

'Project Associate-I' Vacancy in the Heritage Science and Society Programme, School of Humanities National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bangalore

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About the Project: This project is on geospatial analysis and documentation of cultural heritage landscapes. This project has a distinctive inter-disciplinary orientation and is being funded by the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO).

Title of the Position: Project Associate-I

Job description (what is expected): Successful candidates will be part of a project and will work under the guidance of Principal Investigator towards achieving deliverables of the project and will be located at National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bangalore - 560012. The candidates should have a research bent of mind, be prepared to travel and conduct field survey (experience in this regard will be appreciated). The appointment will be for the period of 1 year, which can be extended based on performance.

Qualification: PG Degrees in disciplines such as (but not restricted to): geography, geomorphology, environmental science, geoarchaeology, archaeology, architecture, civil/computer science engineering, urban planning, remote sensing and GIS.

Additional skill sets that would work in favour: remote sensing image analysis and ground truthing; GPS survey and navigation; geo-spatial analysis; cultural heritage conservation and management; Android app development, mobile user interface/user experience design, remote sensing, GIS, GIS programming, Web GIS programming.

Mode of Application: Interested applicants should fill up this google form: https://forms.gle/ay5mSWxDiK8kVYuE8
And send by email Curriculum Vitae along with soft copy of degree certificates (all as one pdf file, file name "Name_Application_Apr2021") to:

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This is a rolling advertisement and applications received will be assessed periodically to invite the short-listed candidates for interview. Interested applicants should apply at the earliest.