

## Invites applications for the post of Post-Doctoral Fellow - India Gold Policy Centre (IGPC)

IGPC at IIMA established in 2014 with initial financial support from the World Gold Council, is a center of excellence that conducts cutting-edge applied research on the gold industry in India. The purpose of this Centre is to provide insights and suggest ways to implement the findings, in order to bring reforms to the Indian gold market. As a think tank, the IGPC strives to recommend policies and practices in the gold ecosystem through research, engagement, policy interventions, and training. IGPC works closely with the various government departments and stakeholders from the industry to provide meaningful policy advice keeping an unbiased viewpoint. It aims to map all segments of the gold value chain for a uniform reform impact. As discussions in global conventions and the proactive stance of policy makers and stakeholders in the value chain have gained momentum, the IGPC has become a significant player in these deliberations. At IGPC, policy takes center stage. The goal is to have a positive impact on the economy by formalizing the gold trade and increasing its significance to the country's GDP. Additionally, IGPC seeks to expand its reach in the academic world and promote the development of scholars in the field of gold.

**Job profile:** IGPC is looking for full-time Post-Doctoral Fellows (PDF) who will conduct original research and are expected to work independently within the scope of their responsibilities that are aligned with the IGPC's vision.

The PDF is also expected to publish high-quality peer-reviewed journal articles out of the research conducted at IGPC, and present the work at national and international conferences. IGPC will provide the necessary support for carrying out and presenting your research. This includes funding for data collection, fieldwork-related travel, conference visits, and other expenses as per the Institute's policy.

For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.iima.ac.in/faculty-research/centers/India-Gold-Policy-Centre">https://www.iima.ac.in/faculty-research/centers/India-Gold-Policy-Centre</a>

**Required qualifications**: PhD from a reputed Institute or University in India or abroad, specializing in Economics/Finance/Econometrics/Cognitive Science/Data Science. The candidate must have excellent writing and data presentation skills, excellent communication skills (written and oral) with good foundational knowledge of statistics and econometrics. The candidate should also have the ability to work on theme-based research.

**Remuneration:** The Post-Doctoral Fellow would be paid remuneration commensurate with the qualification and experience.

**Tenure:** This position is initially for a two-year term subject to an appraisal at the end of the first year.

The subject line of the application email should read "**Application for the position of PDF** at **IGPC.**". Shortlisted candidates will be invited for an online or in-person interview. Finalists may be required to present their past and proposed research, online or in person.

We will only contact candidates shortlisted for the interview. **Emails asking for status updates will not be entertained.** 

No. of posts: 2

**Job location:** The selected candidate will be working from IIM Ahmedabad campus. IIMA provides access to the library and computer center for all PDFs. However, accommodation will not be provided on IIMA campus.

**Application and deadline:** Candidates meeting the above criteria may please apply online through the following link: latest by **July 15, 2024.** 

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