

**Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla**  
(NAAC Accredited "A" Grade University)  
Gyan Path, Summer Hill, Shimla – 5 (171005)

No. 1-637/2026 HPU (UIT)

Dated: 22.06.2026

**Advertisement Notice (2025-2026)**

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for engagement of research Assistant/investigator on purely temporary basis under MERU Component of PM-USHA (Soft Components) - of Himachal Pradesh University. The position is purely temporary and co-terminus with the project.

<b>Title of the Project</b>	<b>Songs as Oral Literature: Translating Wedding and Harvest Traditions of Pabbar Valley (Pahadi Culture and Heritage)</b>		
Project Duration	9 Months		
Grant approved	100000/-		
Principal Investigator	Dr Seema Banta		
Department	English (Languages)		
Place of Work	University Institute of Technology, Himachal Pradesh University- Shimla, HP-171005		
<b>Post</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Consolidated Salary</b>	<b>Qualification</b>
Research Assistant/Investigator	01	35000/- Disbursed as a single consolidated honorarium, in accordance with the budgetary ceiling.	Postgraduate in any social science discipline with minimum (55% marks. Preferably with NET/MPhil/PhD)

- Knowledge of field survey and data collection
- Report writing skills
- Basic computer knowledge (MS Word/Excel/SPSS etc.)

**How to Apply:**

Applicants have to submit their applications along with CV and self-attested copies of relevant documents to the project Director through email.

Email: [banta.seema@gmail.com](mailto:banta.seema@gmail.com)

Contact: 9816439687

Last date for submission of application: 28/06/2026

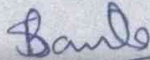
Shortlisted candidates will be informed through email/phone for interview.

**The interview is scheduled for 01 July 2026. Shortlisted candidates will be notified in advance through email.**

**General Conditions:**

1. The post is purely temporary and co-terminus with the project.
2. No TA/DA will be paid for attending interview
3. The selected candidates will assist in field work, data collection, analysis and report preparation.
4. The undersigned reserves the right to cancel the recruitment without assigning any reason.

**Principal Investigator**



Dr Seema Banta

**Name : Dr. Seema Banta**  
**Designation : Assistant Professor**  
**University Institute of Technology,**  
**H.P. University, Summer Hill, Shimla**

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