



# ISLAMIC UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY, KASHMIR

## Watson-Crick Centre for Molecular Medicine

No: IUST/DR/26/1443

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### ADVERTISEMENT NOTICE

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for the position of **Junior Research Fellow (JRF)** under the ANRF Prime Minister Early Career Research Grant (PMECRG) funded research project entitled: "**Development of a Dual-Responsive Mucoadhesive Biomaterial for Local Tumor Suppression and Mucosal Regeneration in Canine Oral Carcinoma**"

Particulars	Details
Number of Positions	One (01)
Monthly Enrolments	Rs. 37,000/- + HRA (HRA as per university guidelines)
Eligibility	<b>Essential Qualification:</b> Postgraduate Degree in Veterinary Sciences, Biotechnology, Biochemistry or allied disciplines selected through any one of the following: a) National Eligibility Tests-CSIR-UGC NET including Lectureship (Assistant Professorship) and GATE. b) The selection process through National level examinations conducted by Central Government Departments and their agencies and institutions such as ICAR, DST, DBT, DAE, DOS, DRDO, MoE, ICMR, IIT, IISC, IISER, NISER etc. <b>Desirable:</b> Experience in mammalian cell culture, biomaterials, drug delivery systems, bioengineering, and animal handling.
Project Duration	Initially for one year, extendable based on performance and availability of funds.
Location	Watson Crick Centre for Molecular Medicine, IUST, Awantipora

#### How to Apply

Interested candidates must submit their application along with CV, NET/GATE qualification certificate, experience certificate, and all relevant documents combined into a single PDF file on or before 27<sup>th</sup> June 2026. The application should be mailed to the Principal Investigator (PI) at [afnansaleem007@gmail.com](mailto:afnansaleem007@gmail.com). The list of shortlisted candidates & the interview date shall be announced separately on the university website.

#### General Terms and Conditions

1. The position is purely temporary and co-terminus with the project.
2. No claim for regular appointment shall be entertained.
3. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.
4. The University reserves the right to cancel the recruitment process without assigning any reason.
5. Selected candidate shall be governed by ANRF and University rules applicable from time to time.
6. In case, candidate wants to withdraw, he/she must serve one-month notice period (or one month salary).

**Dr. Afnan Saleem**  
Principal Investigator