Online applications are invited for two positions of Senior Research Analysts on contract in the Agricultural Economics Research Unit of the Institute. The positions carry a consolidated salary in the range of Rs 45,000 – Rs. 68,000.

The initial tenure for the above positions is for a period of one year but can be extended, subject to availability of funding and satisfactory performance of the candidate till three years.

Job Description:

The job involves collection of primary and secondary data, analysis, interpretation and drafting of research reports. Candidates should be willing to travel.

Essential Qualifications:

i) The candidate should have a good academic record, with at least a second-class Master’s degree in Economics/ Econometrics/ Agricultural Economics/ Statistics/ Agricultural Statistics from an Indian University or equivalent degree from a foreign University.

ii) Proficiency in data processing/analysis and computer skills. In particular, proficiency in software such as MS-office, E-Views, Stata, R etc.

iii) A minimum of one-year experience in teaching/research in Economics / Statistics/ Agricultural Economics in a recognized Institution or University is necessary. In particular, experience in organizing and conducting rural economic investigations/surveys and handling primary and secondary data on agriculture or related subjects is preferred.

Desirable Qualifications:

i) M.Phil/Ph.D. in Economics/Agricultural Economics.

ii) Ability to draft research reports.

General Instructions for Candidates:

1. The application has to be filled out online on the Institute’s website, i.e., www.iegindia.org under the “Career” web link along with the instant advertisement. Applications are to be submitted by March 31, 2024.

2. After submission of applications, the applicants are required to download the filled-up application form and send it along with self-attested educational qualification certificates and testimonials (hard copy). On the top of the envelope, please write “Application for the post of Senior Research Analyst, Agricultural Economics Research Unit”. The envelope should be addressed to “The Director, Institute of Economic Growth, University of Delhi Enclave, North Campus, Delhi–110007”. The hard copy of the application should arrive by April 10, 2024.

3. Candidates working in Government/Autonomous Bodies/Universities/Institutions of repute must send the hard copy of the application through the proper channel.
4. Application received without complete information shall be rejected. Applications that do not meet the criteria given in this advertisement and/or incomplete applications are liable to be summarily rejected. Corrigendum/addendum (if any) shall be posted on the Institute’s website only.

5. Consequent to the adoption of self-certification provisions as required by the Government of India, the Institute shall process the applications entirely based on information/documents submitted by the candidates duly self-attested. In case the information/documents are found to be false/incorrect by way of omission or commission, the responsibility and liability shall be the sole responsibility of the candidate.

6. The candidate called for an interview should report along with all the testimonials/certificates in original along with a photo ID.

7. Candidates should possess the prescribed qualification and experience as of the closing date of application.

8. Further, merely fulfilling the minimum qualifications or the eligibility criteria does not entitle a candidate to be necessarily considered or called for an interview. More stringent criteria may be applied for short-listing the candidates to be called for an interview.

9. **Other things being equal, SC/ST/OBC candidates will be preferred.**

10. The Institute will communicate only with short-listed candidates. No correspondence or personal inquiries shall be entertained by the Institute. The candidates may visit the Institute’s website: [www.iegindia.org](http://www.iegindia.org) for any information from the Institute including interview calls, if any. Correspondence, if any, in this matter will be sent to the e-mail ID of the candidate.

11. The Institute reserves the right not to fill up the above positions if circumstances so warrant. The Director, IEG, is competent to decide not to fill up the above positions without assigning any reason. The Institute can also consider suitable eligible candidates who may not have applied. The decision of the Selection Committee shall be final.

12. Any questions regarding the position can be referred to the email ID: diroffice@iegindia.org with a copy to sushil@iegindia.org.

**DIRECTOR**