



Advertisement for Post Doctoral Fellow

(School of Humanities and Social Sciences, NISER)

Applications are invited for Post Doctoral Fellow (PDF) positions in the School of Humanities and Social Sciences, National Institute of Science Education and Research, Bhubaneswar.

Educational Qualification: The candidates should have a Ph.D or equivalent degree in Social Sciences (Economics/ Sociology/ Psychology/Philosophy) from a reputed and recognized Institute or University covering any of the following research areas. Those who have submitted their Ph. D thesis in one of the fields mentioned below are also eligible.

Desirable Qualification: Good working knowledge of software packages for qualitative data analysis such as ATLAS Ti/NVivo and statistical packages such as SPSS and others such as R for Advanced quantitative analysis skills.

Research areas: Development Studies, Society-Science Interface, Public Policy and Governance, Developmental Economics, Environmental Economics, Organizational Behaviour, Qualitative Research and Ethics

Fellowship and Benefits: ₹32,000 - ₹38,000/- + HRA and Contingency as per DAE norms

The position is purely temporary, and appointment made for a year at a time and extendable to a maximum tenure of three years upon satisfactory academic performance. The postdoctoral fellows selected are expected to work with a specific research group at NISER depending on mutual research interest, however in exceptional cases they can also work independently if the infrastructural requirements supports such an arrangement.

Candidates should send in their applications and arrange for the recommendation letters to reach the Chairperson of the School of Humanities and Social Sciences through email: cpshts@niser.ac.in

The applications should have the following documents:

- (a) A covering letter that mentions the specific research area outlined above they would like to be considered in.
- (b) A detailed academic CV, list of publications and names of two academic referees.
- (c) A statement of research interests.

The candidate should arrange for the letters of reference to reach the chairperson of the school by email within two weeks of the date of application. The candidates who are short-listed based on their CV, research statement and letters of recommendation could be interviewed either in person or through video/internet conferencing before the final selection is made. The positions will remain open until suitable candidates are found.
