

**Applications are invited for
'DBT SPONSORED 3 MONTHS NATIONAL TRAINING IN MOLECULAR BIOLOGY &
BIOTECHNOLOGY FOR FISHERIES PROFESSIONALS'
at ICAR- CIFE, CIFA & CMFRI**

Training objective: To create a core group of fisheries scientists equipped with knowledge of molecular biology and biotechnology tools and to promote such research through post-training mentoring.

Eligibility: Assistant Professors/ Scientists and above employed in SAUs, CAUs, Fisheries Colleges, research institutes, traditional universities and engaged in research and teaching in the area of aquaculture, fisheries and allied disciplines. Post-doctoral Fellows working in this field and associated with above mentioned institutions are also eligible. The candidates should be interested in applying molecular biology and biotechnology tools for addressing issues in the fisheries and aquaculture sector and are required to submit a 'Statement of Purpose' highlighting any issue of their interest.

Centres and Specializations: 1. ICAR-Central Institute of Fisheries Education, Mumbai, Maharashtra – 'Molecular Biology, Genomics and Transgenics'; 2. ICAR-Central Institute of Freshwater Aquaculture, Kausalyaganga, Bhubaneswar, Odisha – 'Aquaculture Biotechnology, Genomics and Molecular Breeding', 3. Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute, Kochi, Kerala – 'Marine Biotechnology'

Duration: 3 months

Dates: ICAR-CIFE, Mumbai & ICAR-CIFA, Kausalyaganga – 01.05.2015 to 31.07.2015 (Batch I); 01.11.2015 to 31.01.2016 (Batch II); ICAR-CMFRI, Kochi - 01.07.2015 to 31.09.2015 (Batch I); 01.11.2015 to 31.01.2016 (Batch II).

Total participants: Ten for each batch at each centre.

Travel: Train AC 2Tier fare is permissible for joining of selected participants and boarding and lodging will be provided as permissible under the project .

Address for communication: Dr. W.S. Lakra, National Project Coordinator and Director, CIFE, Versova, Mumbai - 400061. Duly forwarded applications with detailed CV and Statement of Purpose should reach latest by 10.04.2015. Advance copies may be communicated earlier. Queries can be addressed to dbthrd@cife.edu.in.

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At CMFRI, Cochin hostel accommodation with common bath and toilet facilities are only available for the participants of this programme. Food bills up to Rs.150 per person per day is also admissible.