INSTITUTION OF EMINENCE (IoE) CALL FOR APPLICATIONS
FOR SIX (6) POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS IN THE
DEPT. OF COMMUNICATION, S.N.SCHOOL OF ARTS & COMMUNICATION

Under the directorate of the Institution of Eminence Post-Doctoral Research Fellowship (IoE-PDRF)scheme, young researchers are invited from across the country and abroad to engage in creative, high- quality work in the advertised disciplines/areas of interest. The fellow will work under a faculty-mentor in Dept. of Communication, S.N. School of Arts & Communication, University of Hyderabad (UoH), Hyderabad. In addition to research, a fellow may be assigned teaching responsibilities, depending on their interest, to support and complement ongoing or initiate new programs in Dept. of Communication, S.N. School of Arts & Communication, UoH as per the mandate of the IoE.

Essential Qualifications:
PhD in Communication/Mass Communication/Media Studies/Journalism, with thesis work in one of the areas mentioned in the table below, corresponding to the topic of IoE-PDRF. Only candidates who have submitted their thesis and successfully defended it by April 15, 2023, and no earlier than April 15, 2020, may apply. (See below for exempted categories.)

Desirable Qualifications:
Three published papers in refereed and relevant international journals (SCOPUS/WOS indexed) with at least one as first author in a journal withan impact factor not less than 2 is desirable.

The final selection will be based on an online/in-person interview of shortlisted candidates. The candidates shall attend the in-person interviews at their own expense.

TOTAL VACANCIES:
Six: (UR-1, OBC-2, SC-1, ST-1, EWS-1)

Please note that merely satisfying the minimum eligibility conditions does not guarantee shortlisting or selection. The University reserves the right to fill as many vacancies as it decides (i.e.,not all vacancies may be filled).

Sl. No.	Name of the School	Name of the department	Contact email address	Areas of research
1	Sarojini Naidu School of Arts & Communication	Communication	Head, Department of Communication headcc@uohyd.ac.in +91402313 5507	• Communication & social change • Community media • Digital cultures • Media historiography • Print cultures • Film studies • Journalism studies

Shortlisting of candidates would be based on:

1. Research record of the number of publications, the journal's impact factor, citations of thearticle, and the patents and books/book chapters.
2. The institution from which the degree is awarded: Center/institute of national importance or institute in the top 200 ranks worldwide will receive added weightage.

ELIGIBILITY AND OTHER CONDITIONS

1. Candidates from UGC-recognized (public or private) institutions or institutions of national importance or from international institutions (NRI/PIO/ Foreign nationals) with the degree awarded not more than three years before the announcement date of this call for applications.In the case of Indian nationals, a relaxation of two years will be provided to candidates belonging to OBC/EWS/SC/ST/Women/PwD categories, i.e., the PhD should have been awarded not more than **Five years** from the date of announcement of this call for applications.
2. Candidates from UGC-recognized (public or private) institutions or institutions of national importance or international institutions who have submitted their PhD thesis and are awaitingfor the award of the degree are eligible to apply upon submission of thesis submission certificate from the supervisor.
3. Applicants already in regular service are not eligible to apply.
4. Faculty members are NOT permitted to host/mentor students they have supervised or co-supervised for PhD. Applicants should take care of this while applying.
5. The upper age limit for the fellowship is 30 years (at the time of the submission of the application), and age relaxation of up to 3 (three) years will be given to candidates belonging to SC/ST/ OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) /Women /PWD /EWS candidates (i.e. 33 years as the upper age limit).
6. The IoE-PDRF is a purely temporary assignment and is tenable for one year from the date of appointment.
7. Extension beyond the one-year tenure will be subject to the availability of funds (and extensionof the IoE program) and performance review. There will be a rigorous assessment of yearly progress for the renewal of the fellowship, and it is NOT automatic.
8. Notwithstanding any of the conditions mentioned above, the tenure of all appointments will beco-terminus with the tenure of the IoE program at the University of Hyderabad (which is currently 31/3/2024).

FELLOWSHIP:

Rs. 55,000/- per month (consolidated) for the PhD holders and Rs. 35,000 per month for candidates who have submitted the thesis and are awaiting the award of the PhD degree.

RESEARCH GRANT:

Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand only) per annum. The grant can be used for consumables, contingencies, and domestic travel - for attending conferences/research meetings/symposia. Purchase of items such as minor equipment, laptops, tablets, furniture, or any other form of the asset is NOT permitted.

The IoE-PDRFs are not eligible to receive any other fellowship from any Government or non- Governmental source during the tenure of the fellowship. If availing of any other fellowship/ remuneration, he/she must resign before accepting the IoE-PDRF at UoH.

DEADLINE FOR RECEIVING THE APPLICATIONS:
15/05/2023.

The Government of India's rules on reservation policy will be strictly followed in selections.
The University reserves the right to reject all or any of the applications or cancel the call for applications without assigning any reason thereof.

(Head, Dept of Communication)
S.N.School of Arts & Communication
26/04/2023)

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IoE - PDF APPLICATION FORM

Department of Communication

Sarojini Naidu School of Arts & Communication

Please fill out the application form along with all required documents and submit it by email to: **headcc@uohyd.ac.in**, with the **subject line IoE PDRF-2023**. The filled-in application form, alongwith annexures, shall be converted into a single pdf file and sent by email to the contact email ID (**headcc@uohyd.ac.in**).

APPLICANT'S PERSONAL DETAILS	
NAME (First Name, Surname)	
GENDER	
DATE OF BIRTH AND AGE	
NATIONALITY / SOCIAL STATUS / CATEGORY	
PERMANENT ADDRESS	
ADDRESS FOR CORRESPONDENCE	

APPLICANT'S PROFESSIONAL DETAILS	
DETAILS OF QUALIFICATIONS (IN REVERSE CHRONOLOGY). INCLUDE NAME OF THE DEGREE, YEAR OF PASSING, CLASS/DIVISION OBTAINED AND NAME OF THE UNIVERSITY. **COPIES OF CERTIFICATES ARE TO BE ATTACHED AS ANNEXURE**	
SUMMARY OF PHD WORK (BRIEF SYNOPSIS OF THESIS) **ATTACH AS ANNEXURE**	
AREA OF SPECIALIZATION	
DETAILED CV WITH PREVIOUS POST DOCTORAL EXPERIENCE, IF ANY, LIST OF PUBLICATIONS, BOOKS/CHAPTERS, IF ANY AND NAMES OF THREE REFEREES **ATTACH AS ANNEXURE** **(MENTION IMPACT FACTOR AND CITATIONS OF THEPUBLICATIONS AS ON THE DATE OF THIS ADVERTISEMNT)** **(ENCLOSE A MAXIMUM OF SELECTED THREE REPRINTS)**	
SUMMARY OF THE RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND SKILL SETS **ATTACH AS ANNEXURE**	
APPLICANTS PROPOSED RESEARCH ACTIVITY	
RESEARCH PROPOSAL (FORMAT GIVEN IN THE ADVERTISMENT) ALIGNING WITH THE ADVERTISED RESEARCH AREAS **ATTACH AS ANNEXURE**	
ORDER OF PREFERENCE IF APPLYING AGAINST MORE THAN ONE SUITABLE TOPIC.	

I state that the application is complete in all respects and that all information is correct. I understand that if any of the information provided is found to be false, the fellowship will be terminated immediately, and the applicant will be liable to refund the fellowship received.

Name and signature of the applicant with date

Project Proposal Format (Maximum 10 pages with font: Times New Roman 12 and line spacing: 1.5)**:**

a. Title of the Research Proposal
b. Abstract (maximum 300 words).
c. Introduction
d. Background and Brief Review of Literature
e. Statement of problem/Research questions
f. Tentative methodology and time line