

(Engineering Sciences)

SHORTLISTING CRITERIA:

An applicant must fulfill the criteria listed in the table below in order to be eligible to be called for the interview.

Method adopted out of 1, 2 or 3 as per General Guidelines for Admission in Academic Programs at AcSIR: Method 1

S.N.	Category (separate criteria for each category in case Method 3 is adopted)	Shortlisting Criteria (Category-wise)
1.	General/EWS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Master's degree in Engineering or Technology (after a four-year engineering/technology degree or with an integrated 5-year B.Tech./M.Tech. degree or equivalent) with minimum 55% marks (without rounding off) or equivalent grade for General (UR)/General-EWS and minimum 50% marks (without rounding off) or equivalent grade for OBC (NCL)/SC/ST, Third gender and Persons with Disability (PwD). <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bachelor's in Engineering or Technology (B.E./B.Tech.) with minimum 75% marks (without rounding off) or equivalent grade for General (UR)/General-EWS and minimum 70% marks (without rounding off) or equivalent grade for OBC (NCL)/SC/ST, third gender and Persons with Disability (PwD) from the recognized University. ❖ A valid confirmed fellowship such as CSIR/UGC NET JRF, SRF, ICMR SRF, DBT JRF, CSIR-Scientist and eligible Technical Staff, etc. Or Sponsorship from Industry, Academic or Research Institutes. ❖ Students having valid confirmed INSPIRE fellowship. Provisional INSPIRE fellowship is also considered. ❖ Project Assistants working in the Institute who have been in temporary employment as a Project Assistant in a sanctioned R&D project in the same Institute for at least one year (one year will be determined as on the last date of admission confirmation by payment of fees, as notified by AcSIR for each Academic Session in which the Project Assistant intends to seek admission for Ph.D.), and can only apply with the prior permission of the PI of the project and concurrence of the Director of the Institute; ❖ Project Assistants who have qualified any PhD qualifying National Level Examination [NET (Category 2 and 3) as per public notice no.F.-1(UGC-NET Review Committee)/2024(NET)/140648 dated
2.	SC, ST	
3.	OBC	

		<p>March 27, 2024, GATE, BET, JEST, etc.], even without eligible fellowship, will be exempted from the eligibility criteria of having one publication;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Project Assistants who have not qualified any National Level Examination, will need to have at least one patent (Filed) or one publication in a SCI journal with substantial research contribution as a coauthor by the day of application; ❖ Self-sponsored candidates who are currently not engaged within the Institute (CSIR-NIIST). ❖ Based on the expertise / specialization available in the Institute.
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LIST OF SHORTLISTED CANDIDATES FOR INTERVIEW

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S.N.	App. No.	Candidate's Name	Category	Candidate's Qualifying Degree (e.g.:M.Tech. Biotechnology)	URL	Date and time of Interview	Reporting Time
1.	75610	Vidya Dcruz	OBC	M.Tech Food Technology (Food Process Engineering)	Through MS-Teams	09/06/2026	9:30 AM
2.	77059	Poornima Diwate	OBC	M.Tech Processing and Food Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
3.	78573	Bhavadharini B	General	M.Tech Food Process Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
4.	77928	Vishnu Karuppasamy V	General	M.Tech Biopharmaceutical Technology		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
5.	77881	Bhukya Venkatesh	ST	M.Tech Environment Science and Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
6.	77812	Neha B	OBC	M.Tech Pharmaceutical Chemistry and Technology		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
7.	77520	Angel K Shaji	General	M.Tech Food Technology		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
8.	77130	Upasana Roy Chowdhury	General	M.Tech Instrumentation and Control Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
9.	76698	Kasmira Yami N V	OBC	M.Tech Environmental Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
10.	76632	Gokulnath	OBC	M.Tech Industrial Biotechnology		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
11.	76567	Satyam Shivhare	OBC	M.Tech Environment Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
12.	76504	Aswini J S	OBC	M.Tech Biotechnology and Biochemical Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM

13.	76219	Saheli Das	OBC	M.Tech Food Engineering and Technology	Through MS-Teams	09/06/2026	9:30 AM
14.	75858	N S Akshata	General	M.Tech Food Safety and Quality Management		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
15.	75538	Sreelakshmi A S	EWS	M.Tech Biotechnology Medical Engineering (Biotechnology)		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
16.	75512	Raghuvendra Sagar	SC	M.Tech Biotechnology		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
17.	78903	Sanjib Dutta	General	M.Tech Computer Science and Engineering(AI & ML)		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
18.	78895	Saine Dehingia	General	M.Tech Computer Science and Engineering(Specialization In AI&ML)		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
19.	78870	Aathira Priya Dharshini S M	OBC	M.E Computer Science and Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
20.	78802	Narendraprasath S	SC	M.Tech Environmental Engineering and Management		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
21.	78633	Anurag Yadav	OBC	M.Tech CSE(AI&ML)		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
22.	78302	Mohammad Uzair	General	M.Tech Green Energy and Sustainable Development		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
23.	78264	Arnab Kumar Panda	General	M.Tech Processing and Food Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
24.	77961	David Livingstone D	General	M.E Applied Electronics		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
25.	77246	Alagu Sundaram.A	General	M.E Aeronautical Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
26.	77233	Clint Johny	General	M.Tech Technology Management		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
27.	76491	Tejal N R	General	M.Tech Remote Sensing and GIS		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
28.	76350	Pratima S Joshi	General	M.Tech Material Science and Technology		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
29.	76011	D Kaviyaranan	SC	M.E Structural Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
30.	75715	Fathima H	OBC	M.Tech Food Engineering and Technology		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
31.	75432	Vidya Balasubramanian	General	M.Tech Biotechnology		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
32.	75386	Deepti Tiwari	General	M.Tech Biotechnology		09/06/2026	9:30 AM

33.	75366	Utkarsh Kumar Singh	SC	M.Tech Bioprocess Engineering	Through MS-Teams	09/06/2026	9:30 AM
34.	75365	Sholapur Sessa Sai Abhishek	General	M.Tech Computer Science and Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
35.	79025	Prateek Mishra	EWS	M.Tech Biochemical Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
36.	77726	Kavalla Prasanna	SC	Integrated B.Tech.-M.Tech. Computer Science and Engineering (Cyber Security)		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
37.	76541	Akshatha	OBC	M.Tech Biomedical Engineering		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
38.	75910	Saigaonkar Chirantan Sandip	General	M.Tech Food Engineering and Technology		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
39.	77968	Lakshmipriya A	OBC	M.Sc Environmental Science and Technology		09/06/2026	9:30 AM
40.	76066	Rajalakshmi G	General	M.Sc Food Science(Food Biotechnology)		09/06/2026	9:30 AM

Instructions/information for Short-listed Candidates:

1. Candidates shortlisted for interviews shall be required to appear for interview in hybrid mode only.
2. Candidates who may attend the interview through online video mode will get the **URL: will be sent by mail before interview date.** provided by the Lab against his/her name on the designated date & time.
3. Candidates shall ensure the Internet Connectivity, Web Cam & necessary software's at their level to attend the online interview. AcSIR shall not be responsible for any connectivity failure or communication faults in the Web-mode interview.
4. Candidates who have applied with JRF/SRF/INSPIRE fellowship must have a valid and tenable fellowship.
5. Candidates must confirm their attending the interview by sending a Statement of Purpose (SOP) by email to coordinator.niist@acsir.res.in immediately not later than **02/06/2026.**
6. For any query please contact coordinator.niist@acsir.res.in
7. Since document verification process cannot be followed in the web-mode interviews, all shortlisting, selection etc. would be provisional subject to verification of all relevant documents. In case of any deficiency of any type in the documents, the candidature would automatically stand cancelled any time on finding such a deficiency
