



भाकेंद्रीय कपास प्रौद्योगिकी अनुसंधान संस्थान-प.अनु.क.,
(भारतीय कृषि अनुसंधान परिषद)
एडनवाला रोड, माटुंगा (पूर्व), मुंबई
ICAR-CENTRAL INSTITUTE FOR RESEARCH ON COTTON TECHNOLOGY
(Indian Council of Agricultural Research)
Adenwala Road, Matunga (East), Mumbai



F. No. 1-98/CIRCOT/Admin-I/BIS/2024

Date: 13/10/2026

WALK-IN INTERVIEW

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for the one Young Professional - II contractual position under the project entitled "Engineering Microbial Factories for Enhanced Xylitol Production from Cotton Lignocellulosic Biomass using CRISPR/Cas9 Technology" funded by ICAR, New Delhi under Genome Editing at ICAR-CIRCOT, Mumbai till the completion of the project (31 March, 2027). The eligibility criteria and other terms and conditions are as under:

Sl. No.	Name of the Post	Pay & Age limit	Essential Qualification	Nature of work
1.	Young Professional-II (YP-II)	Rs.42,000/- per month & 21-45 years (Relaxation as per GOI rules)	Master's Degree in the Molecular biology, Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Microbiology, or a related discipline. Desirable: Specialization in genetic engineering, bioinformatics tools, or CRISPR/Cas9 technology	Optimization of pre-treatment and scarification of cotton lignocellulosic biomass for efficient xylose release; CRISPR/Cas9 mediated genome editing in <i>Saccharomyces cerevisiae</i> for enhanced xylitol production; Optimization of conditions for maximum xylitol production using the <i>Saccharomyces cerevisiae</i> and interpretation of results, writing research reports and any other works assigned by Pl.

Place of Walk-in-Interview: ICAR-CIRCOT, Adenwala Road, Near Five Gardens, Matunga, Mumbai 400 019.

Date of Interview : 28.10.2026
Last Date of Application: 25.10.2026 before 05:30 PM
Reporting time : 2:00 pm
Interview time : 2:30 pm onwards

Terms and Conditions:

- i. The appointment is purely temporary & contractual and co-terminus with the project and may be terminated at any time.
- ii. Interested candidates must submit their application in the prescribed format (Annexure-I) along with self-attested copies of certificates (age, qualifications, experience, and NOC) via email to estt.circot@gmail.com, and bring all original documents at the time of the interview.
- iii. Candidates currently employed elsewhere must submit a **"No Objection Certificate" (NOC)** from their current employer. Candidates without a valid NOC will not be considered for the interview.
- iv. Place of work will be ICAR-CIRCOT, Mumbai but may need to travel to any place in India depending of project related/office work.
- v. In case the candidate, after joining, wishes to resign from the position before the expiry of the contract, he/she must submit one month's notice. Failing this, the competent authority reserves the right to forfeit her consolidated emoluments.
- vi. No TA / DA will be paid for attending the interview or joining post if selected.
- vii. There is no provision for absorption/ re-employment in ICAR-CIRCOT and in ICAR after completion of time bound project.
- viii. Selected candidates should be able to join immediately or at earliest, since project is time bound.
- ix. Canvassing in any form will liable to disqualify the candidature.
- x. The decision of the Director, ICAR-CIRCOT, Mumbai will be final and binding in all aspects regarding selection to the post.

(Sd/-)

Senior Administrative Officer

APPLICATION FORMAT

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1. Name of the Post applied for:_____
2. Mode of Interview (**Online/Offline**):_____
3. Name of the candidate in full (in block letters):
4. Father's / Husband's Name:
5. Marital Status : Married/ Unmarried
6. Date of birth (in Christian era as recorded in the:
Matriculation/ School leaving certificate) and
age as on closing date of application
7. Sex (Male/Female):
8. Nationality:
9. Present Address / Correspondence Address with
Pin: Code/Phone No./ Mobile No:
E-mail address:
10. Permanent Address with Pin Code:
11. Whether belong to SC/ST/OBC/Ex-servicemen/PH:
(Attested copies of such certificates from the
Competent Authority should be enclosed)
12. Education Qualifications (in chronological order):
(Attested copy of certificate in proof to be enclosed)

Sr. No	Examination Passed	Board/ University	Year of Passing	Grade/Division & % of Marks in aggregate %	Subject Passed

13. Area of study & project details:

14. Experience if any:

Sr. No	Office/Institute/ Organization	Post Held	Pay Scale/ Salary	Period From To	Nature of duties performed

15. Professional qualification, if any:

16. Additional information, if any which you would like:

to mention in support of your suitability for the post

17. Character Certificate from the Present Employer :

and from the Institute last attended

18. Research Publication if any:

19. List of enclosures:

DECLARATION: (by the candidate)

I Shri/Smt. /Ms._____ do hereby declare and certify that the information furnished in the application are correct and true to the best of my knowledge and bet i.e. I understand and agree that in the event of any information being found false or incorrect/incomplete or ineligible being detected at any time before or after selection/interview, my candidature is liable to rejected/cancelled without any notice. I shall be bound by the decision of the Director, Central Institute for Research on Cotton Technology, Adenwala Road, Matunga, Mumbai - 400 019.

Place:

Date:

(Signature of Candidate)

Name: _____

Certificate in the case of employees: (Already working in public/private organization)

TO BE CERTIFIED BY THE EMPLOYER

1. Certificate that the information furnished above are verified from the service records of the candidate and found correct.
2. Certified that no Vigilance or disciplinary case is pending or being Contemplated.
3. Certified that no minor/major penalty has been imposed on him/her during the last ten years.

Place:

Date:

(Signature with seal of Employer)