School of Media and Cultural Studies Tata Institute of Social Sciences

Call for Applications for an editing consultant for short films

The School of Media and Cultural Studies, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai, is looking for an Editorial consultant for the project "Girls, Youth and Gendered Access to Digital Technologies: Identifying pathways to close the Digital Divide." The project is funded by the American Jewish World Service, the international development and human rights organization that supports community-based projects in multiple countries across the world.

SMCS, TISS is hoping to hire an Editorial Consultant who will work with video footage shot by the community participants of the project. Previous experience in working with community-based media projects as well as good knowledge of Hindi, English and Marathi would be preferred. The individual or agency considered suitable for the role will be called for an interview in June 2022.

Scope of Work:

- Post-production: Editing of raw footage of six films; Sound Design, Colour Correction, Subtitling, Graphics and Final Mastering
- Coordination with the project heads and filmmakers, and incorporating their feedback

Payment Against Deliverables:

- Presentation of Rough Cuts of six films after at least two rounds of consultation: Rs. 50,000
- Presentation of Final Cuts of six films after at least two rounds of consultation: Rs. 60,000
- Final Delivery of the six completed films: Rs. 50,000

Total: Rs. 160,000 (to be released in three instalments as per the deliverables indicated above)

About SMCS

The School of Media and Cultural Studies, (SMCS) of the Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai is engaged in media teaching, production, research and dissemination. A unique feature of the School is the close linkage between its technical and academic work. The work of the School facilitates synergy between research, teaching and production, all of which are informed by a keen sense of connection with local subaltern cultures of resistance and invention. Production is an important component of the School's work. It has to its credit more than 35 awards for its documentary films at national and international film festivals. Its films are widely distributed and used. The School is also involved in media and cultural studies research.

To apply: Interested candidates can send their applications with information on their prior experience on all the aspects of the assignment as listed above. Place the subject of the email as "Editorial Consultant" and email it to smcs@tiss.edu

Deadline: June 15, 2022