INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT, NIRMA UNIVERSITY
Recruitment of Research Staff under ICSSR-Funded Project

The Institute of Management, Nirma University invites applications for the following Project positions under the ICSSR-funded research project titled: **"Discursive Folk Goddesses: A Multi-Sited Qualitative Exploration of Mātā Traditions in Gujarat"**

Eligible candidates are encouraged to apply as per the details provided below

Name of the Post	Field Investigator (FI)
Number of Positions	One (01)
Nature of Engagement	Purely on temporary basis
Duration	Five (05) months
Eligibility Criteria	Postgraduate degree in Social Science Discipline in Management/Sociology /Social Work /Economics / Gender Studies /Development Studies / Media Studies Social Sciences or allied disciplines with Minimum 55% marks at the postgraduate level
Desirable	✦ Familiarity with field-based data collection methods, including interviews, surveys, and observation techniques. ✦ Ability to communicate effectively in Gujarati, Hindi, and basic English for field interaction and documentation. ✦ Understanding of ethnographic or community-based fieldwork will be an advantage. ✦ Basic proficiency in MS Word and Excel for data entry and documentation. ✦ Willingness to travel extensively across rural and semi urban locations in Gujarat.
Remuneration	Rs. 20,000/- per month (consolidated, as per ICSSR norms)
Job Description	The position requires a field-oriented candidate responsible for supporting extensive multi-sited ethnographic data collection on folk goddess traditions across Gujarat. The role involves direct engagement with communities, documentation of rituals and narratives, and assistance in managing field-level logistics.

How to Apply

Interested candidates must submit their application through the Google Form using the link provided below latest by 1st November 2026:

https://forms.gle/rTtcYnMRN2Hghpva6

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