

## **Instructions to fill up the application**

### **Scope & support of BIRAC Innovation Fellowship**

- It is for marketable Innovation in Biotechnology Sector
- Focus areas of Anna University UIC are:

#### **Healthcare Diagnostics and Bioprocess Technology**

- BIRAC Innovation Fellowships:
  - Post Docs: Rs. 50,000/- per month and BIRAC Innovation Grant of Rs. 5,00,000/- per year
  - Post Masters: Rs. 30,000/- per month and BIRAC Innovation Grant of Rs. 2,00,000/- per year.
  - Grant period is 2 years
- Mentoring support and Project monitoring by UIC, BIRAC and Industry

### **Who can apply:**

Applicants who have completed their Masters and Ph.D. on OR after 1<sup>st</sup> January 2013 for Post Master and Post Doctoral Fellowship respectively. Kindly refer the BIRAC Innovation Fellows eligibility criteria for Qualifications.

### **How to Apply**

Proposal under UIC scheme has to be submitted by both hard copy and soft copy in the format "Application for the Award of BIRAC Innovation Fellowship" available in the website.

The softcopy of the proposal should be sent to [uicbau@gmail.com](mailto:uicbau@gmail.com)

The signed hardcopy of the proposal should be sent to the following address:

Chief Coordinator,  
University Innovation Cluster,  
Centre for Biotechnology,  
Anna University, Chennai 600025

**Submission closes on 18<sup>th</sup> July 2016**

**Both the softcopy and Hardcopy should reach before the closing date**

**Candidates who have already applied need not apply again.**

## BIRAC Innovation Fellows eligibility criteria

### Focus Area – 1: Healthcare Diagnostics

Sl.No.	Manpower	Qualifications
1	<b>Post Doc Fellowship (Health care Diagnostics).</b> <b>No of posts: 1</b> <b>Stipend Amount: Rs.50000/- per month (Consolidated).</b>	<b>Essential:</b> PhD in areas of Biotechnology/Biomedical Engineering / Life Science / Clinical medicines / Bio chemistry / Bio Physics/ Pharmaceutical technology & allied disciplines.  <b>Desirable:</b> PhD Thesis should be related to healthcare with laboratory validation of diagnostic method or tool/ Candidates with industrial experience in the field of proposed work / people sponsored by the industry.
Sl.No.	Manpower	Qualifications
1	<b>Post Graduate Fellowship (Health care Diagnostics).</b> <b>No of posts: 2</b> <b>Stipend Amount: Rs.30000/- per month (Consolidated).</b>	<b>Essential:</b> Masters in areas of Biotechnology/Biomedical Engineering / Life Science / Clinical medicines / Bio chemistry / Bio Physics/ Pharmaceutical technology & allied disciplines.  <b>Desirable:</b> Master Thesis should be related to healthcare with preliminary experimental evidence of commercially viable diagnostic lead/ Candidates with industrial experience in the field of proposed work / people sponsored by the industry.

### Focus Area – 2: Bioprocess Technology

Sl.No.	Manpower	Qualifications
1	<b>Post Doc Fellowship (Bio Process Technology).</b> <b>No of posts: 1</b> <b>Stipend Amount: Rs.50000/- per month (Consolidated).</b>	<b>Essential:</b> PhD in areas of Biotechnology/Chemical Engineering / Life Science / Chemistry / Food Technology / Pharmaceuticals & allied disciplines.  <b>Desirable:</b> PhD Thesis should be related to proof of concept in Bioprocess of Commercially important intermediate / final product/Candidates with industrial experience in the field of proposed work / people sponsored by the industry.
Sl.No.	Manpower	Qualifications
1	<b>Post Graduate Fellowship (Bio Process Technology).</b> <b>No of posts: 2 Post</b> <b>Stipend Amount: Rs.30000/- per month (Consolidated).</b>	<b>Essential:</b> Masters in areas of Biotechnology/Chemical Engineering / Life Science / Chemistry / Food Technology/ Pharmaceutical technology & allied disciplines.  <b>Desirable:</b> Master Thesis should be based on idea and experimentation for commercial viability/Candidates with industrial experience in the field of proposed work / people sponsored by the industry.

