



National Tiger Conservation Authority
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change
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Call for Application -Senior Research Fellow

The National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA) is a statutory body under the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (MoEFCC) established in the year 2005 (website <https://ntca.gov.in/>). The main objective of this Authority is to strengthen tiger conservation in the country under the provisions of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972. The role of the NTCA is to provide central consultation to States and tiger reserves through advisories/normative guidelines, based on appraisal of tiger status, ongoing conservation initiatives, within the ambit of the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 and guidelines of Project Tiger / National Tiger Conservation Authority. This includes protection, habitat amelioration, day to day monitoring, eco-development for local people in buffer areas, voluntary relocation of people from core/critical tiger habitats, and addressing human-wildlife conflicts. Additionally, NTCA also leads the country wide assessment of the status of tiger, co-predators, prey and habitat once in four years.

To further support the expansion of works at NTCA, applications are now invited for the engagement of two Senior Research Fellow (SRF) positions (through empaneled outsourced agency).

The EQ, DQ and other details of the posts are as under:

1	Engagement position	Senior Research Fellow (2 positions)
2	Duration	1 year full-time (through empaneled outsourced agency)
3	Duty Station	Delhi
4	Essential Qualification (EQ)	M.Sc. in Zoology/ Wildlife Science/ Life Sciences/ Environmental Sciences / Mass Communications from a recognized university with at least three years of field experience in Tiger reserves/ Protected Areas
5	Desirable Qualification (DQ)	<p>For SRF-1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Domain knowledge and at least Three years field experience of working in field and research experience• Experience/ knowledge of Landscape based conservation assessment, statistical/ GIS data analysis, report writing <p>For SRF-2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Domain knowledge and at least Three years field experience of working in field and research experience• Skills to support social media outreach through twitter, Facebook , Instagram. Ability to take up Photoshop /editing and popular writing .• Report writing
6	Description of Job	<p>To assist the authority on</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Data collection/ information compilation on status of tiger reserves and their ongoing conservation initiatives• Scientific data analysis

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing reports, plans, preparation of maps and other related activities. • Consultation with states and tiger reserves. • Communication and social media networking • Conservation communication to reach stakeholders and create awareness regarding the current status and ongoing conservation initiatives in various tiger reserves of India.
7	Emoluments	fixed monthly remuneration of Rs 35,000/- plus HRA
8	Age	Not exceeding 35 years as on the date of interview. Upper age limit in case of applicants belonging to SC/ST/OBC categories may be relaxed as per extant rules.

General Conditions

1. The application form (Annexure I) is attached and can be downloaded from the website <https://ntca.gov.in/>. Completed application along with relevant annexure **can be emailed to ntca2021@gmail.com** (Soft copy only) **on or before 30.06.2021**. Candidates must submit scan copies of testimonials of educational qualifications along with certificate of extracurricular activities, date of birth, mark sheets of all examinations etc.
2. Only shortlisted candidates will be invited for online mode interview as per extant covid-19 protocol. No TA/DA or any other expenses shall be paid to attend the interview.
3. At the time of verification of original documents, if it is found that an attempt has been made by the applicant to willfully conceal, misrepresent or canvass the facts, his/her candidature will not be considered.
4. Application received after the closing date or received incomplete in any respected are liable to be summarily rejected.
5. The selected candidate will be hired on contractual basis strictly through outsourcing agency.
6. The Member secretary NTCA, reserves the right to reject any candidature in view of incomplete information provided by the candidate or for any other reason thereof.


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