Job Title: Research Assistant (01)

Location: Institute of Rural Management Anand (IRMA), Anand - Gujarat

About IRMA:

The Institute of Rural Management Anand (IRMA) is a premier, national level Institute for Postgraduate, Doctoral and Mid-career/in-service education, research, and consulting in rural management. Founded in 1979, IRMA's mission is to promote all-around sustainable Rural Development through professional management.

IRMA requires human resources for managing the ICSSR Collaborative Research project (Vision Viksit Bharat@2047), titled, ""Sustainable Dairy Farming and Value Chain Development through Primary Dairy Cooperatives: Livelihood Diversification Strategies for Small and Marginal Dairy Farmers in Rural Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, and Madhya Pradesh". This study will be conducted in collaboration with the Centre for Cooperatives & Livelihood (CCL), LBSNAA. The project duration is for three years.

Role Description:

- Conducting comprehensive Literature Review.
- Field Survey and Assist in the collection of data.
- Work closely with the project team to ensure accurate and comprehensive data collection.
- Utilize advanced statistical tools and techniques to analyse data and generate insights.
- Collaborate with other researchers and project team members to develop research reports and presentations and contribute to the development of research methodologies and data collection strategies.
- Assist in the preparation of research project reports.
- Assist in preparing research papers and coordinating and conducting seminars/conferences/workshops.
- May be required to travel for fieldwork and coordinate with partner institutions (LBSNAA) and may need to be stationed at LBSNAA as necessary.

Requirements:

- Strong analytical skills and ability to work with data.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team.
- Strong organizational skills and attention to detail
- Ability to travel to field sites as required.
- Flexibility to work in a fast-paced and dynamic environment.

Selection Criteria:

- Ph.D./M.Phil. / /Postgraduate in a social science discipline with a minimum of 55%.
- Prior experience in research projects (desirable)
- Exposure to handling quantitative and qualitative data (essential)
- Proficiency in Stata/R/Python or other statistical packages (essential)

Age:

The Applicants age should preferably be under 35 years of age.

Nature of Appointment:

The position would be initially for one year, and it may be extended based on performance and requirement of project.

Remuneration:

The consolidated remuneration will be Rs. 37,000/- per month commensurate with the candidate's qualifications, experience, and fit with the position.

To Apply:

Interested candidates may please apply online by November 24, 2024, i.e., 23:59 at https://www.irma.ac.in/careers/careers.php.

Please Note:

The IRMA Director reserves the right to relax the prescribed selection criteria in the advertisement in case a suitable applicant is found fruitful for the position.

The Institute reserves the right to change/apply appropriate shortlisting criteria in case of a large number of applications.

Only short-listed candidates will be called for the interview, and no correspondence/interim enquiries/telephonic enquiries in the matter will be entertained.

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Mere fulfilling the minimum qualifications and experience prescribed will not make an applicant eligible to be called for an interview.