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Institute of Life Sciences (ILS), Bhubaneswar, an autonomous institute of the Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science & Technology, Government of India invites applications from eligible Indian Nationals for the following positions under the ICMR project titled “**Exploring the pathobiology of brain aging in Indian population: developing a public domain reference atlas and spatial transcriptome facility for aging research**”.

Name of Post	Project Research Scientist - I (Non-Medical)
Number of posts	01
Upper age limit	35 years
Remuneration	56,000/- per month + 20% HRA
Eligibility criteria Essential qualifications	1. First Class Post Graduate Degree including the integrated PG degrees in Life sciences, Biotechnology, Pharmaco-informatics, bioinformatics, computational biology and allied sciences. 2. Second Class Post Graduate Degree, including the integrated PG degrees with PhD 3. For Engineering/IT/CS – First Class Graduate Degree of Four Years
Desirable qualifications	3-4 years' experience after master's degree in NGS data analysis (RNAseq, Single cell data, Exome / whole genome) using HPC. Expertise in coding and knowledge of R is must.

Last date for receiving application: 5th June 2026

Date of releasing the list of screened candidates: 7th June 2026Tentative Date of interview (Hybrid mode): 15th June 2026

Application process: Interested/eligible candidates may apply ONLINE through the link provided at the institute website (www.ils.res.in)

Selection will be carried out through an interview process in hybrid mode.

N.B.: The list of shortlisted candidates' names and the date of the interview will be published on the ILS website.

All the positions are purely temporary and coterminous with the project. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview. The decision of the Director regarding the selection of candidates will be final and no further correspondence will be entertained in this regard.

Note: All communication will be through e-mail. No separate call letter will be issued to the candidates.