



INDIRA GANDHI INSTITUTE OF DEVELOPMENT RESEARCH (IGIDR)
(Deemed to be University)
(An Advanced Research Institute Established by the Reserve Bank Of India)
General A.K. Vaidya Marg, Goregaon (East), Mumbai - 400 065

Advertisement No: IGIDR/Faculty/2026

Recruitment for the Faculty Positions

This is a rolling advertisement. Applications will be processed periodically. There is no specific deadline for 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 further recruitment announcements before submitting an application.

IGIDR invites online applications for the following faculty positions from well-qualified Indian nationals (including Persons of Indian Origin (PIOs) and Overseas Citizens of India (OCIs)) for Assistant Professor (Regular/Contract/Visiting):

Sr. No	Position	SC	ST	OBC-NCL	EWS	PwBD (a)	Total
1.	Assistant Professor (Regular/ Contract/Visiting)	02	01	02	01	01	07

Note: SC-Scheduled Caste; ST-Scheduled Tribe; OBC-NCL- Other Backward Castes-Non-Creamy Layer; and EWS - Economically Weaker Section; PwBD – Persons with Benchmark Disabilities.

Specializations:

Development Economics, Econometric Theory, Time Series Econometrics, Empirical Industrial Organization, Energy & Climate Change, Environmental Economics, International Trade, Law & Economics, Macroeconomics, Political Economy.

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, plus an additional INR 1 Lakh seed money.

Application Window: Opens on 25th March 2026

Details of Educational qualifications and experience required for the post:

1.	Post: Assistant Professor	
Level and Pay Matrix	Level – 12 Minimum Basic Pay in Pay Level - 1,01,500/- pm, DA, HRA, and TRA at the prevailing rate.	
Qualification	Ph.D. degree in the appropriate specialization.	
Experience	Candidates applying for the permanent positions should have a minimum of 3 years of post-Ph.D. Teaching/Research experience, at the level of Assistant Professor or equivalent in any reputed Indian or foreign Institute/ University. Due weightage will be given to the candidates with demonstrated ability to source external research and consultancy grants.	
Publications	Candidates should have, in total, a minimum of three publications. Out of these, at least two should be in ABDC A* / A journals or Scopus Q1 journals.	
2.	Post: Assistant Professor (Contract)	
Experience	Candidates with less than three years of post-Ph.D. Research / Teaching experience may be considered for an appointment as Assistant Professor on a contractual basis.	
Qualification	Ph.D. degree in the appropriate specialization.	
Publications	Candidates should have, in total, a minimum of one publication in reputed peer-reviewed journals [Scopus/ABDC/ABS or equivalent-ranked/indexed journals] AND/OR at least one paper in Revised and Resubmit (R&R) stage in A* / A or Scopus Q1 Journals.	
Level and Pay Matrix	<p>1) At the entry level, they may be placed with a basic pay mapped at Level 10 Cell No. 8(INR 70,900/-)</p> <p>2) After 1 year, they shall move to Level 11 Cell No.3 (INR 73,100/-) as per 7th cpc.</p>	
3.	Post: Visiting Fellow (Contract)	
Qualification	Those who have submitted their Ph.D. thesis and are awaiting the award of the Ph.D. degree. OR Fresh Ph.D. holders may be considered for a Visiting Fellow position on a contractual basis.	
Duration of Contract	Tenure will be for 1 year and may be extended for a maximum of 1 additional year.	
Pay	Consolidated pay will be INR 1,23,398/-	
Curriculum vitae, Research papers	Candidates should submit an application letter, curriculum vitae, research papers (including a job market paper), a short research Statement, and evidence of teaching effectiveness (if available).	

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, experience, and publications. (iii) Self-attested copies of educational qualification and experience certificates, (iv) a passport-size color photograph, and (v) an e-signature. (vi) documents claiming reservation if applying under the reserved category, and (vii) three references.

All the candidates have to submit three confidential letters of reference.

Referees should comment on the candidate's scholarly contributions and potential, teaching ability, capacity to work in a collaborative academic environment, and professional or institutional service.

Important Notes:

- 1) The Institute reserves the right to fill or not fill any or all advertised positions and to reject any application without assigning any reason whatsoever, at its sole discretion. The decision of the Institute in all matters of the selection process shall be final.
- 2) The Institute reserves the right to fill additional positions of Assistant Professor/Visiting Fellow beyond those indicated in this advertisement, based on its requirements identified during the selection process.
- 3) Candidates must ensure, before applying, that they meet the eligibility criteria stipulated in the advertisement. If, at any stage of the recruitment/appointment process, a candidate is found ineligible or is found to have furnished false, incorrect, incomplete, or misleading information, the candidature/appointment shall be cancelled. Canvassing in any form shall lead to disqualification.
- 4) It may be noted that mere eligibility will not entitle any candidate to be called for any part of the selection process. If the number of applications received is more than the number of vacancies available, in addition to the essential qualifications and experience, minimum eligibility criteria for shortlisting the applicants may be fixed at a higher level by the Institute.
- 5) 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.
- 6) The candidates who have applied earlier against previous advertisements must submit a fresh application.
- 7) 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, or incomplete information/ document, intentionally or otherwise, will disqualify the candidate.

- 8) 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.
- 9) 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.
- 10) The reservations for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBD) candidates are as per the Government 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.
- 11) 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.
- 12) Shortlisted Applicants called for an interview by the Institute will be reimbursed to and from 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.
- 13) No correspondence shall be entertained from applicants regarding the conduct and result of the selection process, including reasons for not being called for an interview or selection.
- 14) Any updates regarding this advertisement shall be published only on the Institute website (www.igidr.ac.in). Candidates are advised to visit the website periodically for updates. The date and time of the presentation/interview will be communicated only by email. The Institute will not be responsible for candidates' non-receipt of emails.
- 15) No individual correspondence will be made.
- 16) Any legal proceedings, claims, or disputes concerning this advertisement and selection process will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Bombay High Court.

Date : Updated on 20th March 2026

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