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Recruitment for the post of “Research Assistant and Field Investigators” under International Science Partnerships Fund (ISPF), British Council, UK in collaboration with ICSSR, Govt. of India

Applications are invited from eligible Indian Nationals for purely temporary position of one (01) Research Assistant and (02) Field Investigators in International Science Partnerships Fund (ISPF), British Council, UK in collaboration with ICSSR, Govt. of India funded project entitled “*Exploring Policy Mobility for Local Solutions and Community Resilience through Natural Flood Management: A Comparative Study of Mersey River Basin, England, and Shilabati River Basin, India*” in the research group of Dr. Nasrin Banu (PI, India), Dr. Aznarul Islam (Co-PI, India), Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, Aliah University, Kolkata, Dr. Upasak Das (PI, UK), Senior Lecturer, Global Development Institute, University of Manchester, UK, Dr. Meheeb Sahana (Co-PI, UK), Leverhulme Early Career Fellow, Department of Geography, University of Manchester, UK and Dr. Ram Avtar, Associate Professor, Faculty of Environmental Earth Science, Hokkaido University, Japan. Selection will be done through an interview process after receiving the applications from eligible candidates.

Project staffs	Requisition	Duration	Monthly Remuneration/ Emoluments	Eligibility Criteria
Research Assistant (Preferably female)	One	Initially for a period of 6 months, extendable up to completion of the project depending on the satisfactory performance of the incumbent. The post is purely temporary and subject to availability of fund.	Rs.37,000 (Consolidated)	a. Essential (i) Post graduate in social science discipline (55% minimum) (ii) Upper age limit- 35 years as on closing date of advertisement. b. Desirable (i) PhD/UGC NET/CSIR NET/SET in the concerned discipline (ii) Adequate knowledge in English Language, skill in SPSS and GIS software.
Field Investigators (One male and One female)	Two	For a period of 1 month.	Rs.20,000 (Consolidated)	(a) Essential Post graduate in social science discipline (55% minimum) (b) Desirable Having prior field experiences

Work Description: Research Assistant should assist in handling the project works including field visits, data collection, data processing and other project related works. Field investigators should primarily be engaged in data collections and documentation. Candidates should be highly motivated and demonstrate a flair for team work along with commitment and sincerity at the workplace.

Application procedure: Applicant has to send a cover letter, detailed CV along with self-attested testimonials (all documents scanned in single pdf) in support of age, qualifications and experience (if any) to Dr. Nasrin Banu, Indian PI of the project via email (nasrinbanu@aliah.ac.in). Please put the subject of the email: **Application for Research Assistant/ Field Investigator under ICSSR, Govt. of India funded research project** on or before **15.05.2025 (5:00 PM)**. Only shortlisted applicants will receive an e-mail at a later date for appearing the interview. They are requested to appear with interview call letter, original testimonials and one set of self-attested hard copy of all the relevant documents.

No TA / DA will be paid for attending the interview.

Other Terms and Conditions

- The decision of the selection committee will be final.
- The selected candidate will have to join duty immediately upon receiving the offer letter.
- The fellowship may be terminated with a 30-day notice before completing the tenure if performance to date is not deemed satisfactory.

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