

Job Advertisement: Senior Research Assistant Position (3-Years Contract)

Position: Senior Research Assistant

Duration: 3 Years

Location: Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh

Salary: ₹28,000 per month

Applications are invited for one post of Senior Research Assistant (SRA) at a fixed fellowship of Rs. 28,000/- per month for a duration of three years, payable as per the rules of the CST-UP funded project entitled "A Scientific Exploration of Parametric Simulation-Based Thermal Performance of Courtyard Houses across Uttar Pradesh for Future Development Guidelines," sanctioned for a period of up to three years. The position is purely temporary and co-terminus with the project.

Key Responsibilities:

- Conduct extensive literature reviews on the typologies of courtyard houses in Uttar Pradesh and their thermal performance.
- Assist in developing and executing parametric simulations to assess the impact of courtyard size, orientation, and shading on energy efficiency.
- Analyze simulation results to derive recommendations for climate-responsive architectural designs.
- Contribute to the formulation of development guidelines based on energy performance and environmental sustainability of courtyard houses.
- Prepare progress reports, research papers, and presentations based on the project's outcomes.

Essential Qualifications:

- The applicant must be a resident of Uttar Pradesh.
- First Class in M.Arch. or M.Tech. with a specialization in Environmental Design, Vernacular Architecture, or Climate Responsive Architecture.
- Experience in building energy simulation, parametric modelling, and knowledge of energy efficiency in buildings will be preferred.
- Age Limit: 32 Years as of April 1, 2024.

How to Apply:

Interested candidates should send their CV and a cover letter detailing their relevant experience and motivation for the role to bano.farheen@foaaktu.ac.in/ tandon.drmeeta@foaaktu.ac.in by 30th September 2024. Please include "Research Assistant Application – CST Research Project" in the subject line.

Application Deadline: 30.09.2024

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