



INDIRA GANDHI INSTITUTE OF DEVELOPMENT RESEARCH (IGIDR)
(Deemed to be University)
(An Advanced Research Institute Established by the Reserve Bank Of India)
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Recruitment for the Faculty Positions

This is a rolling advertisement. Applications will be processed periodically. There is no specific deadline as to when a candidate can submit an application. Applications will be accepted throughout the year. Candidates who meet the prescribed qualifications should not wait for any other announcement of recruitment to submit an application. Applications are to be submitted online through the link www.igidr.ac.in/recruitment.

IGIDR invites online applications for the following faculty positions from qualified Indian nationals, including Persons of Indian Origins (PIOs) and Overseas Citizens of India (OCIs):

Sr. No	Position	Gen	SC	ST	OBC-NCL	EWS	PwBD (a)	Total
1	Professor	02	--	--	--	--	--	02*
2	Associate Professor	01	--	--	01	--	--	02*

Specializations:

Any of the following fields of economics:

Corporate Finance and Governance, Econometrics (Time Series), Development Economics (Health, Education, Industry, Labour), Empirical Industrial Organisation, International Trade (theory and empirics), Law and Economics, Macroeconomics, Microeconomic Theory (Information, Market Design, Network), Public Finance, Institutional Economics .

Salary and Perks: IGIDR adheres to the pay scales established by the Seventh Pay Commission for IITs and IIMs. In addition to competitive salaries, the Institute offers various other benefits, including on-campus housing, leave travel concessions, medical insurance, education allowance for children, contribution towards CPF, group medical insurance, group term insurance, and group personal accident insurance. The Institute also has a Professional Development Scheme (PDS) that provides a three-year block research grant of INR 4 Lakhs.

Details of Educational qualifications and experience required for the posts :

1.	Post: Professor	
	We expect all applicants to demonstrate a minimum level of contribution in teaching, research, and Ph.D. student supervision.	
	Level and Pay Matrix	Level – 14 A Minimum Basic Pay in Pay Level - 1,59,100/- pm, DA, HRA, and TRA at the prevailing rate.
	Qualification	Ph.D degree in the appropriate specialization.
	Experience	Candidate should have a minimum of 10 years of post-Ph.D Teaching / Research experience, of which at least 4 years should be at the level of Associate Professor or equivalent in any reputed Indian or foreign Institute/ University. The candidate should demonstrate strong research leadership within a defined area, an excellent record of publications in reputed journals, and a proven track record of successfully supervising Ph.D. students to completion. Candidates are also expected to have a record of high-quality teaching at institutions of higher education. It is desirable that the candidate has secured significant research funding and has gained external recognition in their area of specialization. Teaching and Ph.D. supervision requirements may be relaxed for candidates with an exceptional research profile, whether in terms of publications or external research funding.
	Publications	Candidates should have, in total, a minimum of twelve publications , of which at least ten should be in reputed peer-reviewed journals [Scopus /ABDC or equivalent ranked/indexed journals]. Out of these, at least six should be in ABDC A* or A, in the relevant area of specialization in which the candidate is applying. Out of the six, at least three should be in the last five years.
	Ph.D guidance	It is desirable that candidates should have served as the principal supervisor for at least two Ph.D. students who have successfully graduated, or have at least one graduated student and another in an advanced stage of completion. A student is considered to be in an “advanced stage” if they have submitted their thesis or have produced at least one publication based on their doctoral research. These Ph.D. supervision requirements may be relaxed for candidates with an outstanding record of publications and/or substantial external research funding
	Projects/ Research Grants:	It is desirable that the candidate from universities/research institutes should have generated sufficient external grants for research as PI or Co-PI.

2.	Post: Associate Professor	
	We expect all applicants to demonstrate a minimum level of contribution in teaching, research, and Ph.D. student supervision.	
	Level and Pay Matrix	Level – 13 A2 Minimum Basic Pay in Pay Level - 1,39,600/- pm, DA, HRA and TRA at the prevailing rate.
	Qualification	Ph.D degree in the appropriate specialization.
	Experience	Candidates should have a minimum of six years of post-Ph.D. teaching and/or research experience, of which at least three years must be at the level of Assistant Professor or an equivalent position in a reputed Indian or foreign university or institute. The candidate should demonstrate strong research capability, reflected in an excellent record of publications in reputed journals within a specific area, as well as experience in supervising Ph.D. students. Candidates are also expected to have a proven record of high-quality teaching at institutions of higher education. It is desirable that the candidate has secured substantial external funding to support their research activities. The requirements related to Ph.D. supervision and teaching experience may be relaxed for candidates with an exceptional research profile, whether in terms of publications and/or external research funding".
	Publications	Candidate should have, in total, a minimum of six publications , of which at least five should be in reputed peer-reviewed journals [Scopus /ABDC or equivalent ranked/indexed journals]. Out of these six, at least three should be in ABDC A* or A, in the relevant area of specialization in which the candidate is applying Out of these, at least two should be in the last four years.
	Ph.D guidance	It is desirable that candidates should be the principal supervisor of at least one Ph.D. student who has graduated or should have at least one Ph.D. student in an advanced stage. The advanced stage is when the student has submitted the thesis or has at least one publication produced from the doctoral work. The criteria for Ph.D. guidance of students may be relaxed for candidates with excellent records in publications and/or external research grants.
	Projects/ Research Grants:	It is desirable that candidates from universities/research institutes should have generated sufficient external grants for research as PI or Co-PI.

How to Apply:

Please complete the online application form available at:

www.igidr.ac.in/recruitment

Provide all details, including (i) a cover letter, (ii) a CV outlining educational qualifications, (starting from Bachelor's Degree, provide % of marks obtained, year of the degree, name of the degree granting university/institute) experience, publications, (provide ABDC Journal Ranking of each publication) and, where applicable, Ph.D. guidance and Project/Research Grants, (iii) Self-attested copies of educational qualification and experience certificates, (iv) a passport-size color photograph, (v) an e-signature, (vi) documents claiming reservation if applying under the reserved category, and (vii) three references.

The cover letter should be addressed to:

The Registrar

Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research

Mumbai-400 065.

Important Notes:

- 1) Candidates must ensure, before applying that they are eligible according to the criteria stipulated in the advertisement. If any candidate is found ineligible at any stage of the recruitment/appointment process or is found supplying false information, S/he will be disqualified, and /her/his candidature/appointment will be cancelled. Canvassing in any manner would also entail disqualification of the candidature.
- 2) Applications must be submitted only through the online link provided on the IGIDR website. No other form of application—including email submissions, hard copies, or applications sent through any other mode—will be accepted or considered under any circumstances.
- 3) Applications will be processed periodically.
- 4) The applicants are required to upload all the supporting documents mandatorily to complete the applications. Self-attested copies of educational qualification certificates and experience certificates must be uploaded. Once submitted, no change/modifications in the application form whatsoever will be entertained. Providing any false, incorrect, incomplete information/ document, intentionally or otherwise, will disqualify the candidate.
- 5) Incomplete applications without proper supporting documents will be summarily rejected.
- 6) The Institute reserves the right to screen and call only such candidates as are found prima-facie suitable for being considered by the Selection Committee. Thus, just fulfilling the minimum prescribed conditions would not entitle one to be called for any part of the selection process, such as interview.

- 7) The invitation to candidate for research presentation/interview merely indicates that it is felt that he/she with others may be suitable for the post and conveys no assurance whatsoever that he/she will be recommended or selected or his/her conditions specified in the application will be accepted.
- 8) The candidates who applied during the last two years are not eligible.
- 9) If a candidate is applying for more than one position, a separate application must be filled in by the candidate.
- 10) Applicants who are employed in Government, Semi-Government, Autonomous bodies, or institutions should send their applications through the proper channel, OR they will be required to produce a No Objection Certificate (NOC) from their employer at the time of the interview.
- 11) The Institute reserves the right to revise its criteria for shortlisting candidates for all advertised positions. The duly constituted Screening Committee will shortlist the candidates adopting such criteria. Therefore, candidates should mention in the application all the qualifications and experience in the relevant area over and above the minimum prescribed qualification, supported with documents, and ensure that all details are complete and accurate.
- 12) The Institute may decide to conduct an interview and/or any other selection process deemed appropriate only for the candidates shortlisted by the Institute. Candidates are required to mandatorily mention their email ID in the application form.
- 13) Reservation is applicable as per the Government of India rules. The candidates belonging to reserved categories (SC/ST/OBC-NCL/PwBD/EWS) are required to attach the Caste/Category/Income certificate issued by the competent authority in the prescribed format of the Government of India. The Institute follows the Central list in the case of OBC-NCLs. The certificate for the OBC-NCL category should not be older than one year.
- 14) The candidates belonging to the reserved category are required to attach the Category certificate in the prescribed format of the Government of India, issued by the competent authority, not below the rank of a Tahsildar or from a first-class Magistrate of the place of domicile of the candidate clearly authenticating the category to which they belong to.
- 15) The reservations for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBD) candidates are as per the Govt. of India. However, they shall be required to produce a medical certificate in the prescribed form issued by the competent medical authorities for the purpose of employment. Persons suffering from not less than 40% of the disability in a, b, d, and e category as per the Department of Personnel and Training Office Memorandum No. 36035/02/2017- Estt(Res) dated January 15, 2018, shall only be eligible for the benefit of reservation and other relaxations, if any, as permissible under the rules.

- 16) An EWS candidate shall be eligible for the benefit of reservation and other relaxations, if any, as permissible under the rules as per the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment Office Memorandum F.No. 20013/03/2018-BC-II dated January 17, 2019, for reservation of Economically Weaker Sections.
- 17) No correspondence whatsoever will be entertained from candidates regarding reason for not being called for interview or outcome of the selection process.
- 18) The Institute may consider candidates whose area of specialization and specific qualification lie outside those stated herein, provided such persons have an outstanding record.
- 19) Correspondence, if any, from the Institute, including the interview call letter of the shortlisted candidates, shall be sent to the E-mail ID provided by the candidate. It is the sole responsibility of the candidate to provide the correct E-mail ID.
- 20) Shortlisted Applicants called for an interview by the Institute will be reimbursed to and fro economy class airfare or II AC rail fare from the nearest city of their residence in India by the shortest route. Applicants from abroad may be interviewed through video conferencing, but if they are present in India at the time of the interview, they must attend the interview in person.
- 21) The documents will be verified with original testimonials at the time of the interview if the applicant is called for the same. The shortlisted candidates will be required to bring all original Certificates, Degrees, and other documents pertaining to their educational qualification, professional qualification, work experience, age, etc. for verification purposes at the time of the interview.
- 22) IGIDR reserves the right to increase/decrease the vacancies or cancel the recruitment process if the need arises without issuing any notice or assigning any reason.
- 23) The Institute reserves the right to fill or not fill any or all of the advertised positions and reject any application without assigning any reason whatsoever, at its sole discretion. The decision of the Institute in all matters of the selection process will be final.
- 24) In case of any inadvertent mistake in the selection process, which may be detected at any stage, even after the issue of the appointment order, the Institute reserves the right to modify/ withdraw/ cancel any communication made to the candidates.
- 25) The decision of the Institute in all matters of selection shall be final.

- 26) Any Addendum/ Corrigendum/Extension of date/Update/Clarification will be published only on the Institute website (www.igidr.ac.in). Hence, the candidates are advised to visit the Institute website periodically for information/updates. The date and time of the presentation/interview will be communicated only by email. The Institute will not be responsible for candidate's non-receipt of emails.
- 27) Appointment orders issued by the Institute to the finally selected candidate shall be provisional. The Institute shall verify the antecedents or documents (subject to character/ antecedent/ Police verification, verification of all original documents, experience certificate, and other relevant documents) submitted by a candidate at the time of interview and the appointment. At a later date, if it is found that any of the facts/ documents submitted by a candidate are fabricated or altered, or the candidate has doubtful antecedents/ background and has suppressed the said information. Under such conditions, the candidature shall stand cancelled, and their services may be terminated.
- 28) Canvassing of any nature and bringing any influence/ pressure from any quarter will be considered a disqualification for the post.
- 29) Any legal proceedings, claims, or disputes concerning this advertisement and selection process shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Hon'ble High Court at Bombay.

Date : 21.11.2025

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