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Applications are invited for **one (01) post of Research Associate (RA1/RA2/RA3)** in the project entitled “*Mass Multiplication of In-vitro Produced LEA Expressing Tomatoes for Enhanced Productivity and Supply Chain Management*” under the **Research Support Scheme 2026–27**, funded by Gujarat State Biotechnology Mission (GSBTM), Department of Science and Technology, Government of Gujarat.

Interested and eligible candidates are required to submit their application along with a detailed **Curriculum Vitae (CV)** and **self-attested copies** of relevant documents (mark sheets, degree certificates, and research publications) supporting their candidature. The complete application should be sent via **post/courier** to the following address within **10 days** from the date of publication of this advertisement on the University website:

Dr. Rushikesh Joshi,

Department of Biochemistry and Forensic Science, Gujarat University,
Navrangpura, Ahmedabad – 380009, Gujarat.

Candidates are also required to send an **advance scanned copy** of the application along with all supporting documents via email to **gsbmtomatoproject@gmail.com** on or before the last date. Please note that submission of the **hard copy of the application within the stipulated time period is mandatory** for consideration.

Project Title	“Mass multiplication of in-vitro produced LEA expressing tomatoes for enhanced productivity and supply chain management”
Name of the post	Research Associate (RA1/RA2/RA3) 01 post
Fellowship	As per DST norms
Essential Qualifications	Candidates must possess a Ph.D. in Biochemistry, Microbiology, Biotechnology, Life Sciences or an equivalent degree (MD/MS/MDS). For RA-I , only a Ph.D. or equivalent degree is required; for RA-II , candidates must have a Ph.D. or equivalent degree with at least one year of research experience after completion of the Ph.D.; and for RA-III , candidates must have a Ph.D. or equivalent degree with at least two years of such experience after the Ph.D., along with at least one publication in a Science Citation Indexed (SCI) journal.
Desirable Qualifications	Candidates with research experience aligned with the project objectives will be given preference
Duration of Fellowship	Initially for one year and extendable, subject to satisfactory performance

The appointment of RA is purely temporary & on a contractual basis for the defined period of the project. The selected candidate will not be entitled to claim a regular appointment/position in the institute. The candidate will be short-listed for interviews based on their qualifications and research experience. The interview date will be intimated by email. Shortlisted candidates have to appear for an interview at their own expense; no TA/DA will be provided to attend the interview. The decision of the selection committee would be final.

Principal Investigators
GSBTM Project

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