

# Indian Institute of Management Raipur

Atal Nagar (Naya Raipur) 493661, Chhattisgarh, India

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## **Advertisement for the Post of Research Associate for the Consultancy Project for the Department of Good Governance and Convergence, Government of Chhattisgarh**

- **Job Title:** Research Associate – Good Governance Project (Chhattisgarh)
- **Position Type:** Contractual for 11 months.
- **Qualification:** Refer to the details below.
- **Experience:** Refer to the details below.
- **Mode of Selection:** Written test and/or personal interview of the shortlisted candidates only.
- **Salary:** Negotiable, based on qualifications and experience as indicated below.

### **Designation: Research Associate – Good Governance Project (Chhattisgarh)**

**Role:** The Research Associate will support the Project Coordinator and Principal Investigator in data collection, field research, statistical analysis, literature review, and preparation of research reports, contributing to evidence-based policy insights for the relevant departments.

**Qualification Essential:** Candidate with a minimum qualification of a Master's degree (MA/MSc/MSW) with a minimum 60% marks in Public Policy / Social Sciences / Economics / Statistics / Development Studies / Social Work / Rural Development / Gender Studies/Management from a recognised university with a good academic record throughout. A master's from IITs/IIMs/NITs shall be preferred.

### **Experience:**

- Minimum 1 year of relevant work experience in a research associate post or equivalent research role.
- Fresh post-graduates with exceptional academic records and relevant internship/project experience may also be considered.
- Experience in IIMs/IITs/TISS or government-funded research projects shall be preferred.

### **Desirable Skills:**

- Proficiency in quantitative and qualitative data analysis (SPSS/STATA/R/NVivo)
- Experience in primary data collection, survey administration, and field research
- Strong writing skills with the ability to prepare research reports and documentation
- Familiarity with various schemes or social sector programs
- Excellent communication skills in English and Hindi
- Willingness to travel extensively within Chhattisgarh for field work

**Job Description:** The Research Associate will support the Project Coordinator and Principal Investigator in data compilation, field research, statistical analysis, and drafting of research deliverables.

### **1. Data Collection & Field Research**

- Administer surveys, conduct **field interviews**, and manage data entry and cleaning
- Coordinate with field investigators and government officials at the district level

### **2. Literature Review & Secondary Data**

- Conduct **literature reviews**, compile secondary data, and prepare background notes on relevant policies and schemes
- Maintain project documentation and ensure compliance with ethical research standards

### **3. Data Analysis & Visualisation**

- Perform **statistical analysis** using appropriate software and methods
- Create publication-quality **charts, graphs, and tables** for reports and presentations

### **4. Report Writing & Support**

- Assist in drafting **research reports, policy briefs, and presentations**
- Support the Project Coordinator in stakeholder meetings and project administration

**No. of Posts: 01:** Consolidated Salary: INR 30,000 – 40,000/ per month (Negotiable based on qualifications and experience)

**Age (Maximum): 40 Years** (Relaxation as per Government of India norms for reserved categories)

### **How to Apply:**

Applications will be received via the Institute's online application portal: <https://iimraipur.ac.in/recruitment/>; Only online applications will be considered.

### **Important Dates:**

**The deadline for submission of applications is May 29, 2026.** Applications received after the due date shall not be considered. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for further scrutiny through the provided email ID. No correspondence in this regard shall be entertained by the Institute. The selection process is at the sole discretion of IIM Raipur, which reserves the right to shortlist, reject, or modify the selection process at any stage without assigning any reason.

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Chief Administrative Officer