

ADVERTISEMENT NOTIFICATION: RESEARCH ASSOCIATE (CEED)

The Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune, invites applications for the position of **Research Associates** for its Centre of Excellence in Entrepreneurship and Development (CEED).

Name of the Centre: The **Centre for Excellence in Entrepreneurship and Development** is an action-oriented research and policy advocacy think tank dedicated to fostering a thriving entrepreneurial environment in India. Our focus lies in conducting research and advocating for policy reforms to accelerate the growth of entrepreneurship within the country's ecosystem.

Post Name: Research Associate (CEED)

No of Post(s): 02

Post Type: Temporary / Contractual

Application Fees: Rs 236/- (including GST)

Period: 6 Months, subject to extension based on performance and project grant availability

Job Description: To be associated with research projects, typically two major projects, which focus on entrepreneurship and particularly on small entrepreneurs in India. Research will involve critically reviewing related literature, field engagement for primary data collection, secondary data analysis, and report writing.

Key Job Responsibilities: Following will be the key responsibilities of the research associate

- Coming up with themes for analysis and providing novel perspectives based on original research.
- Supervise in primary data collection activities. Contributing to preparation of survey instruments, pilots, data collection quality control, and analysis.
- Drafting parts of the research literature review, original analysis, review, and editing.
- Drafting project proposals, coordination, and other academic activities that arise from time to time.

Minimum Qualifications and skills:

- Master's in economics/management/public policy with at least 2 years of experience of working on research projects
- Ability to code in statistical languages like R or Python

Desired Qualifications/Experience:

- Candidates with recent Ph.D. or in advanced stages of Ph.D. are preferred provided they have required work experience
- Analyze secondary datasets like National Sample Survey (NSS), Population and Economic Census, Periodic Labor Force Survey (PLFS) as per the requirements of the research projects. The analysis will require creating tabulations and graphics which contribute to the analysis.
- In writing research articles or have worked as research assistant

Consolidated Pay: Commensurate with qualification and experience

Application Deadline: 7th November, 2025

Joining Date: Immediate

October 17, 2025

REGISTRAR