

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT AHMEDABAD

RESEARCH ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE: ECONOMICS & APPLIED ECONOMETRICS

Project Description

We are seeking a highly motivated master's in economics or related field to conduct applied econometric research at IIM Ahmedabad. The research associate will be involved in analyzing large datasets (including of households and firms) and cross-country data, surveying the extant literature, interpreting econometric results, and providing support/contributions to preparation of research manuscripts. Research Assistants/Associates are expected to work independently within the scope of their responsibilities.

The position will start from June 15, 2023, and will be based at IIM Ahmedabad campus.

Job Description

- To compile economic data and use econometric software to analyze large datasets (including of households and firms) and cross-country data.
- To prepare surveys of the extant literature, interpretation of econometric results, and contribute substantially to preparation of research outputs.
- To conduct independent research and contribute to preparation of high-quality research manuscripts in collaboration with IIMA faculty.

Required Qualifications & Skills

- Applicant must have a Master's degree in Economics or related field (from top-tier institutions) with outstanding grades.
- Candidates with the intention of pursuing doctoral studies or prior research experience (involving preparation of manuscripts or reports) are highly encouraged to apply.
- Applicants must have strong quantitative analysis skills and sound knowledge of data and econometric methods. *Coding/writing programs with econometric software such as STATA or R is highly desirable.*
- Familiarity with household surveys and economic databases such as CPHS, CMIE, Prowess, etc. is desirable, but not mandatory.
- Applicants must be self-motivated with excellent communication skills (both written and oral).

Project Duration

This is a full-time position and will be offered for a period of about 11 months from the date of joining. A Research Assistant/Associate will be expected to work a minimum of 40 hours per week.

Salary

Compensation will be commensurate with qualification and experience.

Application and deadline

Candidates meeting the above criteria may please fill this <u>form</u> by **28th May 2023.** Shortlisted candidates may be invited for a telephone, or Zoom/Skype, or in-person interview.

We will not send out letters of rejection to other applicants. Emails asking for status updates will not be entertained.
