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Recruitment of Project Technical Support -III staff (purely on a temporary basis)

The National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research (NIPER) Hajipur is an autonomous institution of national importance, established under the aegis of the Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers, Govt. of India, under the NIPER Act, 1998. It is recognized as a center of excellence in biological therapeutics, is dedicated to offering master's and doctoral degrees through research and development in pharmaceutical sciences, and is conceived to provide leadership in pharmaceutical sciences and other related areas.
Applications are invited from eligible and suitable Indian Nationals for the following one post on contractual basis as per the requirement for ICMR-sponsored project **"Hybrid Nanoarchitectures for Precision Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer Therapy: Surface-Functionalized Lipid–Polymer Systems for Targeted Drug Delivery with Integrated Preclinical and Multi-Omics Validation"** (Project ID: IIRPSG(AN)-I-2026-01-00277) under **Dr. Vinod L. Gaikwad (Principal Investigator)**".

Name of Post	**Project Technical Support-III**
Number and Category of Post	One post - UR (Unreserved)
Emoluments	Rs. 28,000.00 + HRA as applicable (current 10% HRA at NIPER Hajipur)
Funding Agency	ICMR, New Delhi
Name of PI	Dr. Vinod L. Gaikwad, Assistant Professor, Department of Pharmaceutics, NIPER Hajipur
Max. Age Limit	35 years on the last date of application (with relaxation to SC/ST/OBC candidates as per Govt. of India norms)
Minimum Qualification	**Essential qualifications:** • Three-years graduate degree in Life/Health sciences field + three years post-qualification experience in the relevant subject/field, as required for the study of the Project concerned, from a Govt. and/or reputed institution/organization/research laboratory, **'OR'** • Post graduate (PG) degree in the Life/Health sciences field without professional experience. **Desirable qualifications/experience and nature of work**: • Preference will be given to candidates with Pharmacy / Pharmaceutical Sciences / [Pharmaceutics / Pharmacology / Pharmaceutical Analysis / Biotechnology / Life Sciences] background. • Experience in developing lipidic and polymeric nanocarriers, surface conjugation, physicochemical and solid-state characterization. • Preference will be given to candidates with additional experience in *in-silico* studies, cell culture assays (preferably cancer cells), *in-vivo* animal experiments (preferably tumour-bearing models), multi-omics data generation and interpretation. • Previous involvement in academic research projects and/or publications. • The aforementioned qualification(s) must be from a recognized Board/University/Institute.

Tenure of Post	• The appointment will be for an initial one-year term, which shall be extendable or curtailed, subject to requirement and performance review. • The position is temporary and co-terminus with the project.
Nature of duties	• In addition to implementing and executing research activities, the candidate will be responsible for the overall coordination and conduct of project activities, including maintenance of documentation (lab notebooks and records), and data analysis and report writing along with the study team.
How to apply	• Interested candidates may submit their **CV with cover letter, along with scanned copies of supporting documents** (see list of enclosures below), in a single PDF file via email (mention post name in the subject line) to (projectstaff-9@niperhajipur.ac.in) and (drvinodg.niper@gmail.com). • Only shortlisted candidates (as per qualification, experience, merit, and project requirements) will be notified through e-mail to appear for an interview before the constituted committee. The interview date will be informed to shortlisted candidates through e-mail. • The interview will be conducted through Physical/Online mode. No TA/DA will be given for attending the interview. • Candidate should be flexible about travelling or staying to work at NIPER Hajipur. • The candidates who are already working under research schemes/projects should send their applications through the proper channel, along with an NOC from current employer stating that they will be relieved immediately if selected. • Selected candidate must adhere to all fellowship/service rules (terms and conditions) of ICMR and NIPER Hajipur, as applicable. • This is a temporary project-based position under an ICMR-sponsored project, and joining of the selected candidate is subject to the release of funds from ICMR. • The selected candidate may be permitted to register as a full-time PhD student at NIPER Hajipur in the Pharmaceutics department subject to the fulfilment of eligibility criteria and applicable clauses/norms defined under NIPER ordinance and NIPER-JEE at the time of admission. • For any further information/clarifications, the applicants may contact the principal investigator (drvinodg.niper@gmail.com) by email.
Application Deadline	On or before **11/12/2026** (5:00 PM). Applications received after the last date will not be considered for shortlisting.
Enclosures:	Documents to be attached along with the application form, but not limited to: 1. CV with cover letter 2. Birth certificate / Proof of DOB 3. Valid Photo ID and Address proof 4. Certificate(s) of Academic Qualifications 5. Experience Certificate (Work & Research) 6. For SC/ST/OBC candidates: all community certificates (category, non-creamy layer and validity certificates, as applicable) shall be issued by the authorized officers of the Govt. 7. List of Scientific publications 8. Any additional documents in support of candidature

Sd/- Registrar