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No. 297/MIC/2025 17-03-2025

Notification for the Post of Project Assistant

Applications are invited for a temporary position of a **Project Assistant** to work on a **Kairali Research Awards Project** funded by KSHEC, Govt. of Kerala, at the Department of English, Mar Ivanios College (Autonomous), Nalanchira, Thiruvananthapuram 695015, Kerala, India.

The project has been sanctioned vide. Proc. Order No. KSHEC-A3/352/Kairali Research Award 2022-23/448(A)/2024, TVPM dated 24.10.2024 of KSHEC.

Project Title	Cricketing Celebrity and Mediated Indianness, 1952-2024: The Changing
- 10,000 21110	Intersections of Nation, Market, and (Transnational) Fame
Principal	Dr Rakesh R
Investigator	Assistant Professor
	Department of English
	Mar Ivanios College (Autonomous)
	Nalanchira
	Thiruvananthapuram 695015
	Email: rakesh.r@mic.ac.in Ph: 9995341604
Project Duration	2 years
No. of Posts	1
Fellowship	Rs. 25,000/- per month (as per KSHEC guidelines)
Age	Below 28 years as on 17.03.2025
	(Age relaxation applicable for eligible categories)
Qualification	Essential: M.A. in English
	Desirable: UGC NET, track record of publications and presentations
Job Description	The project involves study of celebrity and fan cultures of Indian cricket
•	through archival work and field work. Therefore, candidates with
	experience/aptitude in such areas as popular culture studies, celebrity studies,
	and fan studies will be given preference.

Eligible and interested candidates shall send their complete CV (mentioning personal details, academic qualifications, research experience, publications and names of two referees) as a <u>PDF document</u> to <u>rakesh.r@mic.ac.in</u> on or before 31.03.2025. The interview date and details will be intimated to the shortlisted candidates via email.

Conditions

- 1. The appointment will be on a purely temporary basis and shall be co-terminus with the duration of the Kairali Research Project.
- 2. The decision of the selection committee shall be final.
- 3. Depending on the number of total applicants, the selection committee may decide to limit the number of candidates to be called for interview on the basis of the qualifications of the applicants.
- 4. The selected candidate will have to join immediately on receipt of the offer.
- 5. The appointment is for 1 year initially and is subject to renewal depending on the performance of the candidate and the requirements of the project.

Principal Investigator

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