

CSIR-NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR INTERDISCIPLINARY SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY  
Industrial Estate.P.O, Pappanamcode  
Thiruvananthapuram-695 019.  
Advt. No.09/2013

Applications are invited from suitable candidates for the post of Technical Assistant in the CSIR-National Institute for Interdisciplinary Science and Technology(NIIST), Thiruvananthapuram, a premier research Institute of the Council of Scientific & Industrial Research(CSIR). The Institute has been engaged in R&D programmes in five broad areas of research namely (i) Agroprocessing & Natural Products, (ii) Biotechnology (iii) Chemical Sciences & Technology(iv)Process Engg.& Environmental Technology. NIIST is looking for bright and highly dedicated candidate for the position of Technical Assistant.

**Technical Assistant-01(ST) (backlog vacancy)** in the Scale of Pay PB-2, Rs.9300-34800 with Grade Pay Rs.4200/-

**Essential Qualifications:** 1<sup>st</sup> class Diploma in Chemical/Mechanical Engg. of 3 years full time duration or its equivalent after 10+2 in science stream.

**Desirable:** Experience in R&D Laboratory/Institution

**Job requirement:** To assist in testing of environmental samples and maintenance of Laboratory and pilot facilities.

**Age Limit :** 28 years as on closing date

**AGE LIMIT AND RELAXATIONS:**

The date for determining the upper age limit, qualifications and or experience shall be the closing date prescribed for receipt of application form ie 07.10.2013

1. Upper age limit is relaxable by 5 years in the case of ST , Relaxation of upper age limit for Persons With Disabilities, Ex-servicemen and meritorious sportspersons will be applicable as per GOI rules.
2. Relaxation in age limit upto 5 years may be allowed to Council/ Government /Autonomous Bodies/public Sector Undertaking employees in accordance with the instructions and orders issued by the Govt. of India from time to time in this regard.
3. Orthopaedically handicapped(OH) are those who have a minimum of 40% of physical defect or deformity which causes an interference with the normal functioning of the bones, muscles and joints.
4. Relaxation in the upper age limit of 5 years applicable for persons who had ordinarily been domiciled in the Kashmir Division of the state of Jammu & Kashmir during the period 1.1.1980 to 31.12.1989 subject to production of a certificate from the District Magistrate in the Kashmir Division within whose jurisdiction he/she had ordinarily resided OR from any other authority designated in this behalf by the Government of Jammu & Kashmir to the effect that he/she had ordinarily been domiciled in the Kashmir Division of the state of Jammu & Kashmir during the period from 1.1.1980 to 31.12.1989.
5. The decision of NIIST/CSIR in all matters relating to eligibility, acceptance/rejection of applications, mode of selection and conduct of Interview will be final and binding on the candidates.

**General Conditions:**

1. Only Indian Nationals need apply.
  - (a) The posts carry usual allowances as admissible to Central Government employees as made applicable to CSIR employees of the same pay and status stationed at Trivandrum.
  - (b) The post is pensionable based on defined contribution under the New Pension Scheme which has been in vogue with effect from 01.01.2004.
2. The applications have to be submitted on prescribed proforma which can be downloaded from [www.niist.res.in](http://www.niist.res.in) or obtained on request by sending self-addressed stamped envelope to the Administrative Officer,NIIST,Industrial Estate.P.O,Pappanamcode, Thiruvananthapuram-695 019.

3. Candidate should ensure that he/she possesses educational qualification/experience in the relevant area as required in the category/post, for which he/she is applying, on the last date of receipt of application.
4. In addition to the emoluments indicated above, benefits such as New Pension Scheme of GOI, Leave Travel Concession, Reimbursement of medical expenses are available as per rules.
5. Application for the post should be submitted indicating clearly the advt. no. and name of the post on the top of the envelope containing application.
6. Incomplete applications will be summarily rejected.
7. Applications from the candidates working the Govt. Department,, Public Sector undertaking will be considered only if forwarded through proper channel and with a clear certificate that the applicant will be relieved within one month of receipt of appointment order. However, advance copy of the application may be submitted before the closing date and No Objection Certificate may be submitted at the time of interview. Applications routed through proper channel should reach this Institute at the earliest.
8. Mere fulfilling of minimum prescribed qualifications and experience will not vest any right in a candidates for being called for interview. The Institute reserves the right to call for interview only those candidates who on its opinion are likely to be suitable and will not entertain any correspondence in this regard.
9. The period of experience in a discipline/area of work wherever prescribed shall be counted with effect from the date of acquiring the prescribed minimum educational qualification for that Group/Grade.
10. Relaxation in age limit, qualification and experience in case of exceptionally meritorious candidates (both departmental and outsiders) may be allowed with the prior approval of the competent authority.
11. Candidates may opt answering in Hindi at the time of Interview.
12. The selected candidates will be posted in NIIST/CSIR (anywhere in India)
13. Persons with disability(PWD) are encouraged to apply.
14. Applications received after the due date and applications that are incomplete are liable to be rejected.
15. The Director, NIIST, Thiruvananthapuram, reserves the right not to fill up the post, if he so desires. The number of vacancies indicated above are provisional and may vary at the time of actual Selection.
16. Only outstation candidates called and found eligible for interview will be paid to and fro single second class rail fare from the actual place of undertaking the journey or from the normal place of their residence whichever is nearer to Thiruvananapuram Railway Station on production of Rail Ticket/Rail Ticket numbers or any other proof of journey.
17. Any discrepancy found between the information given in application and as evident in original documents will make the candidate ineligible for appearing in Interview. Such candidate will not be paid any fare.

The duly filled-in application, completed in all respects accompanied by attested copies of certificates, testimonials in support of age, caste, community, educational qualifications, experience etc mentioned in the application may be sent in a envelope duly superscribed " Application for the post of **Technical Assistant**". The application should reach the Administrative Officer, CSIR-National Institute for Interdisciplinary Science and Technology, Industrial Estate P.O, Pappanamcode, Trivandrum-695 019 on or before 07.10.2013

Canvassing in any form and or bringing in any influence political or otherwise will be treated as a disqualification for the post.

INTERIM ENQUIRIES WILL NOT BE ATTENDED TO.

Sd/-

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

