

Sir Mokshagundam Visvesvaraya Chair Professor in Geospatial Technologies

Sponsored by the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India

Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, has instituted the Sir M. Visvesvaraya Chair on geo-spatial technologies at the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore. This initiative is towards providing fillip to the manpower development, carry out research on modern methods of surveying and mapping as well as spatial data organization security, transaction and other related issues.

Nominations of eminent scientists/academicians are invited for occupying the position of 'Sir Mokshagundam Visvesvaraya Chair Professor'. Nominees must have contributed significantly in the field of Geospatial data gathering using modern methods, data base management and Geospatial application development with initial tenure of 2 years and Manpower development. The Chair Professor carries an honorarium of Rs 50,000 per month with initial term of 2 years and basic facilities for carrying out research at the Karnataka State Council for Science and Technology (KSCST), Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore 560 012. Scientists from Natural Sciences (including Geography), Computer applications and data base management, earth sciences and environmental sciences are eligible for nomination/self nomination. Scientists, who are on sabbatical leave, will also be considered for the Chair Professorship. The age of the chair should not exceed 70 years at the end of appointment.

Nominations should reach **The Executive Secretary**, Karnataka State Council for Science and Technology, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore 560 012 on or before **30 April 2012**.

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JRF positions are also available in the area, details of which are available in website www.kscst.iisc.ernet.in/kscst.org.in

Indian Council of Medical Research

ICMR International Fellowships

The Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) invites applications from Indian biomedical scientists for the international fellowships for the year 2012–13.

Number of fellowships: Young scientists – 12; Senior scientists – 6

Duration: 3–6 months for young scientists and 10–15 days for senior scientists

Eligibility: – M.D./Ph.D. degree with at least three years teaching/research experience for young scientists
– And at least 15 years teaching/research experience for senior scientists
– Regular position in a recognized biomedical/research/health institution in India
– Below 45 years of age for young and 55 years for senior scientists

Financial support*:

- US\$ 2400 per month, contingency grant of Rs 15,000 and return economy class air ticket (excursion airfare) for young scientists
- US\$ 160 per day (including US\$ 75 as per diem and rest for accommodation expenses) and return economy class air ticket (excursion airfare) for senior scientists

Note: – The applicant should submit a letter of acceptance from the foreign institute where he/she proposes to work along with a concrete plan of training/research work to be undertaken during the fellowship
– Recommendation by the Head of the parent organization/institute is essential
– Incomplete applications will not be entertained and decision of ICMR will be final
– If selected, the fellowship is to be availed before 28 February 2013

Ten copies of the application should be submitted to: **International Health Division**, Indian Council of Medical Research, V. Ramalingaswami Bhawan, Post Box No. 4911, Ansari Nagar, New Delhi 110 029.

For details and format of application log on to ICMR website: <http://www.icmr.nic.in>

Last date of receipt of applications: **30 April 2012**

*Revision of financial support is under consideration.