



TATA INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
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TISS has the following vacancies at its Centre for Studies in Sociology of Education, School of Social Sciences. The appointments will be on contract basis for a period of 3 years with a possibility of further extension or selection when UGC posts are made available. The Centre for Studies in Sociology of Education offers a Master's Program in Education (Elementary), and other training, research and extension activities.

A.1 ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR in the pay scale of Rs.12,000-420-18,300 – **2 Posts**.

Essential Qualification/Experience :

For Post Graduates in **SOCIAL SCIENCES, EDUCATION** - Good academic record with a doctoral degree or equivalent published work. In addition to these, candidates who join from outside the University system, shall also possess at least 55% of the marks or an equivalent grade of 'B' in the 7 point scale with letter grades O, A, B, C, D, E and F at the Master's degree level. A relaxation of 5% will be provided from 55% to 50% of the marks at the Master's level for the SC/ST category candidates and to the Ph.D. degree holders who have passed their Master's degree prior to 19th September 1991. About eight years experience of teaching and/or research which may include three years of Ph.D. research, and has made some mark in the areas of scholarship as evidenced by quality of publications, contribution to educational innovation, design of new courses and curricula.

For Post Graduates in **SOCIAL WORK** - Good academic record with a Doctoral Degree or equivalent published work. Evidence of being actively engaged in (1) research or (2) innovation in teaching method or (3) production of teaching materials. Candidates who join from outside the University system, shall also possess at least 55% of the marks or an equivalent grade of 'B' in the 7 point scale with letter grades O, A, B, C, D, E and F at the Master's Degree level. A relaxation of 5% will be provided from 55% to 50% of the marks at the Master's level for the SC/ST category candidates and to the Ph.D. degree holders who have passed their Master's degree prior to 19th September 1991. About eight years experience of teaching and/or research which may include three years of Ph.D. research, provided that at least five of these years were as Assistant Professor or in an equivalent position OR ten years of experience in field practice and professional publication based on work experience, in training and/or field instruction. Experience in consultation and documentation.

Specific Qualification/Experience:

Masters in Social Sciences, Education or Social Work. Applicants should have teaching/research/field experience in the areas of Socio-linguistics/Language Education; Philosophy of Education; History of Education; Social Science Pedagogy; Curriculum, Teacher Education and Assessment. Candidates with a competency in more than one of the above mentioned areas would be preferred.

A.2 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR in the pay scale of Rs.8,000-275-13,500 – **2 Posts** .

Essential Qualification/Experience :

Good academic record with at least 55% of the marks or an equivalent grade of 'B' in the 7 point scale with letter grades O, A, B, C, D, E and F at the Master's degree level, in the relevant subject from an Indian University, or an equivalent degree from a foreign University. A relaxation of 5% will be provided from 55% to 50% of the marks at the Graduation level and Master's level for the SC/ST category candidates. A relaxation of 5% will also be provided from 55% to 50% of the marks at the Master's level to the Ph.D. degree holders who have passed their Master's degree prior to 19th September 1991. Besides fulfilling the above qualifications, candidates should have cleared the National Eligibility Test (NET) for Lecturers conducted by the UGC or similar test accredited by the UGC. NET shall remain the compulsory requirement for appointment as Lecturer for those with post-graduate degree. However, the candidates having the Ph.D. Degree in the concerned subject are exempted from NET.

Specific Qualification/Experience:

Masters in Social Sciences, Education or Social Work. Applicants should have teaching/research/field experience in the areas of Socio-linguistics/Language Education; Philosophy of Education; History of Education; Social Science Pedagogy; Curriculum, Teacher Education and Assessment. Candidates with a competency in more than one of the above mentioned areas would be preferred.

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

The Institute reserves the right to: (a) relax any of the requirements with reference to age and experience in exceptional cases and/or in the case of persons already holding comparable positions, on a regular basis, in a University/research institution of repute, b) invite persons for interview who may not have applied for as per the above procedure, (c) to fill up vacancies rising, (d) not to fill up any of the vacancies advertised; (i) Since applications received may be short listed, merely possessing the prescribed qualifications and the requisite experience would not entitle a person to be called for an interview; (ii) No queries or correspondence regarding issue of call letters for interview/selection of candidates for the post will be entertained at any stage and canvassing will lead to the candidate being debarred from consideration for the post; (iii) Reservation and relaxation in age and work experience for SC/ST/OBC/PH candidates are applicable as per Government of India rules; (iv) Outstation candidates called for interview will be reimbursed IInd Class Rail fare, to and fro, by the shortest route, on production of railway tickets. (v) SC/ST candidates will be given free accommodation (lodging only) in the hostel for overnight stay subject to the availability of rooms at the time of interview, if requested in advance. The crucial date of determining the age limit and length of experience shall be **15-01-2009**, i.e., the closing date for receipt of applications. Selected candidates are liable to be posted in any of the three campuses of the Institute. Persons in employment should apply through their employer, or attach 'No Objection Certificate' without which no applications will be entertained under any condition.

The candidates to apply on the Form-I downloadable together with the fee of Rs.200/- by Demand Draft. The prescribed application form, along with the details of qualifications, experience and other requirements prescribed for the above posts can be obtained from the

Assistant Registrar (Personnel), either in person between 10.30 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and 1.30 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. on working days (Monday to Friday) OR on written request accompanied by a self-addressed stamped (Rs.25/-) envelope (23 x 8 cms), superscribed "Request for Faculty recruitment application form". The Demand Draft (Account Payee Only) should be drawn in favour of **Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai**. The bank drafts should be valid for six months. No Postal Orders will be accepted. For SC/ST/PH candidates, application forms will be supplied free of cost on production of valid caste certificate. Only application forms prescribed by the Institute will be accepted. If a candidate desires to apply for more than one post, he/she should make a separate application for each post with fee. The candidate should clearly note that the Institute would not be responsible for non-receipt of their application or any delay in receipt thereof on any account.

Applications on plain paper or without the following enclosures or incomplete applications will be rejected:

- (1) Supporting documents (degree, diploma, certificates, mark-sheets and testimonials) of qualifications and experience.
- (2) Passing certificate of NET examination conducted by the UGC.
- (3) Five sets of each (only **three** best) articles/papers/books published/papers presented at seminars/conferences, in the last five years. Applicants to the post of Associate Professor may please note that this is an essential requirement, and hence five copies of each of the above must be forwarded in advance with the application.
- (4) Certificate showing the date of birth.
- (5) SC/ST/OBC/PH certificate.
- (6) No Objection Certificate from the employer.

Those who do not have the required marks/grade or the specific field of specialization, need not apply. The completed applications together with copies of certificates and the required enclosures, should reach the Assistant Registrar (Personnel.) on or before **15-01-2009**. **Candidate is also required to fill up Form-II and submit online before the last date.**

Sandeep Chatterjee
Registrar

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