



NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED STUDIES
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National Institute of Advanced Studies has, over the last two decades, been developing a multidisciplinary knowledge base that would help address some of the critical problems facing India. It has emphasised both the multidisciplinary research that goes to create this knowledge as well as the dissemination of the latest thinking to those who can make a difference to these issues. To take this initiative forward the institute has now launched a series of programmes and invites applications for post-doctoral fellowships as well as faculty positions.

The Urban Research and Policy Programme aims to foster innovative thinking on cities that could push policy makers, administrators and researchers beyond the routine responses offered by conventional urban planning and policies. It invites applications for *post-doctoral fellowships* from candidates with expertise in urban studies, sociology, urban and regional planning, geography, anthropology, or related disciplines.

The Cognition Programme aims to build a multidisciplinary approach to this increasingly important area, with crucial inputs from biology, philosophy, mathematics and cognitive science. It invites applications for *post-doctoral fellowships* from candidates with expertise in any of the above disciplines, particularly mathematical modelling.

The Education Programme aims at creating a platform for educational policy and initiating the Curricular Development Network. It will also undertake in-depth research in key areas at all levels of education to gain a comprehensive understanding of educational problems in the country and seek to initiate changes in it. It invites applications for the post of *Associate Professor* as well as for *post-doctoral fellowships* from candidates with expertise in education.

The Water Programme seeks to develop a multidisciplinary perspective to understand the complexities and inter-connectedness of the different dimensions of this sector. It invites applications for *post-doctoral fellowships* from candidates with expertise in any of the social science aspects of the

water sector, mathematical modelling and/or remote sensing.

The International Strategic and Security Studies Programme sees strategy as the link between available means and desired ends. Strategic studies consequently encompass all the three dimensions relating to means, ways and ends. The programme invites applications for *post-doctoral fellowships* from candidates with expertise in political science/policy issues/international relations.

The Conflict Resolution Programme aims to develop an inclusive knowledge base that would help effectively address the major conflicts that affect India or have the potential to do so. It invites applications for the post of *Assistant Professor* as well as for *post-doctoral fellowships* from candidates with expertise in the social sciences and/or law.

The RBI Programme on Interdisciplinary Approaches to Economic Issues seeks to capture the interplay between the economic and non-economic dimensions of issues that are of significance to India. It invites applications for *post-doctoral fellowships* from candidates with expertise in any of the social sciences.

Qualifications

Candidates with a PhD and no experience will be considered for *post-doctoral fellowships*; those with a PhD and two years experience will be considered for the post of *Assistant Professor*; and those with a PhD with eight years experience will be considered for the post of *Associate Professor*.

Salary

Emoluments will be comparable to those offered at India's leading academic institutions.

Please apply with a detailed CV and copies of select publications to:

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Applications can also be sent to the Director by email to admin@nias.iisc.ernet.in .