

S. N. BOSE NATIONAL CENTRE FOR BASIC SCIENCES

Kolkata, West Bengal

(An Autonomous Institute under
Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, Technology Bhawan,
New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi 110016)

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1st April 2015

Call for applications/nominations for appointment of Director, SNBNCBS

S. N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences (SNBNCBS), Kolkata has been established as an autonomous institution by the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India. The Centre has research activities in different focused areas of basic sciences. It has research activities (Theoretical, Computational and Experimental) in different areas of Physical, Chemical and Mathematical Sciences. In recent years the Centre has made significant investment to establish new experimental research facilities and computational facilities (visit our website: <http://newweb.bose.res.in>). The Centre runs post M. Sc. and post B.Sc. Integrated Ph. D. Research programmes.

SNBNCBS invites applications/nominations from highly motivated and dynamic scientists/academicians of eminence for the post of **Director**, who will be an Indian National. The ideal candidate will be a dynamic leader with substantial experience and achievements in the field of science and with a clear vision for an institution dedicated to these areas of research.

The Director will be appointed after obtaining the approval of the Competent Authority based on the recommendations made by a high-level Search-cum-Selection Committee. The Search-cum-Selection Committee will consider applications received in response to this advertisement as well as nominations received from eminent academic persons like fellows of prestigious national science academies, directors of national laboratories, vice-chancellors of universities etc.

A. Name of the post: Director

B. Scale of Pay: Rs. 80,000 (fixed) per month with allowances as per Central Government Rules.

C. Mode of Recruitment

Recruitment for the post of Director shall be made by any of the following method(s):

- (a) Direct Recruitment
- (b) By Deputation, including short term contract
- (c) Re-employment

D. Tenure: 3 to 5 years or on attaining the age of superannuation as per extant Government instructions (60 years at present), whichever is earlier.

E. Probation period: One year

F. Age: Not exceeding 56 years. The crucial date for determining the age limit shall be 01 January, 2015.

G. Qualifications

Essential:

Doctorate in any branch of science, especially Physics, Chemistry or Mathematics

Desirable:

- (i) Post - doctoral research
- (ii) Original published work of high standard
- (iii) Evidence of high professional eminence by way of recognitions like fellowship of academies, national/ international awards in science etc.
- (iv) Experience in management of major research projects

H. Essential Experience for Direct Recruitment

- (a) At least 25 years of research experience in industrial and academic institutions and / or Science and Technology organizations or as faculty / scientist of recognized national / international universities / research institutes etc., out of which at least 6 years should be in a senior position managing a research group, chairing committees outside the institute or in managerial / administrative capacity for science & technology programmes, planning and development, budget & finance, coordination and such organizational matters.
- (b) R&D experience in any branch of Science, especially Physics, Chemistry or Mathematics

[Note: The R&D experience will be counted after the Master's degree or equivalent including the Ph.D. period]

I. Eligibility criteria for Recruitment on Deputation

Scientists working in the Central/State Governments/ Universities/ Recognized Research Institutions/Semi-Government, Statutory or Autonomous Organisations in India,

- (a) (i) holding analogous post; or
- (ii) with 1 year regular service in the post carrying pay in the pay band of Rs.75500-80000 Grade (HAG+) or equivalent ; or
- (iii) 3 years regular service in the post carrying pay in the pay band of Rs.67000-79000 (HAG) or equivalent; or
- (iv) 7 years regular service in the post carrying pay in the pay band of Rs.37400-67000 + Grade Pay of Rs. 10,000/- or equivalent; and

- (v) possessing the essential educational qualifications mentioned in Para 'G' and essential experience in Para 'H' above.

J. Job Description

The Director will have the overall administrative control of the Centre and will provide high-level leadership to the Centre in identification of research programmes and projects of national and international relevance in various specialized fields of research undertaken by the Centre. S/he will enthuse and motivate scientists of the Centre; promote creativity and excellence and create an atmosphere conducive to harmonious functioning of the Centre. S/he will interact and establish rapport with national and international, academic and professional institutions and specialists dealing with the domain area of research undertaken by the Centre and will ensure multi-disciplinary and multi-institutional cooperation towards fulfillment of the objectives of the Centre.

K. Application/Nomination Process

Applications typed on plain paper in the **formats I and II** given below should be sent by post to **“Registrar, S. N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences , Block JD, Sector III, Salt Lake, Kolkata 700098 ”**, so as **to reach** this address **by 15 May, 2015**.

In case of **nominations**, the eminent persons nominating a candidate may forward the candidate's application along with recommendations by post so as **to reach** the above address **by 15 May, 2015**.

The last date of receipt of applications from candidates (including nominations) in Assam, Meghalaya, Arunachal Pradesh, Mizoram, Manipur, Nagaland, Tripura, Sikkim, Ladakh Division of Jammu and Kashmir State, Lahaul and Spiti District and Pangi Sub Division of Chamba District of Himachal Pradesh, Andaman and Nicobar Islands and Lakshadweep will be **31 May, 2015**.

Persons employed in Government Departments, Autonomous Organizations and Public Sector Undertakings, should arrange to send their applications through proper channel. They may, however, send an advance copy so as to meet the time deadline mentioned above.

Duly attested photocopies of certificates in support of qualifications and experience should be sent with the application. Please **do not send originals**.

The envelope containing the application must be superscribed with **"Application for the post of Director, SNBNCBS, Kolkata "**

Registrar
S. N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences

FORMAT I
(APPLICATION)

Passport size
photograph to
be pasted

1. Name in full (in block letters)
2. Present position
3. Postal Address
4. E-mail address
5. Phone Number (Mobile & Landline)
6. Date of Birth
7. Permanent Address
8. Educational Qualifications indicating chronologically the examinations passed from Bachelor's onwards
9. Present Pay Band + Grade Pay
10. Experience
11. List of Publications
12. Details of awards/recognitions/fellowships of prestigious academies, citations received till the date of the application, h-index, etc.
13. Details of projects implemented (completed / in progress)
14. Any other information.
15. *Declaration:*

I hereby certify that the foregoing information is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I have not suppressed any material fact or factual information in the above statements. In case, I have given wrong information, or suppressed any material fact or factual information, then my services are liable to be terminated without giving any notice or reasons thereof. I am not aware of any circumstances which might impair my fitness for employment under the Government.

Dated:

Signature of the Candidate

FORMAT-II
(for short Curriculum Vitae)

(Not to exceed 2-pages of A-4 size in Times New Roman font of 12 size in single spacing)

1. Name and Address
2. Date of birth and age in years and months as on 1.1.2015
3. Qualifications (mention degree, institution and the year awarded)
4. Present Post, Pay Band and Grade Pay
5. Experience (indicate the post, institution and dates during which each post was held; also indicate separately (a) the total number of years of R&D experience after Master's including the Ph.D. period and (b) total number of years of other experience)
6. Total number of publications
7. Honours and Awards
8. Fellowships of National and International Academies, Memberships of Professional Societies
9. Additional relevant information, if any

Dated:

Signature of the Candidate

The advertisement is published on 1st April 2015 in

- The Hindu (all editions)
- (ii) The Times of India (all editions)
- (iii) The Telegraph – Kolkata & Guwahati edition
- (iv) Ananda Bazar Patrika

**For regional newspapers, the advertisement is published on
1st April 2015 in**

- Assam – Asomiya Pratidin
- (ii) Arunachal Pradesh – Arunachal Times
- (iii) Sikkim – Sikkim Express
- (iv) Manipuri – Poknapabham
- (v) Tripura – Tripura Darpan
- (vi) Meghalaya – The Shillong Times
- (vii) Nagaland – Nagaland Post
- (viii) Mizoram – Aizwal Post
- (ix) Andaman & Nicobar Island – The Echo of India
- (x) Jammu & Kashmir – Greater Kashmir

The advertisement is published on 2nd April 2015 in

- (i) Navbharat Times (in Hindi)
- (ii) Sanmarg (in Hindi)
- (iii) Himachal Pradesh- Amar Ujala (in Hindi)