



# UNIVERSITY OF GOUR BANGA

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P.O.: Mokdumpur, Dist.: Malda, Pin – 732 103, West Bengal, India

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**Call for Project Assistant in an R&D project funded by “DBT-NER Project (Sanction Order: BT/PR51631/NER/951202312024; Dated: 23.04.2026)”**

Applications are invited from eligible candidates to work as a **Project Assistant** for **03 years** (tentative) under the **“DBT-NER Project (Sanction Order: BT/PR51631/NER/951202312024; Dated: 23.04.2026)”** funded R&D project entitled **"Impact assessment of the microbes associated with the traditionally fermented Bamboo shoot of Arunachal Pradesh for developing probiotic-enriched safe functional food"** (Sanction Order: BT/PR51631/NER/951202312024; Dated: 23.04.2026). The posts are purely temporary and co-terminus with the Project. Interested candidates from Indian National are requested to send a duly completed application form (in prescribed format) along with detailed information about the educational qualifications, research experience, and publications (if any), and copies of supporting documents to the **Registrar, University of Gour Banga, Malda, West Bengal – 732 103, India**, within **07 days** from the date of advertisement. A soft copy of the application must be sent to [vivek.bot@ugb.ac.in](mailto:vivek.bot@ugb.ac.in) & [skdash@ugb.ac.in](mailto:skdash@ugb.ac.in). Candidates should produce original mark sheets, certificates, and testimonials for verification at the time of the interview. The eligibility criteria and the number of tentative positions are given below:

<b>Project title</b>	<b>“Impact assessment of the microbes associated with the traditionally fermented Bamboo shoot of Arunachal Pradesh for developing probiotic-enriched safe functional food”</b> Memo No. BT/PR51631/NER/951202312024; Dated: 23.04.2026
<b>Name of the position</b>	<b>Project Assistant</b>
<b>Project Duration</b>	03 (Three) Years
<b>No. of Position</b>	01 (One)
<b>Required qualification</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Essential Qualification:</b> Post Graduate in a Science discipline like Botany/Microbiology/ Biotechnology/ Human Physiology or any other related disciplines with minimum 55% marks from UGC recognized University or Institute.</li> <li><b>Desirable:</b> (i) Candidates with NET-Lectureship (UGC-CSIR Joint test)/JRF from the Category-II merit list of DBT-BET exam/SET/GATE will be prioritized. (ii) Adequate knowledge of the English Language, manuscript writing, and expertise in microbiological works, animal experimentation, fermentation techniques, biochemical analysis, and microscopy, and software analysis.</li> </ol>
<b>Job Responsibility</b>	The Project Assistant will carry out the project-related literature review; experimental work aligned with the project objectives; sample collection from project-associated fields in Arunachal Pradesh; data collection, analysis, and manuscript and report writing for publication. The Project Fellow also has to visit the associated

	laboratories of the Project.
<b>Fellowship</b>	The monthly consolidated emolument is <b>Rs. 25,000/-</b> (including 15% HRA) for the 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> year, and <b>Rs. 28,000/-</b> for the 3 <sup>rd</sup> year.
<b>Maximum Age Limit</b>	50 (Fifty) years as of the last date of application
<b>Category</b>	Unreserved
<b>Principal Investigator (PI) &amp; Co-Principal Investigator (Co-PI)</b> DBT-NER Project (Sanction Order: BT/PR51631/NER/951202312024; Dated: 23.04.2026)	Professor Vivekananda Mandal Department of Botany University of Gour Banga Malda, West Bengal – 732 103, India Phone: +91 9679008986 & +91 9434556340 Email: <a href="mailto:vivek.bot@ugb.ac.in">vivek.bot@ugb.ac.in</a> <b>And</b> Dr. Sandeep Kumar Dash Co-Principal Investigator Assistant Professor, Dept. of Physiology, Univ. of Gour Banga Phone: +91 8016671888 & +91 9046936737 Email: <a href="mailto:skdash@ugb.ac.in">skdash@ugb.ac.in</a>

**Please note that only shortlisted candidates will be notified of an interview within 07 days of the deadline via email.**

**Terms & Conditions:**

- No TA/DA will be paid to attend the interview.
- The Application Form is attached herewith.
- Incomplete applications will be rejected.
- The above position is purely temporary and on a contract basis, co-terminus with the Project at any time without prior notification (Subject to satisfactory performance).
- Continuation will depend on the satisfaction of research performance.
- Candidates are required to appear for the interview with their curriculum vitae, all relevant original certificates, a set of self-attested photocopies, and four passport-size photographs.
- Selected candidates will not be permitted to claim any regular/part-time appointments in this University or any other Institutes or universities.
- Canvassing in any form will disqualify the candidature.

**Sd/-**  
Registrar (Addl. Charge)  
University of Gour Banga



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University-Main Campus, P.O. Mokdumpur, Dist. Malda – 732103

## APPLICATION FORM FOR THE POST OF PROJECT ASSISTANT IN A DBT-NER PROJECT

To  
The Registrar  
University of Gour Banga

Respected Sir,

I do hereby apply (through e-mail) for the **PROJECT ASSISTANT** in the “DBT-NER-funded R&D project entitled “**Impact assessment of the microbes associated with the traditionally fermented Bamboo shoot of Arunachal Pradesh for developing probiotic-enriched safe functional food**” (*vide* Sanction Order: BT/PR51631/NER/951202312024; Dated: 23.04.2026) (*vide* Advertisement No.: .....; Dated: .....) in the Department of **Botany**, University of Gour Banga, Malda, W.B. The relevant information is stated below:

1.	<b>Name of the applicant (in block letter):</b>				
2.	<b>Date of Birth:</b>				
3.	<b>Son/Daughter of:</b>				
4.	<b>Address for communication:</b>				
5.	<b>Contact No.:</b>			<b>E-mail ID:</b>	
6.	<b>Academic qualification (in chronological order):</b>				
Examination Passed	Year of Passing	Board/Council/University	Subject(s) studied	% Marks Obtained	
Secondary/Equivalent					
Higher Secondary					
B. Sc (Honours)					
M. Sc.					
UGC-CSIR NET					

Category- II DBT- BET Exam				
GATE				
Others				

<b>7. Research Experience:</b> ..... years .....months (with supporting documents)			
<b>8. Doctoral/M. Phil. degree, if any:</b>			
<b>Year awarded:</b>		<b>University:</b>	
<b>Title of Dissertation:</b> .....			
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<b>8. Number of publications, if any:</b>	<i>(Attach a list of publications as a separate sheet/file)</i>		
<b>National Journal:</b>		<b>International Journal:</b>	
<b>9. Other experiences, if any, in the relevant field</b> (Year of experience with proven documents):			

*I,....., certify that the above information is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.*

**Date:**

**Place:**

**Candidate's full signature**

**Enclosures:** Self-attested photocopies of the relevant documents are attached to this application.