



**UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO  
HUMAN GENETICS UNIT  
FACULTY OF MEDICINE**

**VACANCY**

Human Genetics Unit, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo is calling applications from qualified candidates for the following vacancy for a Wellcome Trust funded project. The Research assistants would be stationed in the Faculty of Medicine of the following Universities.

**1) POST OF RESEARCH ASSISTANT – Contract Basis**

**No of Vacancy – 2 (University of Jaffna (1), University of Rajarata (1) )**

**Required Qualifications:**

- Master of Science or higher degree in Molecular Biology/Genetics with a background in Bioinformatics.
- Laboratory skills in DNA sequencing technology, including NGS and Bio informatics analysis.
- Excellent command of spoken and written English.
- Good IT skills.

**GENERAL CONDITIONS**

**Salary for Research Assistant:** Basic Salary - Rs: 75,000/= p.m. will be paid.

The appointment shall be for a period of 01 (one) year. The position may be renewed for 06 (six) months based on performance, and need, during the period of the operation of the project.

Please send CV with contact information via email to [director@genetics.cmb.ac.lk](mailto:director@genetics.cmb.ac.lk) on or before 24<sup>th</sup> September 2024.

**Applications received after the closing date will not be considered. Incomplete applications will be rejected.**

**Registrar  
University of Colombo  
10.09.2024**