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NATIONAL CENTRE FOR POLAR AND OCEAN RESEARCH

Ministry of Earth Sciences, Govt. of India Headland Sada,
Vasco-da-Gama, Goa – 403 804

PRE-REGISTERED ONLINE INTERVIEW for Medical Doctors

National Centre for Polar and Ocean Research, Earth System Science Organization - under Ministry of Earth Sciences, Government of India is the nodal institute for coordinating the Indian Antarctic Programme. NCPOR calls for Medical Doctors on contract basis for its research bases (Bharati-Larsemann Hills and Maitri, Schirmacher Oasis) at Antarctica. The contract period is between 2021 and 2023 for the 41-Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica as per the details given below:

Sr. No.		No. of Position
1	Medical Officer – for around 14 months Surgeon / Physician *	5

Qualifications:

1. M.B.B.S from recognized Indian university with two years clinical experience post award of MBBS degree.
2. Preference will be given to the candidates having Post Graduate qualification (MD/MS/DNB) from a recognized University

Terms of Employment:

The contract wages for the selected candidates will be as follows:

1. Contract wages of Rs . 1,67,785/-per month for candidates holding MBBS Degree (with two years experience) and Rs . 1,95,749 /- per month for candidates holding Post-Graduate qualification for the entire duration of contract.
2. The above medical officers as member of the team will be entitled for free boarding & lodging onboard ship and at Antarctica along with polar clothing. The medical officers are currently entitled for Special Hardship Allowance (HDA) of Rs. 1500/- per day during the summer season and Rs. 2000/- per day during the winter season for the actual duration of stay in Antarctica. HDA rates are subjected to revision in accordance with Government of India order.

Summer season: 01-December-2021 to 28-February-2022.

Winter season: 01-March-2022 to 30-November-2022.

3. *The contract period will be for around 14 months starting from October/November, 2021 depending upon the need and suitability of the candidates.
4. The selected medical officers will participate in the expedition as team members and will have to perform all the routine duties and jobs related to expedition as assigned by the leader of expedition on regular basis. Applicant has to provide an undertaking along with his application that the candidate is medically and psychologically fit to serve in Antarctica for summer and winter periods and volunteer him/her self for the expedition

How to apply:

1. Interested candidates need to register themselves by 31st July 2021 by filling online application form available at NCPOR website www.ncpor.res.in along with the AL 1208 form.
2. The duly filled form along with self-attested scanned copies of the qualifying certificates (including MBBS, MD/MS/DNB, Experience post MBBS) should be emailed before 31st July, 2021 to the email ID antarctic-sci@ncpor.res.in. Candidature in respect of applications submitted without scanned copies of the original certificates will be rejected. Ex-Servicemen attending the interview are advised to submit scanned copies of their Identity Card and Discharge Book. Candidate's currently working in any other organization need to provide the proof of their current employment with a service/experience certificate from the employer.
3. The applicant must email a medical fitness certificate (only from a Government Hospital endorsed by the Govt. Medical Officer) for appearing in the online-interview.
4. Candidates are advised to email a copy of their Personal Passport (if any) along with a copy of recently clicked Passport size photograph with white background.
5. In case of any difficulty individual can send the application form in physical form along with all the documents on following address; however NCPOR will not be responsible for loss of application in transit or postal delays.

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6. The list of screened-in candidate shall be displayed on NCPOR website www.ncpor.res.in
7. Screened-in candidate shall be invited for online interview. Date and time shall be intimated over registered email-id/phone.
8. The short listed candidates after the interview will be examined by a medical board at AIIMS-Delhi, or any other medical board duly authorized by NCPOR. Permitting, the short listed candidates have to then proceed for Pre-Antarctic Snow Ice Acclimatization training at ITBP, Auli (near Joshimath, Garhwal, Himalayas) for about 15 days. The dates will be intimated to the candidates later (based on the covid situation)
9. On final selection, the candidates will be required to sign a contract with NCPOR. For details: Refer NCPOR website (www.ncpor.res.in)

For any queries: Contact Antarctic Science Section: Phone: 0832-2525531/532; email: antarctic-sci@ncpor.res.in /Alternate email: insea2008@gmail.com.

All future updates/amendments/interview details, etc. on this aspect shall be uploaded on the NCPOR website.

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Director