

## Advertisement for the position of Project Assistant at the Department of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad

Applications are invited from talented, motivated candidates for a research project in the Department of Chemistry of the Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad (IITH) on a Department of Science & Technology (DST-SERB) funded project

Name of the position	Project Assistant
Title of the project	Catalytic production of bio-polymer precursors using active site-tailored zeolites
Funding Agency	DST-SERB
Name of PI	Dr. Sudarsanam Putla (sudarsanam.putla@chy.iith.ac.in)
Duration of the position	6 months (possible extension based on performance)
Remuneration	As per standard government norms (DST pay scales)
Application Submission	Eligible candidates should apply with their CV via email to <a href="mailto:sudarsanam.putla@chy.iith.ac.in">sudarsanam.putla@chy.iith.ac.in</a> on or before 11th March 2025, 17.00 hrs, with the subject marked as "Project Assistant-SERB Application on Heterogeneous Catalysis". Candidate should provide a short justification note to support his/her application.
Qualifications	M.Sc. Chemistry with minimum 60% marks with Gate or NET qualification and adequate experience in catalysis research
Skills required	<ul> <li>Experience working in spectroscopy and gas chromatography techniques</li> <li>Experience in synthesizing solid catalysts</li> <li>Experience in conducting high-pressure reactions</li> </ul>

## How to apply:

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## **Selection procedure:**

- Candidates will be shortlisted based on their eligibility criteria, academic record, and relevant experience.
- Only shortlisted candidates will be intimated through email for the <u>in-person interview</u> by the selection committee.
- Merely meeting the criteria may not guarantee a call for an interview.
- Candidates with prior experience in the relevant area will be given preference.
- The position will be left vacant and a new advertisement with an extended date will be given if no suitable candidate is found.

## Other information:

• Please note that the position is on-site & within the IITH campus.