

**Department of Geography
University of Mumbai
Mumbai-400098**

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Notification

**Application for Research Assistant/ Research Associate (Full Time) & Field Investigator for
ICSSR Funded Major Project**

Applications are invited from the interested candidates for posts mentioned below on a purely temporary basis in a project sponsored by the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) under the Major Research Project (2024-25), at the Department of Geography, University of Mumbai, Mumbai. Applications are invited for in person job on contract basis till the funding is available or till the given appointment period, whichever is early for the following positions.

Title of the project: Vision Problems and Educational Attainment among Children: A Case Study of Nagpur District in Vidarbha Division of Maharashtra(Project VEAC).

Details of the post:

- Preference will be given to the candidates with Geography/Population Geography/Public Health/Population Studies background.
- **The posts are purely temporary. After 11 months, the service will be terminated and the candidates will have no claim on the post.**
- The Institute reserves rights to terminate engagements of service at any time if the performance is not satisfactory or any misconduct of behaviour.
- Canvassing directly or indirectly will be a disqualification.

Job Description and Qualifications: Collection of data from the field, Review of literature, data analysis using statistical and GIS packages, assistance in report writing. The selected candidates will have to go for fieldwork frequently.

Sr. No.	Post	Salary	Tenure	Essential qualifications	Desirable skills
1.	Research Assistant – 01	Rs. 35,000/per month (Consolidated)	11 months	Post Graduate in Social Science Discipline with 55% minimum) with NET/ M.Phil./Ph.D	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Work experience in Public health, clinical or semi-clinical studies are added advantage.• Good communication skills (in Marathi, Hindi and English)

2.	Research Associate -01	Rs. 47,000 per month (Consolidated)	11 Months	Post Graduate in Social Science Discipline with 55% minimum) with NET/ M.Phil./Ph.D And two years research experience as a Research Assistant in any project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good communication skills (in Marathi, Hindi and English) • Work experience in Public health, clinical or semi-clinical studies are added advantage. • At least two research publications in peer-reviewed journal
3	Field Investigators-02	Rs.20,000/- per month (Consolidated)	6 Months	Post Graduate in Social Science discipline with minimum 55% marks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Previous field experience considered as added advantage.

*** One of the three posts advertised here will be filled on the availability of suitable candidate. The other post will be filled subject to the ICSSR approval.**

How to apply:

- Interested candidates may apply using the link given below and upload resume as pdf files latest by April 15, 2025.
- The link for applying: <https://forms.gle/C4pHwGBsN9F2JEwP6>
- After scrutiny of the applications, the eligible candidates will be called for the interview and will be informed via email to the email address given in the application.
- Applicants who are not eligible, will not be informed.
- The shortlisted applicants should report to the office of the Department of Geography, University of Mumbai by 11.00 am on April 17, 2025 with all the original documents – certificates, mark lists and experience certificates.
- One set of hard copies of all the above documents should be submitted to office of the Department of Geography at the time of interview.
- **No TA-DA will be provided for attending the interview.**

Tentative Date and Time of the interviews: 17.04.2025 from 11.00 am onwards.

Venue: Department of Geography, University of Mumbai, Tilak Bhavan, Vidyanagari, Kalina, Santacruz East, Mumbai – 400098

In case of case doubts/queries, please write to : pravin.kokane@geography.mu.ac.in

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