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Selection of Spices Research Trainee at Indian Cardamom Research Institute, Myladumpara, Idukki, Kerala [Exclusively for Scheduled Caste(SC)/Scheduled Tribe(ST) Candidates]		
No. of Trainees required	SRT(Spice Research Trainee)	
	Agronomy/Soil Science Division	2 Nos.
	Plant Pathology Division	3 Nos.
	Entomology Division	2 Nos.
Stipend	Rs.21,000/per month	
Training Location	Indian Cardamom Research Institute ICRI), Spices Board, Myladumpara, Kailasanadu P.O. Idukki, Kerala –685553 Ph: 04868 -237206, 237207	
Qualification	<p><u>Agronomy & Soil Science</u> Essential: M.Sc.Agronomy/SoilScience/Biochemistry/Chemistry/ Horticulture with minimum 55% marks. Desirable: Working knowledge in computer and experience in related field.</p> <p><u>Plant Pathology</u> Essential: M.Sc. in Agriculture (Plant Pathology)/ M.Sc. Microbiology/ M.Sc. Botany/ M.Sc. Horticulture with minimum 55% marks. Desirable: Working knowledge in computer and experience in related field</p> <p><u>Entomology</u> Essential: M.Sc. Agricultural Entomology, M.Sc Zoology, M.Sc Horticulture, M.Sc. Nematology, M.Sc. Sericulture, M.Sc. Environmental sciences, M.Sc. Forestry, MSc Agri. Microbiology, MSc Microbiology, MSc Horticulture, M.Sc./M.tech.Agri–Biotechnology, M.Sc.Agri. Extension, M.Sc. Agri. Plant Pathology with minimum 55% marks. Desirable: Working knowledge in computer and experience in related field.</p>	
Age	Not more than 30 Years as on date of application.	
Skills & Competencies	<u>Agronomy , Soil Science & Plant Pathology</u> Recording field observations, monitoring and maintenance of germ-plasam etc.	

	<p>Knowledge in computer applications, working knowledge in data analysis, interpretation of results and report preparation etc.</p> <p>Entomology Recording field observations, monitoring and maintenance of research trial plots, Bio-control Agent production etc.</p> <p>Knowledge in computer applications, working knowledge in data analysis, interpretation of results and report preparation etc.</p>
Period of training	Two years. Initial period of training is one year and further extension for one more year based on review of performance.
Leave Eligibility	One day per month.
Activities during training period	Assisting the Scientists for recording data, Mass production of Bio-agents, Handling GC/ HPLC/Analysis of soil and plant samples, Assisting in executing experiments and recording of observations, Germplasm Characterization & documentation etc.
Method of selection	Screening based on all the essential qualifications as per Notification followed by Written test.
Date ,Time and Venue of Walk-in Test	<p>Date - --10 July 2025- Time - --11.00 AM Venue - Indian Cardamom Research Institute Spices Board, Kailasanadu P.O. Myladumpara, Idukki Kerala – 685553 Ph: 04868 -237206, 237207</p> <p>Candidates shall report at the venue one hour before the commencement of walk in test for verification of original certificates as per Notification.</p>
Instructions to the candidates	<p>Candidates appearing for the screening test should bring the originals of the following:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Passport size photograph 2. Original certificates for <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Identity proof (Voter card, Aadhaar card, Passport, etc.) b) Proof of Age c) Caste Certificate d) Proof of educational qualification and training e) Publications, if any 3. One set of self-attested photocopies of the above mentioned certificates. 4. Duly filled application form-Annexure I <p>The number of requirements indicated is provisional and may vary at the time of selection. The Board reserves the right to short- list applications for the second level test if required.</p>

	<p>Those who have undergone training in Spices Board earlier, need not apply again regardless of completed their training or not.</p> <p>The selection as SRT in Spices Board is only training and under no circumstances is linked to regular appointments and cannot be regularized at any stage.</p> <p>The validity of the rank list will be for two years only.</p>
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Applications, with Passport size photo (less than 50 kb) & Copy of mark sheets/ PG/UG Certificates, caste certificate, proof of age may be forwarded to sbicriadmin2021@gmail.com.

Date : 20-06-2025

Director Admin i/c

Hindi version follows:-

Details to be sent via email & walk in test

The details may be sent in ".doc/.docx/.xls" format by email with subject as "**Application for Spices Research Trainee at ICRI, Myladumpara**" to sbicriadmn2021@gmail.com

ANNEXURE I

	Name of the training	SRT inDivision		
1.	Name:			
2.	Father/Guardian Name:			
3.	Gender:	Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Female <input type="checkbox"/>	Transgender <input type="checkbox"/>
4.	Age & Date of Birth: (DD/MM/YY)			
5.	Marital status:			
6.	Religion:			
7.	Category(SC/ST):			
8.	Nationality:			
9.	ID proof:			
10	Phone no.:			
	Alternate no.:			
11.	Email id:			
12.	Address for communication:			
13.	Permanent Address:			
14.	Educational Qualification(Copies may be enclosed as attachment):			
	Exam	Specialization/Subject	University/ Institute	Year of passing
				Percentage/ GPA
15.	Details of experience(if any) (copies may be enclosed as attachment):			
16.	Any other relevant information:			

Declaration:

I hereby declare that the information furnished above are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I am in possession of the documents in proof of the claim made in this application.

Date:
Place:

Signature :
(NAME)