



**DIVISION OF SOIL SCIENCE AND AGRICULTURAL CHEMISTRY**  
**ICAR - INDIAN AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE**  
**NEW DELHI 110 012, INDIA**



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**WALK-IN-INTERVIEW**

Applications are invited to attend the **Walk-in-interview** for the contractual position of **One Senior Research Fellow (SRF)** under **ICAR Funded Emeritus Scientist Scheme** for the project entitled "**Re-solubilizing soil-fixed phosphorus by phospho-silicon-organic acid interaction**" for a period of three years. Eligible candidates should mail their complete CV as per the attached format (**Annexure-I**) giving full details of academic records and experience along with self-attested photocopy(s) of the required/ supporting documents in a single PDF file through email to Dr. Dipak Ranjan Biswas (**E-mail: dipakbiswas.iari@gmail.com**) on or before **09.01.2025**. After screening the applications, the eligible candidates will be called for Walk-in-interview on **13<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 at 10.00 AM onwards** in the **Library of Division of Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry, ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI), New Delhi-110012**.

S. No.	Post	No. of Posts	Emoluments (Fixed per month)	Name of the Project and PI	Essential qualification	Date and Time of Interview and Venue
1.	Senior Research Fellow (SRF)	One (01)	Rs. 37000/- per month + HRA for 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> year & Rs. 42000/- per month + HRA for 3 <sup>rd</sup> year	<b>Project Title:</b> <i>Re-solubilizing soil-fixed phosphorus by phospho-silicon-organic acid interaction</i>  <b>PI:</b> Dr. Dipak Ranjan Biswas <i>Emeritus Scientist</i>	<b>Essential:</b> Master's Degree in Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry/ Soil Science/ Soil Microbiology/ Environmental Sciences/ Agronomy with 4 years/5 years of Bachelor's degree (1 <sup>st</sup> Division). Candidates having post graduate degree in Agricultural Sciences with 3 years Bachelor's degree and 2 years Master's degree should have NET/GATE/ICAR-SRF (Ph.D. entrance) qualification and two years of research experience.  <b>Desirable:</b> Knowledge of soil and plant analysis, and computer handling	<b>Date and Time:</b> 13 <sup>th</sup> January, 2025 at 10:00 AM  <b>Venue:</b> Division of Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry, ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI), New Delhi 110012

**Terms & Conditions**

1. The above position is purely temporary and will be filled on contractual basis. The post is co-terminus with the project, and will be offered initially for a period of one year or till termination of the project whichever is earlier and further extendable based on satisfactory performance for the remaining period of the project.
2. Age limit: Maximum age limit is 35 years for SRF as on date of interview (age relaxation of 5 years for SC/ST/Women & 3 years for OBC, is applicable as per Govt. of India/ICAR Rules).
3. For details of the qualifications and other requirements/terms and conditions please refer to OM No. Edn/6/27/2014/HRD of the Council dated 13<sup>th</sup> July, 2015, OM No. Agril. Edn.6/27/2014-HRD of the Council

dated 9<sup>th</sup> October, 2015, OM No. SR/S9/Z08/2018 of DST dated 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2019 and OM No. Agrl. Edn./6/27/2014-HRD of the Council dated 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2019. The emolument of SRF will be as per existing ICAR guidelines.

4. Selected candidates will not be entitled to claim for regular appointments/absorption either in this institute or in ICAR. Non-maintenance of the discipline and failure to perform the assigned duties will make the SRF liable for termination during the appointment period as per ICAR rules.
5. The **Walk-in-interview** of the short-listed eligible candidates will be held on **13<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 at 10.00 AM** in the Library of Division of Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry, ICAR-IARI, New Delhi-110012.
6. The candidates can apply in the given format as Annexure-I and Annexure-II along with the self-attested scanned copies of the original documents from matriculation onwards, date of birth certificate, NET/equivalent certificate, degree certificate either final or provisional and a recent photograph on application form. Duly signed application along with the required documents, proof of experience and publications details etc. can be sent through email to [Dr. Dipak Ranjan Biswas \(E-mail: dipakbiswas.iari@gmail.com\)](mailto:dipakbiswas.iari@gmail.com) on or before **9<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 at 10.00 AM** in a single PDF file.
7. Candidates should bring their complete bio-data, duly self-attested certificates and mark sheets (From Class X onwards), experience certificate and no objection certificate from their current employer. Only the candidates having essential qualifications would be entertained for the interview. Candidates who are not able to produce their essential degree completion certificate as on the date of the interview will not be eligible to attend the interview.
8. The selected candidate will be required to produce all the original documents and medical certificate (from IARI Dispensary) at the time of joining.
9. Candidates whose near/distant relative(s) is an employee of the ICAR/IARI, has to declare it and communicate this office as per format given below. Such declaration must reach to [Dr. Dipak Ranjan Biswas \(E-mail: dipakbiswas.iari@gmail.com\)](mailto:dipakbiswas.iari@gmail.com). If communicated or declared on the date of interview, candidate will not be interviewed. Candidates having no near/ distant relative(s) working at ICAR/ IARI will also furnish a declaration (format given below) on the date of interview.
10. Candidates reaching after specified time may not ordinarily be entertained.
11. Canvassing in any form will disqualify the candidature.
12. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.

Assistant Administrative Officer  
SS&AC, IARI, New Delhi

*Copy to:*

1. Director, IASRI/NBPGR/NIPB/NRCPB/NIAEPR/NCIPM/DKMA for information and wide publicity.
2. All Project Directors/Project Coordinators/Heads of Divisions/MoHR/In-charges of IARI Guest Houses.
3. ADG (HRD), ICAR, KAB-II, New Delhi for information.
4. PS to Director/JD(R) / JD(E) / JD(A)/In-charge, PME, ICAR-IARI, New Delhi-110012.
5. In-charge, AKMU, IARI, with the request that the same may please get uploaded on IARI website for wider publicity.
6. Notice Boards, Division of Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry/ MoHR Hostel Office/ Dr. M.S. Swaminathan Library, ICAR-IARI, New Delhi-110012.
7. Guard file of Emeritus Scientist.

**Application Form**

Application for the post of SENIOR RESEARCH FELLOW (SRF)

1.	Full Name (In Block letters)		Attested/ Self-attested Passport size photograph
2.	Father's Name		
3.	Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY)		
4.	Age as on date of Interview		
5.	Address with pin code: (a) Permanent (b) For communication		
6.	Mobile No.		
7.	Email address		
8.	Sex		
9.	Marital status		
10.	Whether belongs to SC/ST/OBC /General		

11. Details of Educational Qualification from 10<sup>th</sup> onwards

Degree	Board/University	Year of passing	Maximum marks	Marks obtained	Percentage

13. Details of Experience (include experience of one year and above only)

Sl. No.	Position held	Employer	Period		Total Experience
			From	To	

13. Details of publications (only a list of published research papers).

14. No objection certificate from present employer.

16. Self declaration regarding truthfulness in application (Annexure-II).

15. Additional information, if any:

Date and Place:

(Signature of Candidate)

Full name of the candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

**Declaration**

I also hereby declare that none of my near or distant relative is an employee of the Indian Council of Agricultural (ICAR)/Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI). 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 may be cancelled.

I \_\_\_\_\_ hereby declare that all statements made in the application form 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.

Date and Place:

(Signature of Candidate)

Full name of the candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

**Declaration**

I, ....., am willing to attend for the interview for post .....  
on ..... in The Division of Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry, ICAR-IARI, New Delhi. The following particular of my relative working in ICAR is furnished below as per the requirement of the advertisement for attending the interview:

Name : .....  
Designation : .....  
Nature of duties : .....  
Relationship : .....

Date and Place:

(Signature of Candidate)

Full name of the candidate: \_\_\_\_\_