



**NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**  
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**KURUKSHETRA-136119**

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**Recruitment of Project Associate/JRF for the research project funded by ANRF**

Applications in the prescribed format are invited from Indian Nationals for one post of Junior Research Fellow (JRF)/Project Associate-I for an ANRF sponsored research project. The details of the project and the post of recruitment are given below:

<b>No. of Position(s)</b>	01
<b>Project Title</b>	"SmileScope: Enhancing Early Autism Diagnosis Through Digital Behavioral Phenotyping "
<b>Principal Investigator</b>	Dr. Pratishtha Verma; Department of Computer engineering, NIT Kurukshetra; Email: pratishthaverma@nitkkr.ac.in
<b>Tenure of Project</b>	3 Years ( from July, 2025)
<b>Essential Qualification</b>	B.Tech. and M.Tech. or equivalent degree in Computer Science and Engineering/ Computer Engineering/ Information Technology or equivalent with First class (6.5 grades point out of 10) or 60% marks.
<b>Desirable Qualification</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Experience with deep learning frameworks such as PyTorch or TensorFlow in the domain of computer vision. Prior experience in Python programming is highly desirable.</li><li>• Candidates with valid GATE and NET scores are desirable.</li><li>• Candidate with B.Tech. &amp; M.Tech. in Computer Engineering/CSE is desirable.</li></ul>
<b>Age &amp; Relaxation</b>	Upper age limit is 32 years as on 07.06.2026 (relaxed by 5 years in case of SC/ST/OBC/Female and PH Candidate) for JRF and as per the norms of the Govt. of India/DST-ANRF for project associate.
<b>Fellowship</b>	<p>A) <b>JRF:</b> Post Graduate Degree in Basic Science OR Graduate / Post Graduate Degree in Professional Course selected through a process described through any one of the following: a. Scholars who are selected through National Eligibility Tests - CSIR-UGC NET including lectureship (Assistant Professorship) and GATE. b. The selection process is conducted through National level examinations conducted by Central Government Departments and their Agencies and Institutions such as DST, DBT, DAE, DOS, DRDO, MoE, ICAR, ICMR. <b>-[₹ 37000 (in 1st &amp; 2nd Year) and ₹ 42000 (in 3rd Year)] per month + HRA.</b></p> <p>B) <b>Project Associate-I</b> ME/M.Tech with first class in computer Science and Engineering/IT/Equivalent with minimum 60% or 6.5 CGPA. <b>-Rs. 30,000 per month + HRA.</b></p>
<b>Other Benefits</b>	Candidates selected for the position may register for a PHD if eligibility conditions as set by the institute are met by him/her.

<b>Application Procedure Last Date &amp; Time</b>	<b>Interested candidates should upload their application in the prescribed scanned format, including a photograph and educational qualifications, on or before 7th June, 2026 via the online Google Form <a href="https://forms.gle/dsGq8oDJ8WsujuR29">https://forms.gle/dsGq8oDJ8WsujuR29</a> In case the any difficulty in submission email to <a href="mailto:pratishthaverma@nitkkr.ac.in">pratishthaverma@nitkkr.ac.in</a></b>
<b>Submission mode</b>	<a href="https://forms.gle/dsGq8oDJ8WsujuR29">https://forms.gle/dsGq8oDJ8WsujuR29</a>
<b>Note</b>	Shortlisted candidates will be informed about the date of the interview During the interview the candidate will be evaluated based on academic excellence, viva, and presentation. Mere possession of minimum qualification does not guarantee an invitation to the interview. Candidates will be shortlisted based on their merit and as per the requirement of the project.

### **Terms and Conditions:**

The position is purely on a temporary basis and will be governed by the administrative conditions of Research & Consultancy Cell, NIT Kurukshetra.

1. Candidates should have good bench work capability, technical writing skills and working knowledge of computers.
2. **Interested candidates should upload their application in the prescribed scanned format, including a photograph and educational qualifications, on or before 07.06.2026 via the online Google Form <https://forms.gle/dsGq8oDJ8WsujuR29> In case the any difficulty in submission email to [pratishthaverma@nitkkr.ac.in](mailto:pratishthaverma@nitkkr.ac.in)**
3. The project duration is 3 years which is co-terminus with the project.
4. Candidates should have good data analysis, technical writing skills and working knowledge of computers.
5. No TA/DA is permissible for appearing in the interview and joining in case of selection.
6. The interview schedule will be notified to the shortlisted candidates by email soon after the last date of application.
7. Candidates shall bring along with them the original degree(s)/certificate(s) and experience certificate(s) at the time of interview for verification.
8. Appointment will be contractual in nature.
9. Only short-listed candidates will be communicated to appear in the interview and no other communication in this regard will be entertained.
10. Candidates will be informed by e-mail about the interview date. So, candidates must provide valid e-mail IDs in their application.
11. The position is temporary and is extendable till the completion of the project subject to satisfactory performance.
12. The applicant will be responsible for the authenticity of information, other documents and photographs submitted.
13. The Institute reserves the right to cancel the recruitment without assigning any reason.
14. The candidate selected for the above position will have the option to register for a PhD program at NIT Kurukshetra. However, for admission to a PhD program, the candidate must meet eligibility requirements as per the rules and regulation of NIT-Kurukshetra.

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Registrar I/c