The DBT Welcome Biomedical Research Fellowships for Intermediate and Senior categories

The Wellcome Trust/DBT India Alliance (India Alliance) is an independent, dynamic public charity that funds research in health and biomedical sciences in India. The organisation invests in transformative ideas and supportive research ecosystems to advance discovery and innovation to improve health and well-being. India Alliance is funded by the Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Government of India and the Wellcome Trust, UK. The DBT offers three fellowships under the ‘Basic Biomedical Research Fellowships’ scheme including early career, intermediate and senior fellowships.

The senior fellowship is given to researchers who have demonstrated their ability to lead an independent research programme and would expand it further to undertake pioneering research, while as, the intermediate fellowship are meant for postdoctoral fellows who have been successful in building a track record of pursuing cutting-edge research and wish to establish their own independent research programme in India.

The Welcome Trust/DBT India Alliance invites applications under senior and intermediate fellowship category. The fellowships are available for full spectrum biomedical research under the remit of India Alliance which supports biomedical research that is relevant to human and...
animal welfare. The scheme also supports interdisciplinary research of immense importance to mankind.

Researchers from basic sciences, veterinary sciences and life sciences with 4 to 15 years of post Ph.D. research experience are eligible to compete for the fellowship. The applicants are recommended to choose a suitable scheme as per the required qualifications, work experience, track record, and research objectives. The scheme has no age bars or nationality requirements. Researcher, who intends to avail the scheme, must be ready to relocate to India for work.

The 5 year Welcome Trust/DBT India Alliance fellowship offers aggregative private salary assistance, and flexible and generous funding for development of global collaborations. The proposals submitted must try to answer original biomedical research question. The candidates can avail application forms from the India Alliance online application System (IASys) at https://grants.indiaalliance.org/Login.aspx.

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