## INDIRA GANDHI INSTITUTE OF DEVELOPMENT RESEARCH (An Advanced Research Institute Established by Reserve Bank of India) DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY

## **ADMISSION NOTICE**

Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research (IGIDR) invites applications for admission to the following programmes:

M.Sc. (Economics): This is a two-year programme commencing August 2022.

**Eligibility:** Minimum qualification for admission to M.Sc. programme includes one of the following degrees or their equivalents: B.A./B.Sc. in Economics/ B.Com./B.Stat./ B.Sc. (Physics or Mathematics)/B.Tech./B.E. with at least 55% aggregate marks for Economics discipline and 60% aggregate marks for other disciplines. The applicant must have studied Mathematics at the higher secondary or higher level. Reservation Policy as per Government of India Rules. Reserved Category applicants have to produce the necessary documentation as per GOI Rule.

Need-based scholarships are available for Masters students as per Institute's norms.

Ph.D. (Development Studies): This a four year programme commencing August 2022.

**Eligibility:** Minimum qualification for admission to the Ph.D.programme includes one of the following degrees or their equivalents: M.A./M.Sc in Economics/M.Stat./M.Sc. (Physics or Mathematics or Environmental Science or Operations Research)/M.B.A./M.Tech./M.E./B.Tech./B.E. with at least 55% aggregate marks for Economics discipline and 60% aggregate marks for other disciplines. The applicant must have studied mathematics at the higher secondary or higher level. Reservation Policy as per Government of India Rules. Reserved Category applicants have to produce the necessary documentation as per GOI Rule.

**Stipend:** Ph.D. students will receive a monthly stipend of Rs.31,000/- in the first two years. Those students, who fulfill the terms and conditions for Ph.D. registration, will receive a monthly stipend of Rs.43,750/- after Ph. D. registration in the third year.

**Selection Procedure:** All candidates will be selected on the basis of their performance in an Online test and an interview. The Online test for M.Sc. will emphasize on Comprehension and English, and Basic Mathematics. <u>In addition, M.Sc. students will</u> have to answer a section either on Economics or Mathematics at the undergraduate level.

The Online test for Ph.D. will emphasize on Comprehension and English and Basic Mathematics.

The Online test will be held on June 26, 2022 from 11.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. at the following Centres:

Ahmedabad/Gandhi Nagar, Aizawl, Bangalore, Benares, Bhopal, Bhubaneswar, Chandigarh-Mohali, Chennai, Dehradun, Ernakulam/Cochin, Guwahati, Hyderabad/ Rangareddy, Indore, Jaipur, Jammu, Kolkata/Greater Kolkata, Lucknow, Mumbai/Greater Mumbai/Thane/Navi Mumbai, Delhi NCR, Panjim, Patna, Pune, Raipur, Ranchi, Shillong, Thiruvananthapuram and Visakhapatnam.

The Interviews will be held online.

**Online Application and payment of Fee**: Candidates can fill the application form online available at <u>https://igidr22.onlineapplicationform.org/IGIDR/index.jsp</u>. **For details, see** <u>http://www.igidr.ac.in/admission-2022/</u>.

General Category: The online application fee is Rs. 500/- only

Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe/Physically Disabled/Other Backward Classes (non-creamy layer)/Economically Weaker Sections: The online application fee is **Rs.100**/- only.

Last date for receipt of Online Application form is June 10, 2022

Registrar, IGIDR