

**ICAR - Central Research Institute for Dryland Agriculture  
Santoshnagar, Hyderabad – 500 059**

**Walk-in-Interview for Senior Research Fellow (SRF) and Skilled Helper**

Central Research Institute for Dryland Agriculture (CRIDA), Hyderabad requires one SRF and one Skilled Helper in DAC funded project, “**Evaluation & Up-scaling of Karanja & Simarouba**”, on contractual basis, as per details given below. The responsibilities include assisting the scientists in carrying out research in the laboratory and field, computation of data and report writing. Preference will be given to the candidates having experience on the similar lines.

Post	Qualification	Salary	Age Limit
Senior Research Fellow One	<b>Essential:</b> Master degree in Forestry / Agro forestry / Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Botany with 4 years / 5 years of Bachelor's degree. Candidates having Post Graduate degree in relevant basic sciences (Botany) with three years Bachelor's and two years Master's Degree should have NET qualification as per ICAR OM No. Agril Edn. 6/27/2014 -HRD dated 9 <sup>th</sup> October 2015 (Copy attached). <b>Desirable:</b> Field experience in working with farmers on bio fuel plantations in on - farm Trials.	<b>Rs.25000/- + HRA</b>	Maximum of 35 years (Age relaxation of 5 years for SC/ST and women and 3 years for OBC candidate)
Skilled Helper One	<b>Essential :</b> Diploma in Agriculture or Graduate degree in Science with Botany as one of the subjects and experience in biofuel plantations <b>Desirable:</b> Should have knowledge of computers, Field work, proficiency in Telugu writing and speaking	Rs. 10,000 (Consolidated) Per month	Maximum of 35 years (Age relaxation of 5 years for SC/ST and women and 3 years for OBC) candidate)

These positions are sanctioned up to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2017. Eligible candidates may attend a walk-in-interview on **28<sup>th</sup> June 2016 at 1100 hrs at IGH, CRIDA campus, Santoshnagar, Hyderabad - 500 059.**

The candidates should bring their application in the prescribed format (attached) along with original and attested copies of documents related to age, qualifications, experience, etc. Applicants should report at 09:30 hrs for screening of applications at IGH, CRIDA campus. No application form shall be made available at the venue of walk-in-interview. The place of work will be CRIDA, Hyderabad. The decision of the Institute will be final and binding in all aspects. The positions are purely temporary and the appointment shall be co-terminus with the project. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview. The candidates must be willing to work in the farmer's field and must be prepared to travel extensively.

Principal Investigator

**Application form**  
**Application for the post of Senior Research Fellow**

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1. Full Name (In Block Letters) :
2. Father's Name :
3. Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY):
4. Age as on 01/06/2016 :
5. Address with pin code :
  - a. Permanent address :

Attested  
Passport Size  
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- b. For communication :
6. Mobile No. :
7. E-mail Address :
8. Sex :
9. Marital Status :
10. Whether belong to SC/ST/OBC/General :
11. Details of Educational Qualifications from 10th Onwards:

Degree	Board/University	Year of Passing	Maximum Marks	Marks Obtained	Percentage

12. Details of Research Experience (Include experience of One year and above only).

Position Held	Employer	Period (from)	Period (To)	Total Experience

13. No Objection certificate from present employer : (Yes/No)
14. Additional information and list of research papers if any:

15. Self- declaration regarding truthfulness in application:

**DECLARATION**

I, ..... **hereby declare that all statements made in the application are true/ correct to** the best of my knowledge and belief. In the event of any information being found false or incorrect, my candidature/ appointment may be cancelled without any notice.

I also hereby declare that **none of my near or distant relative** is an employee of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)/ Central Research Institute for Dryland Agriculture (CRIDA). If found otherwise and in the event of non – declaring the same as prescribed in the advertisement, my candidature to the interview and my selection to the post be cancelled.

I .....hereby declare that ..... is an employee of CRIDA/ICAR occupying position ..... and his/her relationship with me is.....

(Strike out whichever is not applicable to you)

Date and Place:

Signature:

Full name of the candidate:

**Application form**  
**Application for the post of Skilled Helper**

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1. Full Name (In Block Letters) :
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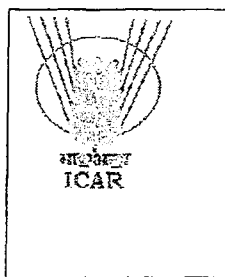
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Date and Place:

Signature:

Full name of the candidate:



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**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject : Revision in the guidelines for Sr. Research Fellowsh  
and Research Associates working in the ICAR  
schemes-reg.**

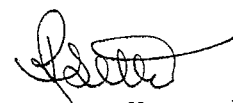
In continuation of this office OM of even number dated 13<sup>th</sup> July, 2015 on the subject cited above, the following clarifications are made :

- i. The candidates having degrees in the relevant subject only need to be considered as per the prescribed qualifications as enumerated in the ICAR letter No. 2-9/2012-HRD and OM's dated 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2015 & 13<sup>th</sup> July, 2015 for the positions of RA/SRF.
- ii. The Ph.D. degree holders are eligible for both RAs/SRFs.
- iii. The Master's degree holders with the integrated degrees like B.Tech. & M.Tech. (5 years) are eligible for revised emoluments of RAs/SRF.
- iv. Graduates with three years Bachelor's degree, who have acquired professional Master's degree (3 years) like M.Sc.(Ag.), Masters in Computer Applications, M.Tech., etc., are eligible for revised emoluments of RA/SRF.
- v. Candidates having Master's degree in Basic Sciences and have qualified NET and have 02 years research experience are eligible to apply for RA/SRF at revised rates of emoluments.
- vi. As regards, NET examination, any national level examination conducted by the Central Govt. Departments/agencies for admission to Ph.D. programme are considered as NET for the purpose of RA/SRF. The following are some of the NET examinations:
  - o CSIR-CSIR-UGC National Eligibility Test
  - o MHRD-Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering admission.
  - o DBT-Biotechnology Eligibility Test & Test conducted in Bioinformatics by Bioinformatics National Consortium.
  - o DAE-JEST & JGEEBILS, NBHM
  - o ICMR-JRF Entrance Examination
  - o ICAR-Test conducted by ICAR for admission to Ph.D. programme.
  - o DoP-GPAT

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- vii. The OM is applicable to researchers (JRF, SRF and RA) working in all types of institutions-academic (colleges, universities including Deemed universities both public funded and private funded, institutes of National importance), national laboratories and NGOs, etc.
- viii. The fellows working in DST (including SERB) and DBT projects can be paid the enhanced fellowship from the available project grants from October, 2014 onwards by the implementing institutions, provided the fellows satisfy the requirements.
- ix. The existing RA/SRF who do not qualify for the revised emoluments as per the revised eligibility criteria shall continue to get old rates (pre-revised) till the end of the project/expiry of their tenure, whichever is earlier.
- x. Eligibility conditions as stipulated in OM dated 13<sup>th</sup> July, 2015 need to be adhered to for recruitment of RA/SRF made to the ICAR funded projects on or after 13<sup>th</sup> July, 2015. However, for posts advertised before 13<sup>th</sup> July, 2015, old guidelines and pre-revised emoluments may apply till the end of the projects/expiry of the tenure whichever is earlier.
- xi. The tenure of RA/SRF is co-terminus with the duration of the project/scheme or for a fixed tenure as prescribed by the Competent Authority of the project or scheme.

All are requested to take appropriate action accordingly.



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