



WADIA INSTITUTE OF HIMALAYAN GEOLOGY

(An Autonomous Institution, Department of Science & Technology,
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ADVERTISEMENT NOTICE

Applications are invited from Indian nationals for the post of Director, Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology, Dehra Dun. The Institute, a reputed earth science centre for Himalayan Geology, was established to carry out basic and fundamental researches in Himalaya with the following objectives: (a) to undertake, promote, guide and coordinate research of a high calibre, to generate data on the earth's structure, mountain-building and related processes in Himalaya, (b) to carry out researches for the development of new concepts and models on various geoscientific aspects of Himalaya, and (c) to provide and promote effective linkage between various scientific and research agencies, laboratories and professional organisations working in the country in the field of Himalayan Geology and related areas. The Institute is also charged with serving as a National Reference Centre for the Geology of the Himalaya and to provide basic data and high level expertise to academic institutions, research organisations and industry in the country. The Wadia Institute has its own research complex with well equipped sophisticated and modern laboratories, where qualified geoscientists are currently working on several projects under the following specialised areas: **1. Structural Geology and Tectonics, 2. Petrology and Geochemistry, 3. Biostratigraphy and Sedimentology, 4. Geomorphology and Environmental Geology, 5. Seismicity and Seismotectonics of Himalaya.**

Qualifications

Essential: (a) Doctorate degree in Earth Sciences and at least 15 years research and/or teaching experience, of which at least 5 years should be in the next lower grade, (b) Original research work, (c) Administrative experience, (d) Programming and leading research teams, and (e) Organisational experience in scientific institutions.

Desirable: Experience of research work in Himalaya or similar terrane.

Job requirements: The Director will have the overall administrative control of the Institute and will provide high level leadership to the Institute; in identification of research programmes and projects of national and international relevance in various specialized fields of earth sciences related to Himalaya; to enthuse scientists of the Institute; generate creativity and excellence and create an atmosphere conducive to harmonious functioning of the organization. He will interact and establish rapport with national and international, academic and professional institutions and specialists dealing with Himalayan terrane, and ensure multi-disciplinary and multi-institutional cooperation towards fulfilment of the objectives of the Institute.

Age: Below 55 years (age relaxable in exceptional cases).

Tenure: The appointment will be for a period of 5 years or up to the date of superannuation, whichever is earlier.

Salary: The scale of pay attached to the post is Rs 18,400–500–22,400 plus allowances as per Central Government rules.

The application may be sent on plain paper along with full bio-data to the **Registrar, Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology, 33, General Mahadeo Singh Road, Dehra Dun 248 001** so as to reach him on or before **28 February 2003**.

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