CSIR is looking for Director, CSIR- Institute of Himalayan Bioresource Technology (CSIR-IHBT) Palampur

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CSIR invites applications/nominations for coveted position of Director, CSIR-Institute of Himalayan Bioresource Technology (CSIR-IHBT), Palampur, in order to participate and contribute in conceived vision and mission of CSIR which includes providing S,T & I leadership for sustainable development of the country encompassing economic growth with environmental and societal benefits.

CSIR- Institute of Himalayan Bioresource Technology (CSIR-IHBT), Palampur, Himachal Pradesh - The institute is involved in harnessing and sustainable utilization of Himalayan bioresources through multifaceted state-of-the-art facilities for basic as well as translational research to develop end-to-end processes and products. The major R&D programmes of CSIR-IHBT are related to bioresource mapping, biodiversity conservation, bioprospection, genomics, proteomics and metabolomics, plant viruses etc. The Institute has proven credentials in boosting economy through empowerment and enhancing livelihood of tribal and other communities of high altitude areas through floriculture, cultivation of medicinal & aromatic plants and processing of local resources for value addition besides successful commercialization of
technologies for propelling industrial growth.

For more details about the institute, visit http://www.ihbt.res.in.

Qualifications, Experience and Age:-

**Essential Qualifications:** Ph.D. in Natural Sciences or Master's Degree in Engineering/Health/Medical Sciences (for Engineering/Health/Medical Sciences, Ph.D. is desirable).

**Age:** 45 years or above but not exceeding 56 years.

**Experience:** At least 16 years of experience in Research and Development (with focus on translational research) in the areas of activities of the laboratory/Institutes/Centre and demonstrated excellence in leadership therein.

Years of experience shall be computed from the beginning of candidate’s research career.

**Relaxation:** The qualifications, age and experience can be relaxed in case of exceptionally meritorious candidates with the approval of DG, CSIR.

**Candidate:** Should be creative, innovative and a well-recognized scientist/technologist having a demonstrated ability to manage multidisciplinary R&D teams with excellent interpersonal relations. The candidate should have made significant contributions in terms of technology development apart from creation of IP and publications. He/She should be able to create a conducive environment for nurturing high class research and development.

**Responsibilities:** The Director shall supervise and exercise administrative control on the staff of the Institute and shall be responsible for (i) realizing the mission of the Institute, and (ii) creating an environment conducive to nurture innovation and high class R&D and other S&T activities of the Laboratory/Institute in keeping with societal/industrial priorities.

**Appointment:** The appointment to the post of Director will be made for a tenure of six years or till superannuation, whichever is earlier, in level 15 of Pay Matrix (Rs.1,82,200-2,24,100) (pre-revised HAG pay scale of Rs 67,000-79,000) with allowances as admissible. The tenure period will be renewable only in exceptional cases. Director can be considered for absorption/placement in CSIR as Director's Grade Scientist i.e. Scientist ‘H’/Outstanding Scientist, as per rules.

**Benefits:** The provision to share money realized from external contract R&D, consultancy and rendering of S&T services is also available as per extant rules. Residential accommodation and transport are provided as per rules. In addition, medical, LTC and other facilities are provided as per CSIR rules.

**How to apply:** The application/nomination for the post with detailed bio-data highlighting scientific and translational contributions in details alongwith list of
publications/patents etc. may be sent through email on email ID drc@csir.res.in or by post to Director Recruitment Cell, Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), Anusandhan Bhawan, 2, Rafi Marg, New Delhi-110001. A brief bio-data in the proforma given below may also be sent. The last date of the receipt of applications is 31.12.2022.

**Format for Bio-Data**

1. Name of the Laboratory applied/nominated for:
2. Name:
3. Date of Birth:
4. Current Position and Address:
5. Educational Qualification:
6. | Sl. No. | Degree/Certificate | Year of Passing | University/Institute | Subjects |
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7. Academic/Research Experience/Employment

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8. Areas of Specialization:
9. Honors/Awards/Recognitions received:
10. Professional Affiliations:
11. a) List of Research Publications including popular articles, if any;
    b) List of best professional outputs/outcomes in last 10 years, relevant to present field of specialization;
    c) Highlights of contributions to the area of specialization
12. * Number of Books authored/edited:
13. a) Number of Patents/Copy rights/Trade Mark/IPR granted/applied for & highlights of translational research contributions:
b) Technologies developed, Licensed and/or commercialized with details.

14. Dissertations supervised:
   a) Ph.D.
   b) Post-Graduation

15. 1-2 page summary of vision as Leader of CSIR-IHBT
16. List of 5 professional referees of high repute with whom candidate has interacted in the past.

I hereby declare that all the information mentioned above is true to the best of my knowledge.

Date:  
Place:  

Signature of the Applicant

* Details may be enclosed separately

Applicants are also requested to additionally fill the below pro-forma in word file format and send it along with their applications (in above format) for the respective positions applied for:

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