



UPES, Dehradun
School of Health Sciences and Technology
Pharmaceutical Sciences Cluster

**Advertisement for Recruitment of Junior Research Fellow (JRF) Position in ANRF
Sponsored Research Project**

Applications are invited for the position of **Junior Research Fellow (JRF)** in the **Anusandhan National Research Foundation (ANRF) - funded project** under the sanction number **ANRF/ECRG/2024/000977/LS**, titled: **"Development of Dual Inhibitors of PDE1B and PDE10A as Therapeutic Agents for Schizophrenia"**

Principal Investigator (PI):

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Position Details

- **Position:** Junior Research Fellow (JRF)
- **Number of Positions:** One (01)
- **Emoluments:**
 - Rs. 37000/- per month for two years (JRF) and 42000/-month (one year) plus admissible HRA @16% (For NET Qualified Candidates)
 - Rs. 31000/- per month for two years (JRF) plus admissible HRA @16% (For non-NET qualified candidates)
- **Project Duration:** 3 years (subject to annual performance review)

Eligibility Criteria

Essential Qualification:

- M.Pharm/M.S. (Pharm)/M.Tech/M.Sc in **Pharmaceutical Sciences, Pharmaceutical Chemistry, Medicinal Chemistry, or related disciplines** with at least **60% marks (or equivalent CGPA)**.

Desirable Qualification:

- **Research experience** in drug discovery, computational chemistry, molecular modeling, or synthetic medicinal chemistry is highly desirable.
 - **Programming skills** in computational drug design (Python, C++, or molecular modeling software) will be an added advantage.
 - Scholars who have qualified **NET/GATE/GPAT** will be given preference.
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Documents Required for Application

Interested candidates should send the following documents via **email** to the Principal Investigator at [anand.gaurav@ddn.upes.ac.in] with the subject line “**Application for JRF – ANRF Project**” on or before [30/04/2025]:

1. **A detailed CV** (including educational qualifications, research experience, and contact details)
 2. **Scanned copies of certificates and mark sheets** (Class X onwards)
 3. **A one-page Statement of Research Interest (SOR)**
 4. **A copy of a valid NET/GATE/GPAT certificate** (if applicable)
 5. **One referee’s name, affiliation, email, and mobile number**
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Selection Process

- **Shortlisting:** Candidates will be shortlisted **based on merit, research experience, and project requirements**.
 - **Interview:** Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted via **email** for an **online/personal interview** at UPES, Dehradun.
 - **No TA/DA** will be provided for attending the interview.
 - **PhD Enrollment Opportunity:** The selected candidate will have the opportunity to enroll for a **PhD at UPES**, subject to fulfilling university requirements.
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Important Notes

1. The position is purely **temporary and co-terminus** with the project duration. Under no circumstances regularization of the services of the concerned appointee in the university within the sponsored project framework will take place.
2. The university reserves the right to **shortlist/reject** applications without assigning any reason.
3. Incomplete applications or applications without required documents will **not be considered**.
4. Age relaxation is available as per **Government of India norms** (for SC/ST/OBC/Women/PwD candidates).

5. SC/ST and OBC candidates must furnish attested copies of their category certificate issued by the competent authority.
6. Only selected candidates will be informed about their selection within a fortnight from the date of the interview.
7. No interim inquiries will be entertained. Canvassing in any form and bringing any influence will be treated as a disqualification.
8. If the performance of the selected candidate is **not satisfactory**, the fellowship may be **terminated at any stage**.

For further queries, please contact:

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