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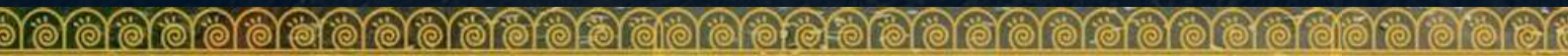
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Dear Recruiter,

I'm delighted to introduce the International Institute for Population Sciences (IIPS) in Mumbai, an institution with a rich history dating back to 1956. IIPS has earned the status of a Deemed University due to its significant contributions to demographic and health research, teaching, and training. The institute excels in combining cutting-edge research with effective teaching, thanks to its accomplished and diverse faculty members.

Our students are well-prepared to work with extensive datasets, employ advanced quantitative and qualitative techniques, and interpret their findings to support improved policies and program interventions. They particularly shine in the fields of Population Sciences and Biostatistics. Through collaborations with international organizations like UNICEF, UNFPA, WHO, and prestigious universities worldwide, we offer our students exposure to the latest developments in population and health research.

I extend a warm invitation for you to visit our campus and engage with our students, who not only possess valuable skills, knowledge, and diverse field experience but have also embraced the values and ethics of our institution. These principles will guide them to become valuable assets to your esteemed organizations, whether they work on small-scale or large-scale projects, from rural communities to the global stage. They are committed to making a positive impact on society, the environment, the economy, education, and various other fields, all while maintaining a strong sense of compassion and humanity.

Dr. Dewaram A. Nagdeve

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Course Coordinators

Dear Recruiter,

M.A./MSc. in Population Studies at IIPS is a specialized postgraduate program that focuses on the study of population dynamics, demographics, and related social, economic, and health issues. This course is designed to equip students with the knowledge and skills necessary to address the challenges posed by population growth, distribution, and change. The course has the capacity to produce professionals who can contribute to informed policy decisions, public health improvements, academic advancements, and the overall well-being of the population.

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Placement Coordinators

Dear Recruiter,

International Institute for Population Sciences (IIPS) is a world class institution for education and research on population sciences and biostatistics. Our students are trained to excel in informed data analytics and to be research leaders in future. The institute has always been a prominent destination for recruiters from research organizations, development sector, and industry. Placement cell is totally dedicated towards providing support to recruiters in their recruitment process.

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ABOUT
IIPS

The International Institute for Population Sciences (IIPS), Mumbai, formerly known as the Demographic Training and Research Centre (DTRC) till 1970, was established in July 1956 under the joint sponsorship of Sir Dorabji Tata Trust, the Government of India and the United Nations. It serves as a regional center for Training and Research in Population Studies for the ESCAP region.

IIPS holds a unique position among all the regional population centers. It was the first such center started, and it serves a much larger population than any of the other regional centers. The Institute is under the administrative control of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India.

Institute had conducted many prime surveys like National Family Health Survey (NFHS), District Level Household Survey (DLHS), Assessment of National Rural Health Mission (NRHM), YOUTH in India Project, Global Youth Tobacco Survey (GYTS India Project), South Asia Centre for Labour Mobility and Migrants (SALAM), The World Health Organisation's Study on global Ageing and adult health (SAGE), R4D India: Inclusive Social Protection for Chronic Health Problems, Youth in India study. SWABHIMAAN Project, GENDER (Gender Equity and Demography Research) Project, Maternal and Newborn Health (MNH) Exemplars India Study, Longitudinal Survey of Maternal and Infant Nutrition in Maharashtra (LoSMINM) and Longitudinal Aging Study in India (LASI).

ABOUT
M.A. / M.Sc. in Population Studies

This two-year Master's program has been designed to provide a comprehensive understanding of Population Studies, covering areas such as Demography, Sampling Techniques, Gender and Reproductive Health, Population and Development, Fertility and Mortality, Public Health, Population Ageing, and Migration and Urbanisation. Students receive information on diverse facets of demography, socio-economics, and health to enhance their understanding of governance and the formulation of policies.

The students of this course are provided with rigorous hands-on training on various statistical and analytical software such as STATA, R programming, SPSS, GIS, GeoDa, Spectrum, Atlas.ti, Nvivo and Anthropac. This program requires the successful completion of 21 main papers in the area of Population Studies and Demography, optional papers, and a dissertation. Students are also trained in Research Methodology, which involves the successful completion of a project involving fieldwork.

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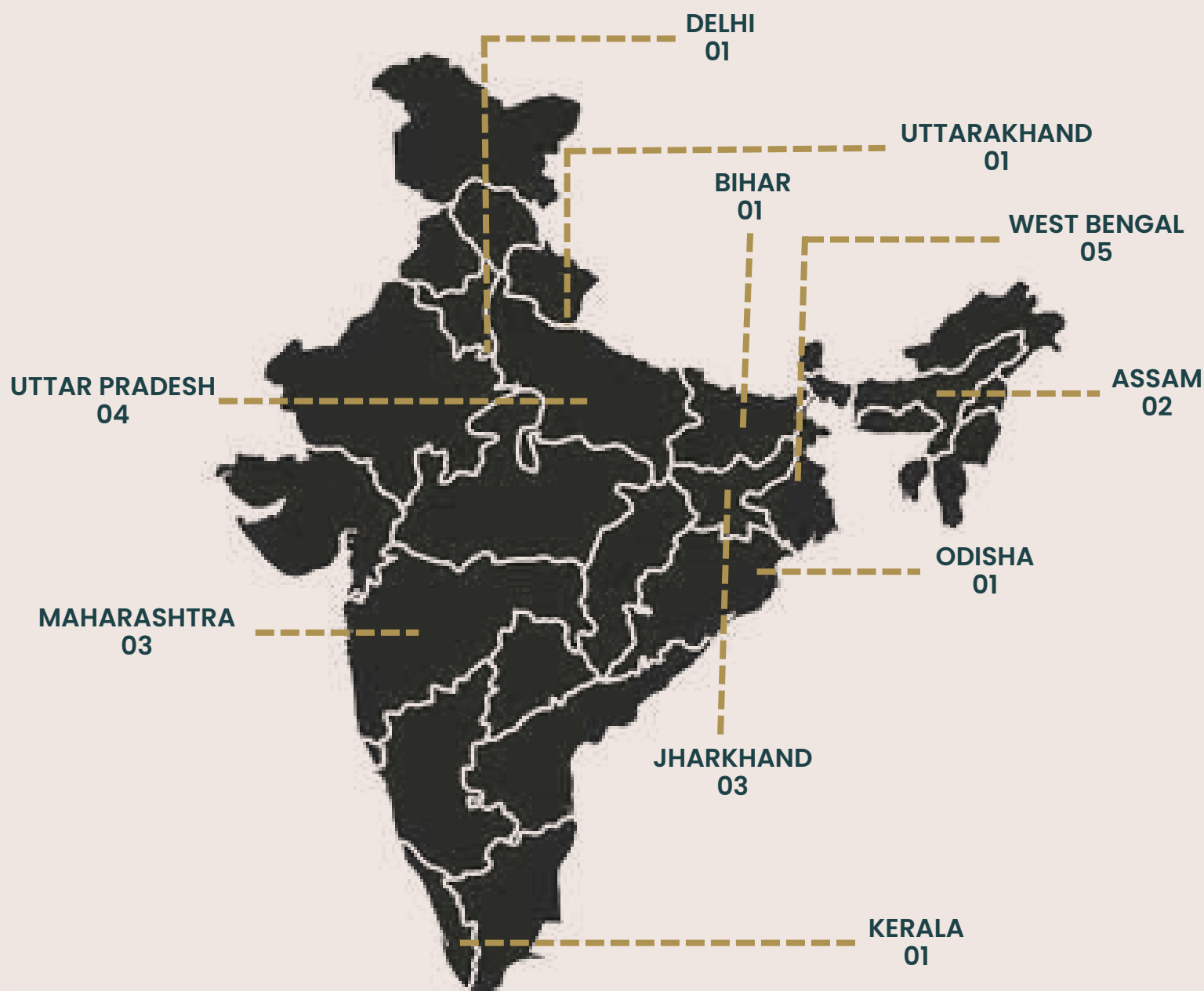
Master of Arts / Master of Science Population Studies
M.A. / M.Sc.

"The power of population is indefinitely greater than the power in the earth to produce subsistence for man."

–Malthus

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ICMR - Indian Council of Medical Research - Serving the nation since 1911

IIPS - Capacity Building for a Better Future

The Hans Foundation - Wellness for All, Building Futures

Magic Bus - Childhood to Livelihood

KHPT - engage, innovate, empower

nfi - National Foundation for India

Population Council - Ideas. Evidence. Impact.

Government of India - Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation

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