

## **Advertisement for the position of Field Investigator under the National Commission for Women-funded Project ‘Evaluating Role and Function of Women in Policing in the State of Maharashtra’**

Maharashtra National Law University Mumbai invites applications for the position of Field Investigator under the project “Evaluating Role and Function of Women in Policing in the State of Maharashtra”.

### **ABOUT THE PROJECT**

Achieving the goals of equal participation of women and men in decision-making will provide a balance that will more meaningfully reflect the position of society. Without the active participation of women and the incorporation of women’s perspectives at all levels of decision-making, goals of equality, development and peace cannot be achieved. At the fourth United Nations Conference in 1995 in Beijing, China it was reiterated that women empowerment and their full participation in all spheres of society including the decision-making process is fundamental for achieving equality, development, and peace. The situation is critical in the Maharashtra Police Service, an important agency of the criminal justice system perhaps because, by and large, policing is regarded as a male bastion. Even though women have been introduced into this male bastion and tried to carve a way out for themselves, the number of such women is low. Maharashtra National Law University Mumbai shall be conducting research and thereby attempting to understand the role and function of Mahila Police Officers and whether there is a need to have Mahila Police Stations in the state of Maharashtra. **National Commission for Women is the funding agency for this research project.**

### **ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY**

Maharashtra National Law University Mumbai, established under the Maharashtra National Law University Act 2014 on 20th March 2014, is one of the premier National Law Universities in India. The Act envisaged to establish National Law University in Maharashtra to impart advanced legal education and promote society-oriented research in legal studies for the advancement of the societal life of the people in the country. The prime goal of the University is to disseminate advanced legal knowledge and processes of law amongst the students and impart in them the skills of advocacy, legal services, and law reforms and make them aware and capable to utilize these instruments for social transformation and development.

### **NUMBER OF POSITIONS**

The University is looking to engage **six full-time** Field Investigators, in offline mode, to support research and ancillary activities for the Project and the university.

### **DURATION**

The duration of the Field Investigator assignment shall be for 02 months from July- August 2023.

### **ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATIONS OF FIELD INVESTIGATOR**

1. Previous Work Experience of more than 2 years in the Field of Academics/ Research
2. Knowledge and Experience in Statistics

3. Preference will be given to the candidate with background in law, Police administration etc
4. Excellent Drafting Skills
5. Sound Knowledge of Empirical Research
6. Spoken proficiency in Marathi and resident of Maharashtra

### **RESPONSIBILITIES**

1. The candidate shall be required to collate the primary data from the field.
2. Travel across the state of Maharashtra to collect responses from various stakeholders.
3. Coding and analysis of the data collected.
4. The candidate must maintain detailed records of the stages of development of the project and the results thereof.
5. Assistance in Report Writing
6. Additionally, the candidates will be involved with other research-related and other activities of the University.

### **REMUNERATION**

Rs. 50,000/- month (inclusive of Boarding and Travel allowances). Remuneration shall be subject to performance.

### **APPLICATION PROCESS**

1. All the applicants are required to apply by 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2023, 11:59 p.m. Applications beyond this date and time shall not be accepted.
2. The applicants are required to submit their CV, a statement of purpose (maximum 400 words) and a writing sample (published/unpublished & sole authorship) to [recruitment@mnlumumbai.edu.in](mailto:recruitment@mnlumumbai.edu.in) with the subject "Application for Field Investigator 'Evaluating role and function of Women in Policing in State of Maharashtra' " via email.
3. Only shortlisted candidates shall be called for an interview
4. Once selected, the candidates shall be informed of their selection via email.

### **Note:**

1. Please note that only successful candidates will be contacted.
2. The Principal Investigator/ Co-Investigator retains the discretion not to make any appointment to this vacancy; to make an appointment at a revised remuneration, or to make an appointment with a modified job description
3. Please direct any queries to: [amrashaa.singh@mnlumumbai.edu.in](mailto:amrashaa.singh@mnlumumbai.edu.in)