



# GENOME FOUNDATION

*People's Foundation with People's Participation*

## INFORMATION BROCHURE FOR DISSERTATION & SUMMER TRAINING PROGRAMME

Genome Foundation is a **non-profit organisation** set up with the aim of **diagnosing and treating genetic disorders** along with **training students** to promote and aid in the development of science. **Main objective for training is to create an awareness in the students with the present state of life sciences, in particular the underprivileged residing in areas with less research facility and awareness.** The foundation has on its board of directors renowned individuals like **Dr Lalji Singh Padma Shree Father of DNA Fingerprinting in India, Former Director Centre for Cellular and Molecular Biology (CCMB, Hyderabad) & Vice Chancellor of Banaras Hindu University (BHU) Varanasi, Dr P.M. Bhargava (Former and Founder Director of CCMB), Dr M.S. Swaminathan (Chairman, M.S. Swaminathan Research Foundation, Chennai), Dr K. Kasturirangan (Former Chairman ISRO), Dr C. Rangarajan (Former Chairman of the Prime Ministers Economic Advisory Council, New Delhi), Dr M.W. Pandit (Former Scientist at CCMB, Hyderabad), Dr. K.P.C. Gandhi (Former Director of Andhra Pradesh State Forensic Laboratory, Hyderabad), Shri B. Mohandoss (Director, HR NET Consultants Pvt. Ltd, Hyderabad) and few others.**

**GENOME FOUNDATION HYDERABAD, INVITES APPLICATIONS FOR DISSERTATION PROGRAMME (6 MONTHS) FROM 15<sup>th</sup> JANUARY TO 15<sup>th</sup> JULY, 2016**

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**SUMMER TRAINING PROGRAMME (3 MONTHS) FROM 15<sup>th</sup> MAY TO 15<sup>th</sup> AUGUST, 2016.**

### Summer Training Programme

- Genome Foundation aims to provide technical as well as hands-on training and research experience in various cellular, molecular & microbiology to interested candidates.
- Selected trainees will be executing their assigned project work under the guidance of Experts.
- The trainees will have to submit a 'Project Report' and also make an oral presentation of their project work towards the end of the training programme for getting a certificate.

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## **Dissertation Programme**

- Candidates willing to execute Dissertation at the Genome foundation have to choose a module from Syllabus and follow the instructions of the module.
- Dissertation program will be for six months starting from 15<sup>th</sup> January
- Candidates can complete their dissertation work using their own collection of samples and utilizing the modern facilities and guidance available at the Genome Foundation.
- The trainees will have to submit a 'Project Report' and also make an oral presentation of their project work towards the end of the training programme for getting a certificate.

## **Eligibility Criteria:**

- Students with background of B.Sc. / M.Sc. / B. Tech./ M.Tech. (Biotechnology) are eligible to apply.
- Selected candidates are expected to have cleared their final exams before joining the programme and thus are required to bring the documentary proof for the same at the time of joining. Those students, whose results may be awaited at that time, will have to provide a certificate from their college/ institute certifying that the student has appeared for the final exams, and that the results are yet to be declared.
- All selected trainees are required to submit a certificate from their Head of the Department/ competent authority of their Institute/College/University that they would spend a minimum of 60 days ( Summer training), and 150 days (Dissertation) without any break at Genome Foundation to meet the requirements to get a certificate.

## **Application procedure:**

All eligible students are requested to download and fill the Application form and send it along with the Statement of Purpose, Curriculum Vitae and a certificate from their Institute by scanning and send through email at [genomefoundation@gmail.com](mailto:genomefoundation@gmail.com), Alternatively students can also send a completed hardcopy of the application form and xerox of all the required documents like application form, statement of purpose, certificate from college, reference letter along with all the details at the Genome Foundation address of which can be found in the application form.

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## Selection Process:

- A committee constituted by the Managing Director, Genome Foundation will select the trainees.
- The selection of the trainees is **purely on merit** and based on (i) **his/her academic record** (ii) **statement of purpose** and (iii) recommendation/Reference Letter.
- The number of trainees intake will depend upon the availability of bench space.
- The decision of Genome Foundation with regards to the selection of candidates shall be final. Canvassing in any form and /or bringing in any influence, political or otherwise, will be treated as a disqualification.
- Students have to pay half of the amount of money on the date of joining and rest after one month of joining.

**NOTE: Selected candidates will be informed via mail or SMS within 15 days from the last date of registration. They have to send a demand draft of Rupees 500/- in favor of Genome Foundation payable at Hyderabad (address can be found on application form) for the confirmation of their seat and obtaining their Identity Cards.**

## About Accommodation

- All the selected candidates are required to find their own accommodation and self-finance their stay. Staff of the Genome Foundation will certainly assist the students in finding a suitable accommodation if it is needed.

## Duration of course:

Course	Duration	Fee in Rupees	Last Date of Registration
Dissertation	6-7 months	35,000/-	02-Jan-2016
Summer Training	3 months	25000/-	15-Mar-2016

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