



ASSOCIATES PROGRAMME

at NISER Bhubaneswar

National Institute of Science Education and Research (NISER) is envisioned to be a centre of excellence in science education and research in all areas of Basic Sciences. One of the programmes mandated by the vision of NISER is the "Associates Programme".

PURPOSE:

Through this programme we wish to encourage scientific fraternity employed in other institutes to carry out research either independently or in collaboration mode at NISER. The Associates Programme expects to forge a strong scientific network, facilitate exchange of scientific ideas, enable interaction of NISER students with bright young faculties of different institutes. Through this programme we wish to increase the scope of having joint research programmes in frontier areas of sciences in which NISER faculty are engaged. We expect the programme will add to the vibrancy of the research programme at NISER.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Associate should have a regular faculty position at an institute of repute at the level of Assistant Professor/ Reader/ Associate Professor.
- Age below 45 years.
- Scientific research area in one of the broad areas being carried out at NISER.

TENURE: 3 years (non-renewable)

NUMBER OF POSITIONS: 20 (subject to availability of funds)

REQUIREMENTS: Visit NISER for a period of about 3 months in a year.

EMOLUMENTS (AS PER DAE RULES):

- Once a year travel costs as per entitlement
- Office space and accommodation at NISER
- Honourarium of ₹60,000/- per month
- Medical benefits as per NISER rules

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

- The proposal has to come with recommendation of at least 3 faculty of NISER. The proposal should include the following:
 - CV and list of publications of the proposed candidate
 - Short note on the candidate's research activity and specifically pointing out its synergy with the existing research programmes at NISER
 - A brief note on how the association of the candidate with NISER will be useful during the 3 years.
- Chairperson of the host school needs to endorse the proposal.
- Final selection will be done by the committee chaired by Director NISER.

