (i) SC/ST community (ii) Women and PwD category of any community are exempted from Application Fees. Supporting certificates should be uploaded for SC/ST & PwD candidates.

Important Dates:

Publishing of Advertisement in Employment News (E - Edition)	11.12.2021
Publishing of Advertisement in Local/National News papers	11.12.2021

Publishing of Advertisement on website	11.12.2021
Last date for receipt of online application	28.02.2022

How to Apply:

To apply for the position, interested candidates may log into inStem website – Careers-- Faculty positions (<https://www.instem.res.in/faculty-positions>). The applicant needs to fill the online application form and upload the following on the application portal: (i) Updated CV

(ii) Research statement and cover letter framed to align with the inStem theme[s]. This may be done following discussion with the theme coordinator and based on the theme statement on the website;

(iii) Contact details of eight (8) referees, known to the applicant in their professional capacity. Sections (i) – (iii) may be submitted as a single document

General Conditions:

1. Incomplete applications shall be summarily rejected and no correspondence in this regard shall be entertained.
2. Candidates must ensure that he/she fulfils the eligibility criteria as stipulated in the advertisement.
3. All eligibility conditions will be determined with reference to the crucial date of eligibility i.e., the closing date of receipt of applications.
4. Candidates are advised to keep a printout of the application form.
5. Any amendment related to this recruitment shall be made available only on the Institute's website.
6. Candidates are required to assess their eligibility for the post before remitting the fee. No claim on refund of fee paid will be entertained.
7. Any resultant dispute arising out of this advertisement shall be subject to the sole jurisdiction of the Courts situated at Bengaluru only

Further updates/information related to this recruitment exercise shall only be made available on the Institute's website.

Contact Us:

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Women candidates fulfilling the eligibility conditions are encouraged to apply