



**DEFENCE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION**  
**Government of India, Ministry of Defence**  
**NAVAL PHYSICAL AND OCEANOGRAPHIC LABORATORY**  
THRIKKAKARA P.O., KOCHI, KERALA – 682 021



ADVT.NO. NPOL/RA/09/2022

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**SELECTION FOR THE POSITION OF**  
**RESEARCH ASSOCIATE (RA)**

Applications are invited from candidates possessing requisite qualifications as stated below for award of the following Fellowship available at this Laboratory for a period of two years with monthly fellowship emoluments of Rs. 54,000/- + House Rent Allowance as admissible under the rules :-

Sl. No.	Type of Fellowship	Number of fellowships	Subject/ Discipline	Educational qualifications	Remarks
1	Research Associate (RA)	01 (one)	Ocean Science	Ph. D in Ocean Sciences or relevant allied subjects preferably with experience in the field of Physical Oceanography OR having 3 years of research or teaching experience after M. Tech (Ocean Technology / Ocean Engineering) with at least one research paper in Science Citation Indexed (SCI) journal in the field of Physical Oceanography	Candidates should be willing to take part in long cruises onboard ocean going ships for the collection and analysis of oceanographic data, if selected

**GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

- **Only candidates possessing the above mentioned qualification(s) need apply.** All the qualifications acquired should be from recognized Universities/Institutions. Candidates working in Government/Public sector undertaking/ autonomous bodies should apply through proper channel. Director, NPOL reserves the right not to select any candidate, if suitable candidates are not available. The decision of Director, NPOL as to educational qualification prescribed, its equivalence and relevance to the Laboratory shall be final.
- **Upper Age Limit:** 35 years as on the closing date of receipt of application. The upper age limit shall be relaxable to the candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and OBC as per Government of India orders.
- **How to apply :** Filled in application in the prescribed format (available at the website [www.drdo.gov.in](http://www.drdo.gov.in)) along with self-attested copies of certificates in support of educational qualifications, age, reservation status etc may be sent by post in an envelope superscribed “**APPLICATION FOR FELLOWSHIP-RA 2022**” so as to reach “The Director, NPOL,Thrikkakara PO, Kochi – 682 021” **within 30 days of publication of this Advertisement in Employment News/Rozgar Samachar.** Incomplete applications are liable to be rejected.
- Candidates shortlisted by a Screening Committee will be called for a personal interview at NPOL, Kochi subsequently and they shall be required to produce certificates/testimonials/community certificate etc. in original at the time of interview.
- **It may be noted that offer of Fellowship does not confer on Fellows any right for absorption in DRDO.**

**DIRECTOR**  
**NPOL, KOCHI**