

Himachal Pradesh University
(NAAC Accredited 'A' Grade University)
University Institute of Technology
Summer Hill, Shimla-171005

Dated: 29.05.2025

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Applications on plain paper are invited from eligible candidates for engagement of a research assistant and field investigator on a purely temporary basis under the ICSSR-funded Minor Research Project sanctioned by ICSSR, Ministry of Education, and Government of India. The position is purely temporary and co-terminus with the project. The selected candidates cannot in any way be considered regular employees and shall have no claim to any employment benefits on that basis. However, during their engagement with the project, they will be governed by the existing university rules and regulations.

Title of the Project	Designing a Curriculum for Mental Health and Social Awareness: Bhagavad Gita and Philosophical Counselling Among College Youth in Shimla District, Himachal Pradesh
Funding Agency	ICSSR, Ministry of Education, Govt. Of India
ICSSR Sanction	119/2025-26/ICSSR/RP/MN
Project Duration	12 Months
Project Director	Dr Seema Banta

Research Assistant

Post	Number	Consolidated Salary	Qualification
Research Assistant	01	Rs. 37,000/- per month	Postgraduate in any Social Science Discipline with a minimum 55% marks. Preference to NET/M.Phil/Ph.D.

Field Investigator

Post	Number	Consolidated Salary	Qualification
Field Investigator	01	Rs. 20,000/- per month	Graduate in any social science discipline with a minimum 55% marks. Preference will be given to a four-year graduation programme.

How to Apply:

Applications addressed to the Project Director must be submitted along with a signed, up-to-date resume specifying the educational qualifications, research experience, if any, and other necessary details. The applications should reach the following address no later than 11th June, 2026:

Dr Seema Banta
Project Director
ICSSR Research Project
University Institute of Technology
Himachal Pradesh University
Summer Hill-Shimla
Email: banta.seema@gmail.com
Contact: 9816439687

The interview will be held in the office of the Director, University Institute of Technology, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla-05, on **19.06.2026 at 11:00 am**.

Documents/Certificates: No certificates should be attached to the application. All the original documents/testimonials, a set of self-attested copies of all certificates, are to be produced at the time of the interview.

Process of Selection: The eligible candidates are required to appear before the selection committee on the scheduled date and time. The selection committee reserves the right not to appoint any of the above if not found suitable. No TA/DA shall be paid for the candidates called to appear for the interview before the selection committee.

Sd/-
(Project Director)

Copy for information:

1. Notice Board of University Institute of Technology, HPU-Shimla-05.
2. Chairpersons/Directors of all the Social Sciences teaching Departments, HPU-Shimla, 05.
3. SPS to the Vice-Chancellor for kind information.
4. Registrar/ finance officer/controller of examination, HPU, Shimla-05.
5. Employment officer, HPU, Shimla-05.
6. Web In-charge, HPU, Shimla-05, for uploading on the university website for its wider circulation.

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