

April 30, 2026

Advertisement for the Contractual Position of Research Assistant

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for the one position of Research Assistant in Economics and Business Environment Area under Professor Sanjay Kumar Singh at the IIM Lucknow.

Eligibility Criteria and Job Specification:

Educational qualifications:

The candidate must possess a postgraduate degree in Economics or Commerce (regular mode) with a minimum of 60% marks. The candidate must have secured a first division consistently from Class 10 onwards up to the Master's degree. Additionally, the candidate must have qualified NET or JRF in Economics, Commerce, or a related field.

Desirable Qualifications:

- Preference will be given to candidates pursuing a doctoral programme.
- Demonstrated research aptitude, including publications or working papers, will be an added advantage.
- Prior teaching or research experience in a recognized academic or research institution will be preferred.
- Excellent command of spoken and written English.

Job Specification:

The selected candidate will assist the faculty member in research activities, including dataset construction, empirical analysis, and the preparation of academic papers and policy-oriented reports. This role is ideal for a candidate who is currently pursuing a doctoral programme and who can assist in rigorous research methodologies, academic writing, and applied analytical work.

Emoluments: The selected candidate will draw a fellowship of Rs. 40,000/- consolidated per month, plus HRA as per applicable norms.

Mode of Selection: Applications received in response to advertisement will be scrutinized and shortlisted applicants will be called for a personal interaction and documents verification with original documents. Based on qualifications, experience & outcome of personal interaction, the candidate will be selected.

General Terms and Conditions:

- 1) **The position is purely contractual in nature.** The candidate selected for the above post will be appointed on a contractual basis for an initial period of one year, which may be extended further based on performance and institute requirements.
- 2) Incomplete/Ineligible applications will be deemed invalid and rejected without intimation to the candidate. Only the eligible candidates will be called for the interview.
- 3) Please note that only selected candidates will be intimated. No other query will be entertained.
- 4) No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview, if called for.
- 5) Canvassing through any means will be taken seriously and the candidate is liable to be rejected.

How to apply?

Please fill the google form mentioning the key details (Total Marks, University/College, Experience (if any), Resume [in pdf format]). Link mentioned below:

<https://forms.gle/bo9FEHBwdWhGCgqbA>

Last date to apply: May 10, 2026, up to 05:00 PM.

Note: Applications received after the last date and those with incomplete information will be rejected.