

Advertisement/Call for Application

Project: "Cooperative Federalism and Access to Education: A Study of Selected 'Aspirational Districts' in India (F. No. ICSSR/RPD/MJ/2023-24/G/33)"

Designation: Research Assistants (2 positions for maximum 10 months) and Field Investigators (2 positions for maximum 6 months), Office Assistant (1 position for 6 months), Consultants and Research Interns (on honorary basis) for the ICSSR sponsored Research Programme. The number and duration of research staff's appointments may change as per the requirements determined by the Principal Investigator and Co-Principal Investigator.

Application Requirements:

Research Assistant: PhD/MPhil/Post-graduate in a social science discipline with a minimum of 55% marks. Prior experience in field research, editing, and report writing is preferable.

Consultant and Field Investigator: Post-graduate in any social science discipline with a minimum of 55% marks. with prior experience in research, writing, data analysis, data collection, etc.

Research Intern: Graduate/pursuing Masters in any social science and humanities with prior experience in research, writing, data analysis, data collection, etc.

Office Assistant: Graduate with knowledge of computer and office management and good command in English language.

Work Description:

- The research staff are required to contribute to the management and research tasks of this project, assisting in administrative work, field visits, data collection, analysis and report writing. Candidates should be highly motivated to learn on the job, committed to the project work, and have a flair for teamwork. Research staffs are required to travel outside Delhi to undertake field research.

- The continuation of selected candidates for project work is subject to the satisfaction of the Principal Investigator and Co-Principal Investigator. The period and number of research staff is variable as per the requirement determined by PI and Co-PI during the project work. Honorarium of selected candidates shall be governed by the rules/guidelines stipulated by both the University of Delhi and ICSSR and fixed by the Principal Investigator/selection committee. Appearance in the interview doesn't guarantee the candidate's selection for the said research work. No TA and DA will be paid for appearing in the interview.

Location of Posting: New Delhi

How to apply: Interested and eligible candidates may send their updated CVs and a maximum of 100 words statement of purpose (stating why they are suitable for the research position), to the following email: cripindia87@gmail.com by 30th April 2024. Only shortlisted candidates will be called for an interview after the screening of applications based on their qualifications and write-up. For details, visit www.du.ac.in & <https://www.polscience.du.ac.in/>

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