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Applications are invited from qualified persons to fill the following vacancies existing in the agency

No	Post	Category	Vacancy
01	Senior Scientist	AR - 2	05
02	Deputy Hydrographer	AR - 2	01
03	Internal Auditor	MM 1-2	01
04	Development Officer (Project)	MA - 3	04
05	Field Research Assistant	MA 2-2	05
06	Research Assistant	MA 2-2	08

Relevant qualifications and other details of above mentioned vacancies can be obtained from NARA website. (www.nara.ac.lk)

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No	Designation and no. of	Qualifications
01	vacancies Senior Scientist	Senior Scientist
01	Semoi Scientist	Recruitment for the post of Senior Scientist for Research Division in
	05 Posts	NARA (Oceanography Division / Environmental Studies Division /
		Marine Biology Division / Inland Water Resources Division /
		Fisheries Technology Division / Post Harvest Technology Division /
		Socio - Economic and Marketing Division)
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		External Applicants
		(a) Educational Qualifications
		I. A special degree of four years duration with a first or second class
		upper in a combination of subjects in the stream of prescribed subjects
		from a university recognized by the University Grants Commission
		OR
		II. A special degree of four years duration with a second class (lower)
		in a combination of subjects in the stream of prescribed subjects from
		a university recognized by the University Grants Commission
		followed by one year post graduate degree in the relevant field of
		research.
OR		OR
		III. A degree in the prescribed stream of subjects from a university
		recognized by the University Grants Commission and a post graduate
		degree of two years duration.
		AND
		(b) A Ph.D. degree in the relevant field and an eight (08) years

research experience in the relevant field after the acquisition of the first degree.

(c) Research dissertations on the relevant field is considered an additional qualification.

Age:

Should be not less than 30 years and not more than 55 years.

Salary Scale:

 $AR 2 - 2016 (I) - Rs. 76,200 - 10 \times 2,000 - 96,200/-$

02 Deputy Hydrographer

Deputy Hydrographer

01 Post

External Applicants

Educational Qualifications

I. B.Sc. degree in surveying with a first or second class (upper)

OR

II.A Second class (lower) B.Sc special degree of 4 years duration in surveying and after the acquisition of the degree one year postgraduate research degree in the relevant field.

OR

III. B.Sc. degree in surveying and a two year post graduate research degree

AND

M.Sc. degree in Hydrological survey / Geodetic Science or acquisition of FIG / OHO proficiency for certificate B in International Board on Standards of competence for Hydrographic Surveyors Category A and ten (10) years experience in the field of Hydrological survey after the acquisition of the first degree.

(b) Other qualifications

Research dissertations in the relevant field and authorship of research paper are considered an additional qualification.

Age:

Should be not less than 30 years and not more than 55 years.

Salary Scale:

AR 2 – 2016 (I) - Rs. 76,200 – 10 x 2,000 - 96,200/-

Recruitment for the post of Internal Auditor Educational Qualifications
First degree in Accounting / Business Administration / Commerce from a university recognized by the University Grants Commission
OR
A pass in the Intermediate Examination in any of the following professional courses.
Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka / Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA) / Institute of American Certificated Chartered Accountants (ACC)
AND
A minimum of 03 years experience in the relevant field in a Government / State Corporation / Statutory Board after the acquisition of the above qualifications.
Age:
Should be not less than 22 years and not more than 45 years.
Salary Scale:
MM 1-2 - 2016: Rs. 54550 - 10 x 1375 - 15 x 1910 – 96 950/-
External Applicants
Recruitment for the post of Development Officer (Project)
Educational Qualifications
A special degree of four years duration from a university recognized by the University Grants Commission with Geology/ Library Science and Information Science/ Botany (Special)/ Fisheries and Aquaculture/ Biology / Ecology and Natural Resource Management/ Aquatic Resources Management/ Environment Toxicology/ Information Technology and Data Base Development/ Geo- information system and Remote Censoring/ Fish Biology /Agro Economics /Economics/ Sociology/ Marketing ((Special)/ Microbiology/ Civil Engineering/ Animal Science (Special)/ Environmental Chemistry / Fishery Economics/ Statistics/ Community Development Management/ Quantity Survey or Public Management
Resources Management/ Environment Toxicology Technology and Data Base Development/ Geo- infor and Remote Censoring/ Fish Biology /Agro Economic Sociology/ Marketing ((Special)/ Microbiology/ Civi Animal Science (Special)/ Environmental Chemis Economics/ Statistics/ Community Development

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		Age:
		Should be not less than 22 years and not more than 45 years.
		Salary Scale :
		MA 3- 2/2016 Rs. 32,200 – 10x 445 – 11x660 – 10x730 – 5x750 – 54,960/-
05	Field Research Assistant	External Applicants
	05 Posts	Recruitment for the post of FieldResearch Assistant
		Educational Qualifications
		(a) Passes in 06 subjects at one and the same time with credit passes for
		I. Sinhala / Tamil
		II. Mathematics and English Language
		III. And one other subject
		(b) Acquisition of qualifications to follow a tertiary course of education by passing General Certificate of Education (A/L) in all subjects (other than the general paper) in the science stream
		AND
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		Technological competencies proficiencies
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06	Research Assistant	External Applicants
	08 Posts	Recruitment for the post of FieldResearch Assistant
		Educational Qualifications
		(a) Passes in 06 subjects at one and the same time with credit passes for
		I. Sinhala / Tamil
		II. Mathematics and English Language
		III. And one other subject
		(b) Acquisition of qualifications to follow a tertiary course of education by passing General Certificate of Education (A/L) in all subjects (other than the general paper) in the science stream
		AND
		Technological competencies proficiencies
		N.V.Q. level 05 in National Professional Qualifications or the success full completion of an equivalent course recognized by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission
		Age:
		Age should be not less than 18 years and not more than 45 years.
		Salary Scale:
		MA 2 – 2 2/2016 Rs 30,310- 10x 300 – 7x350 – 4x600 – 20x710 – 52,360/-

Other details

All applicants,

- I. Should be citizens of Sri Lanka.
- II. Should be having sound physical and mental health, to cover up all the duties assigned fully well, and to serve in any part of the island.
- III. Should possess excellent moral character.
- IV. This post is subjected to common rules and regulations that affect NARA staff.
- V. NARA Institute reserves the right to itself to short-list the applicants.

VI. This who is selected to the above post will be entitled to EPF (Employee's Provident Fund) and to the ETF (Employee's Trust Fund) Employee should contribute 10% of salary and agency will contribute 15% of the salary (out of their own resources) to EPF and also Agency will contribute 3% of the salary out of their resources to ETF

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