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WALK IN INTERVIEW FOR THE POST OF PROJECT ASSOCIATE I, TECHNICAL ASSISTANT AND PROGRAM OFFICER PURELY ON TEMPORARY & SHORT-TERM CONTRACT BASIS

The Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology (IITM) is an autonomous research organization fully funded by Ministry of Earth Sciences, New Delhi. It is a premier Institute of National and International repute, devoted to research in various aspects of atmospheric sciences. The Institute has excellent infrastructural facilities such as high - performance computers, observational laboratories, modern library, workshop etc. It has a strong link with various Universities and national and international organizations.

The Clean air -Better Life (CABL), Pune, an ongoing collaborative project of IITM, CII and DYP including various stakeholders such as PMC, PCMC, is looking for an eligible potential candidate for one post of Technical Assistant. CABL aims to improve air Quality in Pune through identifying sources/processes and suggest evidence based targeted interventions.

IITM, Pune, a Resource Partner to ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION, AWARENESS, CAPACITY BUILDING AND LIVELIHOOD PROGRAMME (EIACP erstwhile ENVIS), a plan programme of Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change on the subject area "Atmospheric Pollution & Climate Change". Its objective is to promote, implement and coordinate Green Skill Development Programme (GSDP) courses & "Mission Life Movement" and conduct public outreach awareness programs. Candidates are advised to go through EIACP activities through web and make themselves aware. The selected candidates need to get involved in field/research activities.

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for the following posts purely on a temporary and short-term contract basis:

Sr. No	Name of the Post	No. of posts	Emoluments [per month]	Age Limit (In years)	Dates of Walk in Interview
1.	Project Associate I	02 (UR-1, OBC-1)	₹ 31,000/- + HRA \$ or ₹ 25,000/- + HRA	35	28 th May 2026 (Reporting time- 0930 to 1030 Hrs)
2.	Technical Assistant (CABL)	01	₹ 36,000/- consolidated per month	35	
3.	Program Officer (EIACP)	01	₹ 50,000/- consolidated per month	50	29 th May 2026 (Reporting time- 0930 to 1030 Hrs)

\$ Emoluments for Candidates having NET/ CSIR-UGG / GATE or having passed national level examination conducted by Central Govt. Dept. and their agencies and Institutions.

Candidates who report after 1030 hrs will not be permitted to appear for Walk-In Interview and will not be allowed to enter the Institute premises.

Venue for Walk-In-Interview: -

Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology,
Dr. Homi Bhabha Road, Pashan,
Pune- 411008

WALK-IN INTERVIEW ON 28TH MAY 2026
PROJECT ASSOCIATE I

Name of the post	:	Project Associate I
Number of posts	:	02 Nos. (UR-1, OBC-1)
Place of posting	:	Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, Pune
Tenure	:	The appointment is purely on a temporary and short-term contract basis initially for a period upto 30.09.2026 or co-terminus with the project period whichever is earlier. Extension of tenure is subject to satisfactory performance.
Essential Qualification	:	Master's degree in science with Physics/ Applied Physics/ Atmospheric Sciences/ Meteorology/ Atmospheric Physics/ Environmental Science/ Environmental Sciences and technology from a recognized University or equivalent.
Desirable Qualification	:	Experience of handling atmospheric chemistry instruments.
Job Responsibilities	:	The candidate will be responsible for carrying out measurements using atmospheric chemistry instruments.

WALK IN INTERVIEW (WRITTEN & SKILL TEST) ON 28TH MAY 2026
TECHNICAL ASSISTANT UNDER CABL PROJECT

Name of the post	:	Technical Assistant (CABL)
Number of post	:	01 No.
Place of posting	:	Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, Pune
Tenure	:	The appointment is purely on a temporary and short-term contract basis initially for a period of six months or co-terminus with the project period whichever is earlier. Extension of tenure is subject to satisfactory performance.
Essential Qualification	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master's degree in science with Environmental science/ Atmospheric Science Meteorology/ Statistics/ Physics/ Applied Physics/ Environmental Chemistry/Chemistry/Data Science or analytics from a recognized university or equivalent. <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bachelor degree in Engineering/ Technology including Environmental Engineering from a recognized university or equivalent.
Desirable	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good knowledge in data analysis using excel/ python/R/AI-ML

Qualification	<p>methods and visualization software.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge of Remote sensing data retrieval/ GIS map preparation and analysis. Basic knowledge of air pollution. • Knowledge of running WRF-Chem, use of instruments and 1 year experience.
Job Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Data analysis through advanced methods in AI/python/statistics to generate heat maps related to Air pollution. Good skills in presentation of analyzed data. Involve in Field measurements for verification of such predictions. Work In the groups involving CABL projects and follow consultant and PI directions regarding work plan.
Method of Selection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written test (broad topics on essential qualification) & Skill Test (based on R/Python coding)

WALK IN INTERVIEW ON 29TH MAY 2026
PROGRAM OFFICER UNDER EIACP PROJECT

Name of the post	: Program Officer (EIACP)
Number of post	: 01 No.
Place of posting	: Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, Pune
Tenure	: The appointment is purely on a temporary and short-term contract basis initially for a period upto 30.09.2026 or co-terminus with the project period whichever is earlier. Extension of tenure is subject to satisfactory performance.
Essential Qualification	: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master's degree in science with Earth & Environmental Science from a recognized university or equivalent. <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bachelor degree in Engineering/ Technology from a recognized university or equivalent. <p style="text-align: center;">AND</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 years' work experience in relevant field in industry/ NGO/ Government /semi-government preferably worked in social environment, teaching/training etc.
Desirable Qualification	: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Well versed in computer applications/ web handling. Good knowledge of environmental/atmospheric science. Should be inclined to work with public and should have very good social and leadership skills along with ability to take responsibility. Good communication skills are required and also in good health. Experience of working on environmental matters with industry/public/local bodies/NGOs especially air pollution
Job Responsibilities	: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Programme Officer will prepare a comprehensive annual plan of activities/ work as well as Strategic Plan for the forthcoming year in consultation with the Programme Coordinator and will be responsible for implementing the same. The activities will include development of value-added information products, conducting Green Skill Development courses, organizing mega/regional events and other outreach activities. The Programme Officer will be the overall technical head of the Centre under the Programme Coordinator. The officer will also be involved in coordination, organization and management of any mega/regional event and other activities under Mission LiFE as per the program directions. The officer should be able to coordinate and motivate other team

	members and should be able to manage the complete activities single-handedly in a critical situation. The person should have a vision for environment and achieve the same in mission mode. The core theme of the centre being Air Pollution and climate change and the centre being in IITM, Pune the officer should be able to link center activities with IITM research areas also while following the EIACP mandates.
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INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1) **The appointment is purely on a temporary and short-term contract basis.**
- 2) Candidates who fulfil the eligibility criteria only should attend walk-in-interview along with the duly filled in proforma.
- 3) Only Indian Nationals are eligible for these posts.
- 4) The date of the interview is the cut-off date for all purposes, including age/ qualification/ experience etc. Upper age limit is relaxed as per GOI orders for SC/ST, OBC & physically handicapped and as per rule for ex-servicemen.
- 5) Desirable qualifications and experience can be relaxed at the discretion of the Director in case of exceptionally good candidates.
- 6) Selected candidate may have to join the post immediately on being found fit by Medical Authority.
- 7) The Director, IITM reserves the right to fill-up or not to fill up the posts advertised without assigning any reasons thereof.
- 8) The Director, IITM reserves the right to cancel the recruitment process for the positions mentioned above at any stage of the recruitment process.
- 9) The number of vacancies mentioned in the advertisement may vary depending upon the requirements of the project.
- 10) The Competent Authority of this Institute reserves the right to terminate the appointment of the above post by giving one month's notice to the appointee without assigning any reason thereof.
- 11) Candidates must produce all original documents as proof for verification and photocopy of each along with duly filled attached application, at the time of interview/joining.
- 12) No TA/DA will be paid to the candidates for appearing in Walk-In-Interview. For SC/ST candidates admissible TA/DA shall be considered as per Government of India orders.

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