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**Advertisement for the Post of Research Associate and Field Investigator
(On Contract)**

Applications are invited from Indian nationals for the post of Research Associate (on contract) and Field Investigator (on contract) in research project entitled "Developing a Model for Effective Adoption of Solar Energy System in India".

This is a research project, funded by the IMPRESS, Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi. The duly filled-in application (soft copy in any form) in prescribed format along with copies of supporting documents (scanned copy) must reach to email ID: gsahu@mnnit.ac.in[Prof. G. P. Sahu] with subject of email as: "Application for Research Associate/Field Investigator position in ICSSR project" on or before **11:59 PM, August 27,2020**. The position is purely temporary and will be governed by the funding agency rules & service conditions of Office of the Dean (Research & Consultancy), MNNITAllahabad.

Project Description:

Energy plays an important role in any developing country. At present, major portion of electrical energy is generated by the non-renewable energy sources, which are very much uneconomical and bad for environment. Besides, the fact that the Government of India and respective state governments are putting up various schemes for implementation of Solar Energy, the usage is extremely poor. The proposed empirical and case-based research proposes to develop a model for effective adoption of Solar Energy System in rural India with a primary objective to transform the livelihood of rural people with effective adoption of Solar Energy. In this study we will identify and validate the Critical Success Factors for effective adoption of Solar Energy System which will help the policymakers in framing cost effective and easy way of adoption of solar energy system. Focus area of this study will be the rural areas of northern part of India.

Number of Positions : (A) Research Associate 1(One),
(B) Field Investigator 1 (One)

(A) Eligibility Criteria for Research Associate:

Essential Qualifications : Post Graduate in social science/technology with minimum 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA and NET/GATE/PhD

Additional Requirements : The following additional requirements will be advantageous:

- Proficiency in Computer Applications
- Proficiency in English and Hindi Language
- Strong academic skills in publication of research papers in International Journals.

(B) Eligibility Criteria for Field Investigator:

Essential Qualifications : Post Graduate with minimum 60% marks or 6.5 CGPA

Additional Requirements : The following additional requirements will be advantageous:

- Proficiency in Computer Applications
- Proficiency in English and Hindi Language

Age Limit for both A and B : 35 years on the last date of application (The upper age limit is relaxable up to 5 years in the case of candidates belonging to SC/ST/OBC/PH and women candidates)

Fellowship : (A) Research Associate ₹25,000.00
(B) Field Investigator ₹15,000.00

Other Benefits :

Accommodation may be available as per the availability and the Institute norms. The candidate (Research Associate) will be encouraged to get enrolled in the PhD programme in the School of Management Studies, MNNIT Allahabad. The applicant must qualify for admission to this PhD Programme as per existing rules. Candidates having NET/GATE and CPI 6.5 or 60% marks in MBA/M.Tech may be eligible to register for Ph.D. program of the Institute. Facility of yearly leave, carryover leave, medical benefits etc. may be available as per applicable rules of the project staff.

Tenure of Appointment : Appointment will be made on contract basis for a period of one year initially, which may be extended depending on the performance evaluation on yearly basis till the end of project.

Note:

1. The applicant will be responsible for the authenticity of information, other documents and photographs submitted.
2. The Institute reserves the right to accept application at any time, and consider candidates of exceptional credentials without applications. Qualification and experience may be relaxed by the Institute at any point of time for otherwise exceptional candidates.

3. Mere, possessing the prescribed qualification does not ensure that the candidate would be called for Interview. The Candidates will be shortlisted on the basis of merit and need of the project.
4. Shortlisted Candidates will be informed by e-mail about the interview date. So, the candidate must provide valid E mail IDs in their applications.
5. Shortlisted candidates have to be present through web conferencing system (Meeting link will be sent through email to the shortlisted candidates only) for the interview on the interview date with updated CV and original copies of mark sheets/ certificates in support of their academic qualifications and Photo Identity Card.
6. Applicants in employment (private, government or any other organization) are required to submit a “**No Objection Certificate**” from the employer at the time of interview.
7. No TA/DA will be paid for appearing in the interview at MNNIT Allahabad (if in case)

Name of Principal Investigator	:Prof. G.P. Sahu
Designation	:Professor
Department	:School of Management Studies