RECRUITMENT FOR ICSSR FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECT

Applications are invited for the post of One Sr. Research Associate (honorary), One Research Assistant and two Field Investigators in the first phase of hiring for the research project.

Brief Description:

Title of the project	"Cultural Preservation and Livelihood Diversification of Local Businesses by intervention and development of Pandav Circuit in Himachal Pradesh"
Funding Agency & Scheme	Indian Council for Social Science Research- 2 nd Call for ICSSR Longitudinal Studies in Social and Human Sciences.
Project Director	Professor Nitin Vyas
Department	Institute of Vocational Studies, HPU, Shimla
Duration of the Project	Six Month December 2025 to May 2025
Duration of Employment	Minimum Six Months or as per project requirement and development.
Job Title	One Sr. Research Associate (honorary), One Research Assistant and Two Field Investigators
Emoluments	Consolidate remuneration/pay: 1. Sr. Research Associate: Honorary 2. Research Assistant: Rs. 37,000/- per month 4. Field Investigators: Rs. 20,000/- month
Eligibility	1. Research Associate: Applicants must be a Post graduate in social science discipline (55% minimum) with NET /M.Phil./ Ph.D and 2 years research experience as a Research Assistant in any Project.
	2.Research Assistant: Applicants must be a Post graduate in social science discipline (MTA/MTTM Preferred) with minimum 55% marks and NET/M.Phil / /Ph.D.
	3. Field Investigator: Applicant must be a Post graduate in social science discipline ((MTA/MTTM Preferred) with minimum 55% marks.
Desirable Qualities	Candidates with sound communication skills, good knowledge of research, interest in data collection & Interpretation, data analysis on SPSS, Advanced Excel, Structure Equation Modelling, drafting, and good typing speed on computer.
Preferred Mode of Application	Letter of interest, CV and copies of qualifying degrees & certificates shall be sent to pandavcircuit.hpu@gmail.com on or before 25 th November 2025.
Mode and date of Interview	Hybrid Mode. Interview would be conducted through hybrid mode on the 30 th November 2025. Timings of the interview would be informed to the shortlisted candidates by email.

Note: Project Director Reserve the right change in period of engagement as well as number of positions. Selected candidate has to join in the position as per project development.

For inquiries, please write to pandavcircuit.hpu@gmail.com

Prof Nitin Vyas

Project Director