



**CENTRAL SILK BOARD**  
**Ministry of Textiles – Government Of India**  
CSB Complex, BTM Layout, Madiwala,  
Bengaluru – 560 068, Karnataka  
website – [www.csb.gov.in](http://www.csb.gov.in)

**Advt. No.– CSB/01/2024**

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**BRIEF ADVERTISEMENT**

**Central Silk Board (CSB)**, is a Statutory body established in 1948 by an Act of Parliament. It is working under the administrative control of Ministry of Textiles, Government of India, is engaged in undertaking, assisting and encouraging scientific, technological and economic research to improve levels of income in sericulture through spread of scientific sericulture practices to see India emerge as the leader in the world market for silk and advise the Central Government on development of silk industry.

The Department of Personnel & Training, Govt. of India has issued guidelines to utilize the results of Scores based on examinations conducted by Public Agencies and Ministry of Textiles has also issued similar guidelines to Central Silk Board.

Accordingly, Central Silk Board **INTENDS** to recruit candidates for filling up of vacancies by **DIRECT RECRUITMENT** for Scientist-B posts at CSB Headquarter and its Offices located in the country by short listing candidates for interview in the Subject/specialization & overall score secured by the candidates in the ICAR AICE-JRF/SRF (Ph.D.) – 2024 exams which will be conducted during 2024, as per the details given below :

Name of the Post : Scientist-B (Pre-Cocoon Sector)  
Group & Level of pay : A & Level-10 (Rs. 56100-177500)  
No. of Posts : 122 (One hundred and twenty two)  
[20-SC, 9-ST, 31-OBC, 12-EWS, 50-General]  
{including 8 posts reserved of PwBD}  
Specialization : As mentioned below

Core Group	Subjects / Specialization	Master Degree Eligibility Qualifications for CSB recruitment based on ICAR-NET	SC	ST	OBC	EWS	UR	Total	PwBD
Crop Sciences-I	Genetics & Plant Breeding	Genetics and/or Plant Breeding	--	--	1	--	2	3	--
	Plant Genetic Resources	Plant Genetic Resources/Botany/ Agricultural Botany	1	--	1	--	1	3	--

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			SC	ST	OBC	EWS	UR		
Crop Sciences-II	Sericulture	Sericulture only	8	3	11	4	17	43	4
	Entomology	Agricultural Entomology/ Entomology/Plant Protection/Zoology with specialization in Entomology	2	1	5	4	5	17	2
	Plant Pathology	Plant Pathology/Plant Protection with specialization in Plant Pathology	--	--	1	--	1	2	--
Crop Sciences-III	Plant Physiology	Plant Physiology/ Crop Physiology	--	1	--	--	1	2	--
	Molecular Biology & Biotechnology	Agricultural Biotechnology/ Biotechnology/ Molecular Biology & Biotechnology	1	--	1	--	2	4	--
Veterinary & Animal Sciences-I	Animal Nutrition	Zoology/Veterinary Science with specialization in Animal/Silkworm Nutrition	--	--	1	1	1	3	--
Natural Resource Management-I	Forestry	Forestry / Agroforestry with specialization in Agroforestry	1	--	2	--	2	5	--
	Agricultural physics	Geographic Information System (GIS) / Remote Sensing/ Geo- informatics	--	--	1	--	1	2	--
	Environmental Science	Environmental Science only	--	--	--	--	1	1	--
Natural Resource Management-II	Agronomy	Agriculture with specialization in Agronomy	2	1	1	1	3	8	1
	Soil Science	Agriculture/Horticulture with specialization in Soil Science/Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry	1	--	1	--	2	4	--

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Agriculture Economics & Agri-business Management	Agricultural Economics	Agricultural Economics only	--	1	--	1	2	4	--
	Agri- business Management	Agribusiness Management/Agricultural Marketing & Co- operation/ Business Management with specialization in Agriculture	--	--	--	--	1	1	--
Agricultural Extension	Agricultural Extension Education	Agricultural Extension/Extension Education	2	1	2	1	4	10	1
Agricultural Statistics	Agricultural Statistics	Agricultural Statistics / Biostatistics	1	1	2	--	3	7	--
Agricultural Engineering & Technology	Farm Machinery and Power Engineering	Agricultural Engineering with specialization in Farm Machinery & Power/Renewable Energy	1	--	1	--	1	3	--
	<b>Total</b>		<b>20</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>8</b>

**Note :** The number of posts indicated is tentative and it may change during detailed advertisement.

Applicants should appear for the **ICAR AICE-JRF/SRF (Ph.D.) – 2024 examination (in all sections/parts) as per Core and Specialized subjects indicated above** in order to become eligible for applying for the post of scientist-B (Pre-Cocoon Sector) under Central Silk Board.

Applicants are advised to apply for ICAR AICE-JRF/SRF (Ph.D.) – 2024 examination online through the website <https://icar.nta.nic.in/>. When the same is notified on the ICAR-NET website.

**Applicants are advised to refer to the website of Central Silk Board : [www.csb.gov.in](http://www.csb.gov.in) under “Job Opportunities” and read the INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS appended to the Advertisement before applying for the ICAR AICE-JRF/SRF (Ph.D.) – 2024 examination**

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### **INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS**

Applicants should carefully read the “*ICAR AICE-JRF/SRF(Ph.D) – 2024 Bulletin*” (available at: <https://icar.nta.nic.in/information-bulletin/>). No other Score/Year will be accepted.

Applicants appearing for AICE- JRF/SRF(Ph.D) – 2024 in response to this advertisement will be required to ensure that he/she fulfills the eligibility requirements in the ICAR AICE-JRF/SRF(Ph.D) – 2024 Bulletin for the examination only as required to appear in AICE-JRF/SRF(Ph.D) – 2024 as per their reservation status.

Applicants applying on-line to ICAR AICE-JRF/SRF (Ph.D.) – 2024 solely for recruitment in response to this notice are to note that data under the “**Graduate Qualification Details-Duration**” column in the on-line application will be ignored and applicants should select “10+2+4” by default as it relates to eligibility for admission purposes only. All information as it relates to **Essential Qualification for the post of Scientist-B** should be correctly entered.

CSB will utilize ICAR AICE-JRF/SRF (Ph.D.) – 2024 scores only to shortlist applicants for recruitment and will have no role whatsoever in the admissions/counseling etc for admission/fellowship to any course etc and CSB shall not be responsible for any candidate not securing admission/fellowship etc..

Applicants will compulsorily be required to fulfill the eligibility as per criteria of Central Silk Board for the posts of Scientist-B and should refer to the **Provisional Recruitment Policy** (<http://csb.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/Scientific-Recruitment-Policy1.pdf>) displayed on CSB website ([www.csb.gov.in](http://www.csb.gov.in)) under 'Job Opportunities' for further details regarding educational qualification, age , relaxations, experience, special concessions etc.

It should be noted that merely appearing for the ICAR AICE-JRF/SRF (Ph.D.) – 2024 in response to this advertisement will not confer any right on the applicant for being shortlisted/recommended at any stage of the process of recruitment and candidate shall have to appear at ICAR AICE-JRF/SRF (Ph.D.) – 2024 at their own expense & risk.

Applicants will be required to submit their applications for the Posts online separately through Central Silk Board website when the detailed advertisement is published along with the link for submission of online application for the posts of Scientist-B in due course.

**Eligibility Criteria for Scientist-B (Pre-cocoon sector) :**

- Essential Qualification** : Master’s degree in Science or Master’s degree in Agricultural Sciences from a recognized University.
- Age** : Not exceeding 35 year as on last date of detailed advertisement when it will be published.
- Crucial date for determining age, qualification etc.** : As on last date of detailed advertisement when it will be published.

Applicants are advised to apply for ICAR AICE-JRF/SRF (Ph.D.) – 2024 examination online through the website <https://icar.nta.nic.in/> when it is notified in the ICAR website.

Any clarifications required can be sought only by email at [jobs.csb@nic.in](mailto:jobs.csb@nic.in)



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Member Secretary