

Vikram A Sarabhai Community Science Centre

Requires
Science Communicators

For the
Science Express - Biodiversity Special

Science Express is a unique exhibition train, traveling across India. After four successful tours, its next phase proposed as Biodiversity Special will travel to around 55 locations across India from June to December 2012, with the objective to develop awareness about biodiversity, climate change and similar issues among students and general public. Vikram A Sarabhai Community Science Centre (VASCSC), Ahmedabad has been entrusted by the Department of Science & Technology, Govt. of India to manage the project. For this project, VASCSC is looking for Science Communicators.

Qualifications: Young Science postgraduates/graduates or equivalent, preferably with experience in science communication, environment education, excellent computer and communication skills and knowledge of multiple Indian languages. Should be adventurous, self motivated and medically fit for long and continuous travel on train.

Roles: Include conducting visitors and interpreting exhibits for them. Disseminate information, conduct hands-on activities and teachers' training on the train, on platforms and in local schools besides facilitating local coordination at halts, managing publicity, etc.

Pay: Consolidated salary in the range of Rs. 14,000/- to 18,000/- per month, depending on qualifications and experience, plus a daily allowance.

Note: Selected candidates need to join immediately. These are short term appointments of up to seven months duration, co-terminus with the project. The job involves continuous travel and stay on the train.

If interested, please apply with CV to:

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Opp. Gujarat University, Navrangpura,
Ahmedabad - 380 009.

Email: vascsc.jobs@gmail.com

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Applications are being considered on rolling basis. Only shortlisted candidates will be called for the interviews, at short notice.