Advertisement for the post of Director, JATP-CoE

Date: 24th December, 2021

The Joint Advanced Technology Programme (JATP) is a collaborative programme, set-up in 1983, between Indian Institute of Science and Defence Research and Development Laboratory (DRDL), Hyderabad, for research and development in propulsion, aerodynamics, computational fluid dynamics, guidance and control, and allied fields. Over the last three decades, very active interactions have happened between IISc and DRDO and various useful technologies have been developed. To harness the vast research expertise available in IISc in other thrust areas, there is a substantial need to expand the research scope of this center, inclusion of more research areas and to strongly engage with IISc for collaborative research and technology development. In view of this need, DRDO has signed an MoU with IISc, Bengaluru on 8th Feb 2021 for expanding the scope and objectives of the Joint Advanced Technology Program Center of Excellence (JATP-CoE) at IISc Bangalore for carrying out focused directed research with high impact deliverables in the following areas:

1. Aerospace System & Materials
2. High Temperature Materials
3. Micro & Nano Systems, Science and Technology
4. AI & Robotics
5. Quantum Technology

The search-cum-selection committee is looking for a suitable person for the post of Director, JATP-CoE at IISc Bengaluru.

Director, JATP-CoE will be appointed on a full-time basis. Director JATP-CoE is the administrative and executive head and would be responsible for the smooth functioning of JATP-CoE.

Interested persons having the following qualifications can email their detailed CV in PDF form to the undersigned **along with a brief statement of why they feel that they are well suited to this position**. Please send a single PDF file. Attachments, if any, should be a part of the single PDF file. Please use the subject line: "Application for Director, JATP-CoE" in your email. The attached PDF file should be named as <first name>.<last name>.pdf. Please provide your date of birth in the application. Persons working in full-time positions with government organizations may also submit a no-objection certificate from the parent organization.

Essential Qualifications: Eminent Professor, Technologist, or Scientist having at least 20 years of research experience in one of the above mentioned research verticals. Out of this, a minimum of 10 years of experience should be at a level of Professor or equivalent grade in Govt. of India.

Desirable Qualification: The person should have a wide ranging experience and excellent track record for carrying out research, collaborative projects, setting up of large research facilities, strategic research planning and technology transfer.

Age: The age of the applicant should be preferably below 62 years as on the closing date of receipt of applications of this advertisement.

Remuneration: Director JATP carries the scale of Professor / Technologist / Scientist (Level 14 / 14A / 15 in Govt. of India 'GoI') with minimum basic pay of 1,44,200/-. Other allowances are also admissible as per IISc norms. In case a person drawing salary in higher pay scale or retired from higher grade is selected, the pay will be protected as per GoI rules. For retired persons, the pension (excluding the ignorable portion of pension, if any) admissible on relevant date shall be deducted from his / her pay in accordance with the policy of the GoI.

Additional Incentives: Accommodation, medical benefits or any other incentives will be provided by IISc as per the eligibility and IISc norms.

References: Please provide contact details up to 3 references who may be contacted by search-cum-selection committee.

Duration: Full time position wherein the initial appointment would be for a period of 3 years. This period can be extended by the competent authority for additional 2 years subject to performance review. The position may be discontinued before 3 years by either side by giving a notice of 3 months without assigning reason.

Last date of receiving the application/CV is 15th February, 2022.

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