



**DEPARTMENT OF MARINE BIOTECHNOLOGY
FACULTY OF LIFE SCIENCES
ACADEMY OF MARITIME EDUCATION AND TRAINING (AMET)
DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY
(Accredited by NAAC with 'A' Grade)
East Coast Road, Kanathur, Chennai – 603112, Tamil Nadu**

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Applications are invited for one Project Associate position (temporary) funded by Ministry of Earth Sciences (MOES) under Deep Ocean Mission scheme [(F.No.MoES/PAMC/DOM/85/2023 (E-14928)] entitled **“SUB-SEA BIOINVASION AND ITS ECOLOGICAL IMPACTS”** purely in the project mode temporarily for a period of one year extendable further based on satisfactory performance up to the project period.

Project Associate (Vacancy Post Code No.1): To conduct surveys on marine invasive species along the Chennai Coast at different environments and also ballast water collection from ships and testing invasive species. This project involves and both field (marine underwater surveys) and laboratory works.

Essential Qualification(s): M.Sc., in Marine Biology / Biology / Zoology / Biological Oceanography / Molecular Biology / Microbiology / Genomics / Biotechnology with 60% marks or equivalent grade.

Desirable Qualification(s): Preferences will be given to candidates with previous experience in marine underwater surveys, isolation of marine microbes / collection, and identification marine organisms and preferably certified SCUBA Diver or good skill in skin diving / snorkeling.

Fellowships/Emoluments: Rs.31,000/- per month with HRA as per the funding agency norms.

Candidates with strong aptitude for research will be encouraged to register for Ph.D. degree.

Note:

1. Appointment of the candidates will be governed by the terms and conditions of the funding agency particularly applicable to the said project.
2. The qualification prescribed should have been obtained from the recognized Universities / Institutions.
3. Application should be on A4 plain paper in the format given below. It should be supported with a passport size photograph along with self-attested copies of all educational qualifications, experience etc., and should be sent to, **“Dr.C.M.Ramakritinan, Professor & Head, Principal Investigator, MoES-DOM Research Project, Department of Marine Biotechnology, Academy of Maritime Education and Training (AMET) Deemed to be University, Kanathur, Chennai – 603112, Tamilnadu (Mobile: 09442039861) in a cover superscribed “Application for JRF-MOES-DOM Project”** so as to reach within **15 days** from the date of this advertisement. A soft copy of application in prescribed format along with all documents should also be sent through e-mail to: ramakritinan@ametuniv.ac.in.
4. The prescribed essential qualifications are minimum and mere possession of the same does not entitle candidates to be called for interview.
5. Age limit for Project staff is as per funding agency norms.
6. Incomplete applications or applications received after the prescribed time limit shall not be entertained.
7. The interview date will be communicated to the eligible short listed candidates only through email.
8. **No TA/DA will be admissible for attending the Interview.**
9. The application can be downloaded from the university website: www.ametuniv.ac.in.
10. Selected candidates will have to join duty immediately on receipt of the offer.

Place: Kanathur, Chennai

Date: 16-07-2025

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR