



# Centre for Inter Disciplinary Studies

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Advertisement for the post of Project Staff – Research Assistant and Project Interns under NITK/KREC Endowment fund project titled “NITHRA: NITK Humanoid Robotic Assistant”. Applications are invited from eligible Indian nationals for the post of **Project Staff – Research Assistant** (01 Nos) and **Project Interns** (04 Nos) in a time-bound project undertaken in the department of the Centre for Interdisciplinary Studies, NITK. The details are as follows.

SI No	Position	Essential Qualification	Desirable Qualification	No. of Positions	Remuneration	Age Limit
1	Project Staff – Research Assistant	Undergraduate or Graduate in the field of Engineering	B.E. / B. Tech / Diploma in Mechanical Engineering /Electronics & Communication Engineering/Electrical and Electronics Engineering/ Instrumentation and Control Engineering / Robotics and Artificial Intelligence/Mechatronics Engineering / Manufacturing Engineering	01	35,000/- + HRA (if applicable)	35
2	Project Interns	Undergraduate or Graduate students in the field of Engineering/Self-Sponsored MTech students	B.E/B.Tech/Diploma students in Mechanical Engineering with knowledge of product development, proficiency in 3D design/modelling using Autodesk Inventor/ solidworks and hands-on experience in automation.	02	9000/- + HRA (if applicable)	30
3	Project Technical Support - II	Undergraduate or Graduate in the field of Engineering	B.E/B.Tech/Diploma students in Electronics and Communication or Electrical and Electronics Engineering or Computer Science with knowledge of microcontrollers and hands-on experience in automation and NLP.	02	9000/- + HRA (if applicable)	30

Duration of appointment – 11 months from the date of joining. The Principal Investigator (PI) of the project reserves the right to terminate the appointment at any time based on performance.

Interested candidates are invited to send a detailed CV along with scanned copies of relevant certificates, publications, etc. to Dr Mervin Joe Thomas, [mervinthomas@nitk.edu.in](mailto:mervinthomas@nitk.edu.in) on or before 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2026. In the subject of the mail, please mention applying, for example, “Application for Project Staff – Research Assistant or Project Intern. The shortlisted candidates will be informed via email/Phone to attend the interview in person at NITK Surathkal. NITK Surathkal reserves the right to reject any or all the application/s without assigning any reasons.