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List of shortlisted candidates for training will be displayed on TFRI website <http://tfri.icfre.gov.in> and attempts may also be made to send confirmation by Email

Applications along with biodata, attested copy of M.Sc. Marksheet (appearing candidates enclose Illrd Sem marksheet) and application fee may be sent to the Course Director at the given address by speed/ registered post or by hand in the prescribed format given below:

**Application Form**

Applicant's name.....  
Qualification.....  
Biodata (enclose).....  
Marksheet (enclose attested copy of MSc. Marksheet).....  
Application fee (As postal order/DD/Cash).....  
Postal address for communication  
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e-mail id.....  
Mobile No.....  
Date.....  
Place Signature

**Systematics of Animals**  
Short term training programme on  
**Taxonomy of Animal Kingdom**

**5-9<sup>th</sup> December 2016**

**Organized by**



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## About Us

Tropical Forest Research Institute (TFRI), Jabalpur is one of the premier institutes under the Indian Council of Forestry Research & Education, Dehradun (an autonomous body under Ministry of Environment and Forests, Govt. of India). It was established as a regional center of Forest Research Institute, Dehradun in 1973 and became a full fledged institute in April 1988 with a mandate to conduct research on Non Wood Forest Products, Agroforestry, Forest protection, Biofertilizers and biopesticides, Rehabilitation & climate change, seed improvement and Planting stock improvement etc. The Institute is well equipped with modern analytical instruments and implements its mandate of research programme through competent scientists, forest officers and trained technical personnel placed in nine research divisions and one satellite centre 'Centre for Forestry Research and Human Resource Development' at Chhindwara, Madhya Pradesh. TFRI caters to the overall research needs of forests of four central Indian states, viz. Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Maharashtra and Orissa, in particular, and specific issues of forests and forestry sector confronting India, in general.

## Biodiversity of TFRI campus

The area of TFRI campus has semi-arid type of climate with mean annual precipitation of 1350 mm, surrounded by agricultural fields and sharing boundary with Gour River. The campus of the institute is rich in floral diversity (170 species of trees, herbs, shrubs, climbers and grasses), which provides an abode to the local fauna, further adding to the bio-diversity of the campus. Gour River and plantations of the TFRI estate provide a mosaic of habitats for the local fauna, 66 species of butterflies, 48 species of dragonflies and damselflies, along with 140 species of local and migratory birds adds to the beauty of the campus. The institute has a rich botanical garden, insectry, medicinal plant nursery and herbarium.

## About training

Knowing the biodiversity around us is first step towards conservation. The training aims at creating awareness about the biodiversity in our surrounding and imparts training to students in science of taxonomy.

## Training course content

The training program includes field trips and lectures on taxonomy and identification of Algae, Fungi, Bryophytes, Pteridophytes and Higher plants. Lectures will be delivered by experts on biodiversity conservation, ecology, preserving bio-cultural heritage and medicinal plants.

- Identification and taxonomic classification of Insects, Butterflies, Dragonflies, Moths, Birds, Mammals and Herpatofauna
- Wildlife management and conservation
- Field identification of Insects, Butterflies, Dragonflies, Moths, Birds, Mammals and Herpatofauna
- Hands on training on collection, pinning and preservation of insect specimen and spiders
- Field visits for identification of local fauna

## Eligibility criteria

M.Sc. Students and Research Scholars in Zoology, Ecology Environment Science / Forestry and Agriculture from a recognized university are eligible to participate in the training.

**No. of participants per batch: 20**

## Training fee per participant

Rs. 4000/- (Rupees four thousand only).  
Training fees may be paid in cash or through Demand Draft favoring "Director, TFRI, Jabalpur" payable at Jabalpur.

## Accommodation

Boarding and lodging may be provided separately on payment basis in Rest House/ Hostel of the Institute, if requested. Rent for lodging will be Rs. 145/- per day per room on shared basis and for boarding the rent will be Rs. 200/- per day (including morning tea, breakfast, lunch, evening tea & dinner). Thus, a total of Rs. 1725/- (rupees one thousand seven hundred twenty five only) will be required more in addition to training fee for boarding and lodging purpose, if needed. This amount may be paid either in advance or during the training. Alternatively you can also book accommodation in hotels or anywhere on your own initiatives (<http://jabalpur.nic.in/hotels.htm>)

## Important dates

**31/10/2016:** Last date of Receiving of application along with training fees  
**15/11/2016:** Receipt of application & training fee with late fee of Rs.500/-