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NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY ANDHRA PRADESH
TADEPALLIGUDEM – 534102, WEST GODAVARI DIST., ANDHRA PRADESH, INDIA.

Ref. No. NIT Andhra/DBTH/DBT/PA/2026-27/01

07.07.2026

Applications are invited from the interested candidates for **ONE** temporary position each of **“Project Associate I”** and **“Project Associate II”** in a project sponsored by the Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Government of India, titled **“Developing Industrial Enzymes for Levofloxacin Precursors”** bearing sanction number No. BT/PR60982/BME/172/31/2025 undertaken in the Department of Biotechnology (DBTH) and Department of Civil Engineering (DCVE), NIT Andhra Pradesh.

Details of Qualifications, Emoluments and Duration are given below:		
S. No.	Particulars	Details
1	Position (s)	Project Associate I (PA I) Project Associate II (PA II)
2	Essential Qualifications	a) First Class in B.E/B.Tech*. or M.E. M.Tech* or M.Sc*. in Biotechnology / Bio-chemical Engineering / Chemical / Environmental / Biochemistry / Chemistry / Microbiology / Genetics or equivalent streams/relevant field. b) Candidates with a minimum 60% or 6.5 CGPA either in UG or PG from a recognized University/ Institute. For candidates belongs to SC/ST/PWD, 55% aggregate (or above) marks or equivalent CGPA of 6.0 is essential either at UG or PG. <i>*Applicants in their final semester of B.E./B. Tech/M.E./M. Tech/M. Sc. are eligible to apply. However, they need to submit the provisional / degree certificate at the time of joining if selected.</i>
3	Project Title	“Developing Industrial Enzymes for Levofloxacin Precursors”
4	Sponsoring Agency	Department of Biotechnology (DBT)
5	Duration of Project	02 Years (2026-2028)
6	No. of positions	Project Associate I (ONE) Project Associate II (ONE)
7	Monthly Salary	Project Associate I (PA I) : ₹ 25,000/- per month + 9 % House Rent Allowance as per Institute guidelines. Project Associate I (PA II)# : ₹ 28,000/- per month + 9 % House Rent Allowance as per Institute guidelines. <i>#Experince: 02 years in R&D in Industrial and Academic Institutions or Science and Technology Organizations / Scientific activities and services</i>
8	Investigator(s)	Dr. Seenivasan A. (PI), DBTH Dr. Baranidharan S. (Co-PI), DCVE
9	Department (s)	DBTH & DCVE
10	Tenure of Assignment	01 year, shall be extended for another year based on satisfactory performance and availability of funds.



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11	Desired Experience	Strong orientation towards: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Working knowledge and hands on experience in handling recombinant microbial cultures (Screening, preservation, maintenance and culturing),• Vector selection, cloning, recombinant expression, and Biotransformation/Bioconversion studies• AI based screening of novel enzymes and enzyme engineering for enhanced stability and reactivity• English writing skills, statistical knowledge and report writing.
12.	Age Upper Limit	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 35 years (as per DST guidelines, SR/S9/Z-05/2019 dated 10th July 2020) (https://dst.gov.in/sites/default/files/S%26T-Manpower-Norms-10July2020.pdf)
12	Other Benefits	NIL
13	Last date for receipt of application	22 July 2026 (05:00 PM)

Details of Selection Process:

Selection will be based on the qualifications, experience and interview.

S. No.	Particulars	Details
1	Date of Interview (Tentative)	27 July 2026
2	Reporting Time** (Tentative)	09:30 AM
3	Venue** (Tentative)	Pandit Madan Mohan Malviya (MMM) Academic Complex, National Institute of Technology Andhra Pradesh, Tadepalligudem- 534101, Andhra Pradesh, India
4	Documents Required	Applicants should bring all original certificates including mark sheets (matriculation onwards), experience certificate(s), monthly emoluments/salary drawn, publications and other relevant documents (including one set of self-attested certificates, updated CV and filled-in application form).

** (Mode of Interview will be Intimated to the candidates through email)



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General Instructions to the applicants:

1. **Applicants are required to submit separate application for each position.**
2. No hard copies of the application will be accepted.
3. **No TA/DA will be paid for attending the Interview.**
4. Position (s) are purely temporary and does not confer any right to claim a regular appointment. Selected candidates will not be entitled to facilities or benefits (such as housing, etc.) available to regular employees of the Institute.
5. Applicants are advised to ensure, before appearing for selection process, that they possess the minimum essential qualification and experience laid down for the respective position. Qualification obtained has to be from recognized University/Institute. Eligibility in terms of age, qualification and experience of a candidate shall be considered as on the last date for receipt of application.
6. The selected candidate shall be governed by the rules, regulations, statutes, ordinances, and acts of the Institute, as well as the norms of the funding agency as applicable from time to time
7. The Institute reserves the right to verify all documents and antecedents submitted by the candidate at any stage during recruitment or tenure. If any information is found to be false, fabricated, or suppressed, the appointment will be terminated immediately, and appropriate legal action may be taken.
8. In case of any inadvertent error in the selection process, even if detected after issuing the appointment letter, the Institute reserves the right to modify, withdraw, or cancel any communication.
9. Queries related to selection process: **Applicant shall send an email request** to the following email ids: ayothiraman@nitandhra.ac.in, baranis@nitandhra.ac.in , research.recruitment@nitandhra.ac.in with the subject marked as “**Application for Project Associate I / II in DBT sponsored project**” However, queries through phone calls or in-person shall not be entertained. Also, enquiry/queries related to eligibility for the post/interpretation of rules will not be entertained.
10. Eligible candidates should send their detailed CV (specifying the qualifications and experience) as soft copy along with the filled-in application form on or before **22 July 2026 (05:00 PM)**, to Dr. Seenivasan. A (PI), Assistant Professor, DBTH & Baranidharan S (Co-PI), Assistant Professor, DCVE, NIT Andhra Pradesh at ayothiraman@nitandhra.ac.in, baranis@nitandhra.ac.in and CCing to, research.recruitment@nitandhra.ac.in .
11. **Only the shortlisted candidates will be informed through E-mail.**
12. **Any form of canvassing or use of influence, whether political or otherwise, will lead to disqualification.**



Application for the Position of Project Associate I

“The Candidate is requested to Type the Application then Print, Paste the Recent Passport Size Photograph and Sign.”

Project Title: “Developing Industrial Enzymes for Levofloxacin Precursors”	
Last Date of Application: 22 July 2026	Passport size Recent Photograph

1.	Name of the Candidate (In BLOCK LETTERS)	
2.	Date of Birth (DOB) (dd-mm-yy)	
	Age in Years as on Closing Date of Application (YY-MM-DD)	
3.	Sex (M/F)	
4.	Marital Status (Single/Married)	
5.	Category (UR/OBC/SC/ST/EWS)	
6.	Nationality	
7.	Name of the Post applied for	<u>Project Associate I</u>
8.	Mobile No.	
9.	Email Address	
10.	Address with PIN (Correspondence)	
	Address with PIN (Permanent)	



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11.	Academic Qualifications (Attach the copy of proof, mark sheet/grade card, etc.):	
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	Discipline/ Field	
	Year of Passing	
	Class/ Division	
	% of Marks/ CGPA	
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	Discipline/ Field	
	Year of Passing	
	Class/ Division	
	% of Marks/ CGPA	
HSC / 12 th	Institute/ Board	
	Discipline/ Field	
	Year of Passing	
	Class/ Division	
	% of Marks/ CGPA	
SSC / 10 th	Institute/ Board	
	Discipline/ Field	
	Year of Passing	
	Class/ Division	
	% of Marks/ CGPA	
12.	Details of work Experience: (Enclose the copy of experience certificate and/or NOC)	
13.	Additional Qualification (If any)	
14.	Previous Research work and Publications if any (enclose first page of publication):	

DECLARATION

I _____ hereby declare that all the statements made in this application are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. In the event of the information being found false or incorrect or any ineligibility being detected before or after the selection, my candidature is liable to be cancelled.

Date:

Place:

Signature of the Applicant



Application for the Position of Project Associate II

“The Candidate is requested to Type the Application then Print, Paste the Recent Passport Size Photograph and Sign.”

DBT Project Titled “Developing Industrial Enzymes for Levofloxacin Precursors”	
Last Date of Application: 22 July 2026	Passport size Recent Photograph

1.	Name of the Candidate (In BLOCK LETTERS)	
2.	Date of Birth (DOB) (dd-mm-yy)	
	Age in Years as on Closing Date of Application (YY-MM-DD)	
3.	Sex (M/F)	
4.	Marital Status (Single/Married)	
5.	Category (UR/OBC/SC/ST/EWS)	
6.	Nationality	
7.	Name of the Post applied for	<u>Project Associate II</u>
8.	Mobile No.	
9.	Email Address	
10.	Address with PIN (Correspondence)	
	Address with PIN (Permanent)	



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	Discipline/ Field	
	Year of Passing	
	Class/ Division	
	% of Marks/ CGPA	
SSC / 10 th	Institute/ Board	
	Discipline/ Field	
	Year of Passing	
	Class/ Division	
	% of Marks/ CGPA	
12.	Details of work Experience (Minium 2 Years): (Enclose the copy of experience certificate and/or NOC)	
13.	Additional Qualification (If any)	
14.	Previous Research work and Publications if any (enclose first page of publication):	

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