



PERIYAR UNIVERSITY

State University – NAAC A++ Grade – NIRF Rank 94
State Public University Rank 40 - SDG Institutions Rank Band: 11-50
Salem – 636011, Tamil Nadu, India

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE



Re-Advertisement for the Post of Research Assistant under ICSSR Major Research Project at Periyar University

Applications are invited from eligible Indian Nationals only for the following position in the ICSSR-sponsored major research project entitled: **“Quantifying and Reducing Pre- and Post-Consumer Food Waste in Restaurants: Analyzing Key Drivers, Consumer Behaviour, and Sustainable Strategies for Effective Food Waste Management”** (Sanctioned by ICSSR, New Delhi – File No. 140/2024-25/ICSSR/RP/MJ/GEN)

Name of the Post	Research Assistant (Full Time)
Number of Positions	One
Fellowship	₹37,000/- per month (as per ICSSR Guidelines)
Tenure of the Post	14 months
Essential Qualifications	Postgraduate in Social Science discipline with minimum 55% marks and NET/M.Phil/Ph.D.
Age Limit	30 years maximum

1. Applicants should note that the appointments to be made are **purely temporary**, and they have no right for claiming any regular appointment in the University.
2. **No TA/DA** will be paid for attending the interview or at the time of joining.
3. **Last date** of receiving application is **08.12.2025** at **5:00 p.m.**
4. Applications should be sent to drkavithacom2013@periyaruniversity.ac.in in the prescribed format. Incomplete applications will be rejected.
5. For further enquiry, you may contact the **Project Director** at **+91-8220900414**.

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Assistant Professor of Commerce
Periyar University, Salem – 636011

APPLICATION FORM FOR RESEARCH ASSISTANT POSITION

(Under ICSSR Major Research Project 2024-2025)

1. Personal Details

1. Full Name (in BLOCK letters):

2. Date of Birth:

3. Age (as on closing date):

4. Sex (M/F):

5. Marital Status:

6. Nationality:

7. Category: OC / OBC / SC / ST / Others (specify):

8. Differently-abled (if any): Yes / No

9. Father's / Mother's Name:

10. Address for Correspondence:

11. Permanent Address:

12. Mobile No.:

13. E-mail ID:

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2. Academic Qualifications

Examination	University/ College	Year of Passing	Subjects	% Marks / GPA	Division /Class
Bachelor's Degree					
Master's Degree (Social Science discipline)					
M.Phil/Ph.D. (if any)					
NET Qualification (if applicable)					

3. Research / Professional Experience

Details of previous research/teaching/project experience (if any):

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4. Publications (if any)

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5. References

(Provide two referees who can certify your academic/research credentials)

1.

Designation:

Institution:

E-mail: Phone: ~~~~~

2.

Designation:

Institution:

E-mail: Phone:

6. Declaration

I hereby declare that all the information provided above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that the appointment is purely temporary, project-specific, and does not entitle me to any claim for regular employment in Periyar University.

Date:

Place:

Signature of the Applicant