

**Centre of Excellence on Clean Coal Energy and Net Zero
(CLEANZ)**

Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad

Kandi, Telangana - 502285

Date: 07/10/2026

Advertisement for Research Associate-I Position

Project Title: Coal-ash based self-cleaning Bricks/Tiles for, non-load bearing tiles, and cladding applications

The *Centre of Excellence for Clean Coal Energy and Net Zero (CLEANZ)* at IIT Hyderabad invites applications from motivated and eligible candidates for the following time-bound research associate position. The appointment will be purely on a contract basis for one year, and may be extended based on the candidate's performance.

Position Details:

Position Title	Research Associate – I
Number of Vacancies	01
Essential Qualification	Ph.D. in Civil Engineering, Materials Science, or Packaging Technology
Desirable Experience	Experience in fabrication of ceramic/polymer composites and concrete, mechanical testing and material characterization
Emoluments	₹58,000 per month + 30% HRA (as per DST norms)
Mode of Selection	Resume shortlisting followed by an online interview *Selection is based on research profile and interview performance*
Tentative Joining Date	1 st December 2026

How to Apply: Interested candidates are requested to apply through google form by **5:00PM 7th November 2026**

Google Form: <https://forms.gle/quBr1FvY2SQV8iR86>

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