# Advertisement for Research Associate In DBT-BIRAC Sponsored Project

**THAPAR INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY**  
Department of Biotechnology

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<th><strong>Title of Project</strong></th>
<th>An artificial colon model for gut microbiota research</th>
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<td><strong>Position</strong></td>
<td>Research Associate (One)</td>
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<td><strong>Salary</strong></td>
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| **Essential Qualification** | 1. Ph.D. in Biotechnology or any allied subject in Life Sciences  
2. Minimum of 60% marks or 7.0 CGPA during Master’s degree. |
| **Desirable qualifications** | Hands-on knowledge of microbial culturing and metagenomic techniques  
Knowledge of Python programing (knowledge of QIIME optional)  
Knowledge of basic microbiological techniques and aseptic techniques  
Good oral/written communication skills in English |
| **Duration of the Project** | The fellowship will be offered initially for a period of 12 months, which can be extended depending on the performance of the candidate. |

**General Guidelines**

1. Interested candidates should submit their detailed curriculum vitae with self-attested photocopies of all mark sheets, certificates and testimonials **as a single pdf**. Email to priyankar.dey@thapar.edu and prangya.rout@thapar.edu indicating research interests with names and contact details of two referees positively.  
2. Fill the attached form with relevant information and send along with your application.  
3. Last date to submit the application along with details is **June 30, 2023**.  
4. Only short-listed candidates will be contacted and called for online interview.  
5. Candidates will be short listed for the interview based on merit and experience. Decision of selection committee will be final. The date and time of interview will be informed by email only to eligible candidates.  
6. Mere possession of minimum qualification does not guarantee an invitation to the interview.

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