INDIAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT AHMEDABAD

Requires

Research Assistant – Centre for Digital Transformation

We invite applications for research assistant positions, preferably with a postgraduate (master's) degree in Information Systems, Management, Data Science, Computer Science & Engineering, or related fields, in the Centre for Digital Transformation at IIM Ahmedabad (IIMA). Applicants with a PhD will be considered for the research associate position.

Role Description: The position involves working on various research projects focused on key issues in digital transformation. The candidate will work on predefined projects under the supervision of faculty supervisor (s). Responsibilities of the research assistant may include one or more of the following: preparing surveys and launching, data extraction, running large panel data models, and creating impactful data visualizations, amongst other such activities involved in academic research publications. Applicants should be well-versed in the key ideas underlying digital technologies. The position requires research acumen as an essential qualification, and people who are keen to pursue a PhD later are highly encouraged to apply.

Qualifications:

- Candidates with a degree in management/information systems/engineering/computer science/mathematics, or social and economic-related disciplines are preferred.

- Candidates with expertise and a focus on running simulations in the organizational domain will be preferred.

- Candidates should be proficient in Python and R. They should be comfortable creating large datasets and analysing and visualising them. Candidates with experience in natural language processing and text analytics will be preferred.

- Candidates should be well-versed in secondary data analysis. Candidates proficient in running econometrics/statistics models are preferred. Prior experience working with panel datasets and knowledge of Stata are desirable.

- Candidates who understand the scientific process, including being comfortable doing a literature review by reading and summarizing research papers, will be given preference.

Project Tenure: The appointment is initially for 6 months, with the potential for extension based on performance.

Location: The selected candidate(s) will work from the IIMA campus. IIMA provides all research assistants with access to the library and computer centre. If selected, the candidate is expected to manage their accommodation outside the IIMA campus, which is centrally located in Ahmedabad.

Compensation: Compensation will be commensurate with the qualifications and experience of the candidate

Last date to apply: April 16, 2026

To apply, please email your latest CV and a cover letter to cdt-secretary@iima.ac.in with the subject: "**RA: Centre for Digital Transformation.**" (Applications without the proper subject may not be considered.)