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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (DST)

ANNOUNCEMENT FOR "DST-DAAD" PROJECT BASED PERSONNEL EXCHANGE PROGRAMME (PPP)-2004

Applications are invited from suitable scientists and researchers for support under this Programme (PPP) for the year 2004 on the prescribed form.

OBJECTIVE: To intensify the interaction and research activities among research groups of India and Germany through funding of scholars to participate in collaborative research projects. There is a special emphasis on the participation of young Ph D and Post-doctoral students.

FUNDING: Grants will be towards international travel and living cost only. The visits can commence from 1 June 2004.

ELIGIBILITY: The Project Investigator (PI) should be a Scientist from a University/Deemed University/Govt recognized R&D Institute/Laboratory and having **regular/permanent** position. However, his/her team must include young research Scientists/Associates/Ph D students having cleared NET/GATE. The composition of a team should not be more than 3 from each side (One PI and two Students/associates from each side).

SUBJECT AREAS:

- Agricultural, Veterinary and Forestry Sciences
- Engineering Sciences
- Geo Sciences
- Mathematics, Theoretical Computer Science and Informatics
- Medical, Life, Health and Nutritional Sciences
- Physical, Material and Chemical Sciences

HOW TO APPLY:

Scientists/researchers willing to apply for this programme may access it from the DST website: http://www.dst.gov.in. It may kindly be noted that requests for providing the guidelines and proforma by post or in person shall not be entertained. The advance copies of the project proposal will NOT be accepted. Applications duly completed in all respects and with the endorsement of the respective Head of the Institutions should be submitted latest by 30 November 2003 to:

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