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### Advertisement for Walk-In-Interview for the Positions of JRF/Project Associate-I:

Applications are invited for the one post in project funded by the Anusandhan National Research Foundation (ANRF) under Partnerships for Accelerated Innovation and Research (PAIR) program, govt. of India vide letter no. ANRF/PAIR/2025/000006/PAIR-A(G) dated 20-09-2025. The candidates should possess the Essential Qualifications as mentioned below. The project position is purely temporary and co-terminus with the project as per the following details:

<b>Title of the Project</b>	Dynamic Research Ecosystem for Advanced Materials (DREAMS)	
<b>Funding Agency</b>	ANRF-Partnerships for Accelerated Innovation and Research (PAIR), Government of India	
<b>Tenure of the project</b>	5 years	
<b>Name(s) of the Project Investigator(s)</b>	Dr. Ramesh Chand Thakur, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, HPU	
<b>Name(s) of the Co-Project Investigator(s)</b>	Prof. Mahavir Singh, Professor, Department of Physics, HPU Prof. N.S. Negi, Professor, Department of Physics, HPU Prof. Nagesh Thakur, Professor, Department of Physics, HPU Dr. Sandeep Chauhan, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, HPU Dr. Balbir Patial, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, HPU Dr. Manish Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering, UIT, HPU Dr. Ravi Kant Bhatia, Assistant Professor, Department of Bio Technology, HPU	
<b>Post(s)</b>	<b>Fixed Stipend/ Fellowship/Salary</b>	<b>Minimum Qualification</b>
<b>JRF/Project Associate-I (Physics) (No. of position 01*)</b>	Rs. 37000 per month + 10% HRA (if applicable) for JRF and Rs. 30000 per month + 10% HRA (if applicable) for Project Associate-I. Initially for 2 years, and may be continued or upgraded later)	<b>Essential:</b> Post graduate degree in Physics in first division with GATE/NET qualified for JRF position and candidate without NET/GATE qualification may be considered for the Project Associate-I. <b>Desirable:</b> Candidates with understanding of synthesis and development of Pb free ferroelectric materials.
<b>Upper Age Limit</b>	30 years (Relaxation: SC/ST/PH -5 years; OBC (NCL) - 3 years)	
<b>Selection Process</b>	The selection committee reserves the right to fix higher or lower criteria for shortlisting/selection or call for interview of eligible candidates from those satisfying the qualifications and requirements of the project post without any further explanation or any justification in this regard. Shortlisted candidates will be informed via E-mail about the date and venue of interview.	
<b>Documents Required</b>	Shortlisted candidates must bring original educational and research experience certificates at the time of interview.	
<b>Application Deadline</b>	On or before 7 <sup>th</sup> January, 2026, 5:00 PM	

<b>Application Procedure</b>	<p>Interested candidates are requested to fill the online application (as per the link provided) and must upload all the supporting documents. Online Application link:</p> <p><b>JRF/Project Associate-I:</b> Link  <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfCYSSleX8oQL7ULCtpa6GcrC28AZIBSpPcJY8Izw19jjoRng/viewform?usp=header">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfCYSSleX8oQL7ULCtpa6GcrC28AZIBSpPcJY8Izw19jjoRng/viewform?usp=header</a> </p>
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Number of vacancies may change as per the requirement of the project.

For any query please contact: [anrfpairhpu@gmail.com](mailto:anrfpairhpu@gmail.com)



**(Dr. Ramesh Chand Thakur)**  
**Project Principal Investigator**

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