

Advertisement(Last date of online application: 13th December 2024)

Applications are invited for the post of Research Associate and Field Investigators for the project titled "Developing an Alternative Access to Cultural Heritage: A Digital Archive of Naga Oral Heritage" funded by the Jaya Prakash Narayan (JPN) National Centre of Excellence in the Humanities IIT Indore.

Project Title	Developing an Alternative Access to Cultural Heritage: A Digital Archive of Naga Oral Heritage	
Principal Investigator (PI)	Dr. I Watitula Longkumer Assistant Professor Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IITRAM	
Funding Agency	Jaya Prakash Narayan (JPN) National Centre of Excellence in the Humanities IIT Indore	
Name of the position (Temporary)	Research Associate	Field Investigator
No. of Position	01 (One)	01 (One)
Salary	Rs. 25,000/- per month (consolidated salary) for a duration of 06 months only from the date of joining.	Rs. 16,000/- per month (consolidated salary) for a duration of 4 months only from the date of joining.
Period of Appointment:	06 months (subject to satisfactory performance)	04 months (subject to satisfactory performance)
Essential Qualifications	Postgraduate in Linguistics (preferably with translation experience in Naga languages) with NET/M.Phil./Ph.D.	Master's degree in Humanities and Social Sciences (Preferably in Linguistics or Sociology)
Desired Experience	Strong academic writing skills, proficiency in Naga languages, prior engagement with translation works will be desirable	High proficiency in analysing and identifying the linguistic structure of the Naga languages. Ability to grasp the context to convey the original message accurately in the translated text. Prior translation experience is an essential requirement. The field investigator must be a Naga and based in Nagaland who is familiar with the region.
Job Description	Project planning and implementation, coordinating with the field investigator and the web developer, data collection and archiving, project monitoring and reporting, and provide expert advice. The consultant will work remotely (with occasional travel for fieldwork in Nagaland India)	Field research and data collection, submit daily and weekly field reports to the Research Associate, ethical compliance, interacting with the research respondents and audio/video texts translation with adequate cultural context. The role of field investigator will primarily be field-based and hence, will work remotely with regular updates to the PI, CO-PIs and Research Associate.

General Conditions:

1. Candidates will be shortlisted for interview based on their CV, Qualifications, other relevant documents (if any) and the need for the project.
2. Upper Age Limit: 40 years as on the closing date of receipt of application. The upper age limit shall be relaxed to the candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and OBC as per the Government of Gujarat norms.
3. Only the shortlisted candidates will be communicated through email for the Interview.
4. Interview of the shortlisted candidates will be conducted offline/online. The candidates are required to attend the Interview at IITRAM at their own expenses (no TA/DA will be provided).
5. The initial appointment will be for the time mentioned above however, it may be extended based on the satisfactory performance and requirement of the Institute.
6. The position is purely temporary and selected candidates shall not have claim on any regular position at the end of the project duration.
7. How to apply: Candidates must apply online on the Institute portal at www.iitram.ac.in/career only.
8. Upload the certificates in support of educational qualification, school leaving certificate/birth certificate/Aadhar card in support of date of birth, NET score card (if applicable) valid as on closing date of application, and caste certificate.
9. Director General, IITRAM reserves the right to reject the candidature.