



**National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj
Rajendranagar, Hyderabad- 500030**

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National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj is a premier Institute of national and international repute in terms of capacity-building and research in the realm of Rural Development and related aspects. Centre for Post Graduate Studies & Distance Education (CPGS-DE), NIRDPR invites online applications for the following positions on short term contract basis in the project titled **“An Evaluation Study on the Performance of National Food Security Act among Rural Households in the Backward Districts of Maharashtra State”**. The salary, educational qualifications and experience is detailed below:

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| 1. Name of the position | : | Research Associate – 1no. |
| Remuneration | : | Rs.40,000/- per month |
| Age Limit | : | Maximum Age limit is 40 years |

Essential Educational Qualifications:

- Ph.D./ M. Phil in any SOCIAL SCIENCE from a recognized University/Institute with strong academic and research background

Desirable Educational Qualifications:

- Relevant Publications in journals of repute.
- Essential speaking skills of Marathi for field work

Essential Work Experience:

- ❖ Minimum experience 2 years in the relevant field with any national/ international agencies or state government agencies out of which one year of relevant experience in Food Security.

- Three (03) years of experience of data collection from Rural Areas
- Knowledge of SPSS

Desirable Work Experience:

- May be a good team leader and have handled a team of 2-10 earlier.
- Should be well versed with the quantitative and qualitative research tools and techniques.
- Persons with research bent of mind on rural development, particularly food security, will be preferred.
- Should possess excellent written and verbal communication skills with a flair for writing research reports.
- Should be ready to travel on need basis.
- Good communication skills in English

General conditions:

- This assignment is purely temporary and does not envisage any kind of regular appointment in NIRDPR in future. The appointment is for one year and extension can be considered to a maximum period of two years depending on the performance and requirement of the Research Projects.
- The Institute has right to shortlist the candidates as may be necessary.
- Canvassing in any form will be treated as disqualification
- No correspondence or telephonic enquiry will be entertained as regards shortlisting, calling for interview, selection or engagement.
- The Institute reserves the right to relax any of the requirements i.e., educational qualification, experience etc. in exceptional cases.
- The selection will be at NIRD&PR, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad
- The candidates should apply through online registration available on the website www.nirdpr.org.in; <http://career.nirdpr.in/>
- The last date for submitting applications online is 25.05.2022

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Assistant Registrar (E) i/c