

Opportunity for a Master Degree by Research (MPhil)

Department of Botany

Faculty of Science, University of Kelaniya

Position: Research Assistant (Full time)

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for a **post of Research Assistant** to recruit immediately for NRC funded research project on “Genetic diversity and cultivar development of Dendrobiums integrating classical and molecular biological tools”. The selected candidate is required to register for **MPhil degree** in the FGS, University of Kelaniya and is expected to work efficiently to complete the programme within the stipulated time.

Qualification and background:

- BSc (special) degree in Botany /Plant science / Plant Molecular biology/ Plant Biotechnology with a first class or second class (upper division)
- Having experience in Plant Molecular biological techniques; Gene cloning / Gene expression analysis will be an added qualification
- Ideal candidate should have proficiency in English language both oral and written

Salary: 40,000 p.m.

Duration: 2 years

How to apply:

Brief Curriculum Vitae and information of two nonrelated referees should be emailed to Dr (Ms) Harshani Herath, harshi@kln.ac.lk on or before 15th May 2018.

11th April 2018