



# Vacancy

## Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo Research Assistant –Serology and immunology (on contract basis)

Applications are called for the following posts in the Parasitic Disease Research Unit, Department of Parasitology, Faculty of Medicine, Colombo to work on a research project funded by the National Institutes of Health, USA.

### **Research Assistant – Serology and Immunology (on contract basis)**

#### **Method of submission of application:**

By e-mail to Parasitic Disease Research Unit at [pdru@med.cmb.ac.lk](mailto:pdru@med.cmb.ac.lk) with subject line as: Application for the post of Research Assistant on or before 31<sup>st</sup> May 2022.

By post or by hand:

Please write “Application for the post of Research Assistant” on top left hand corner of the envelope and address it to:

Principal Investigator, NIH Project  
Department of Parasitology, Faculty of Medicine  
No. 25 Kynsey Road, Colombo 8.

Qualifications and other requirements:

1. B.Sc. Special degree in Zoology or Biology.
2. Hands on experience in serological methods (including ELISA – having an undergraduate research projects based on ELISA methods will be an added advantage )
3. Hands on experience in molecular biology methods will be an added advantage
4. Ability/willingness to work with laboratory animals (previous experience of handling laboratory animals will be an added advantage)
5. Proficiency in English and IT skills and data analysis
6. Ability to work for long hours with efficiency and independently in a fast-paced environment
7. Ability to work under pressure to meet tight deadlines with attention to details
8. Research publications and/or presentations will be an added advantage

A salary, stipend or an allowance will be made available strictly based on individual qualifications and work experience.

For further details: Please contact on Tel. 071-5132651 / email: [pdru@med.cmb.ac.lk](mailto:pdru@med.cmb.ac.lk)

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