Advertisement for Internship South Asia Centre for Labour Mobility and Migrants (SALAM) International Institute for Population Sciences (IIPS), Mumbai

Background

South Asia Centre for Labour Mobility and Migrants (SALAM) is a knowledge hub for labour migration supported by the UN organizations, namely ILO, IOM, and UN Women, in collaboration with:

- (1) Refugee and Migratory Movements Research Unit (RMMRU), Bangladesh,
- (2)Centre for the Study of Labour and Mobility (CESLAM) at Social Science Baha, Nepal,
- (3) Institute of Policy Studies of Sri Lanka (IPS), Sri Lanka,
- (4) Sustainable Development Policy Institute (SDPI), Pakistan,
- (5) International Institute for Population Sciences (IIPS), India.

The primary objectives of the Knowledge hub are to address knowledge gaps on labour migration in the five South Asian countries – Bangladesh, India, Nepal, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka through conducting research and publication on labour migration, capacity building of students, young researchers, etc.

As part of the capacity building initiatives on labour migration, the **SALAM** at IIPS, Mumbai, offers internships to students (Indian nationals) who had completed a master degree (within the past two years)/pursuing a master degree in any social science subjects, Population Science/Demography, Public Health, Statistics, Mathematics, etc. to work on labour migration.

Location: International Institute for Population Sciences (IIPS), Mumbai

No. of positions: 2 (Two)

Duration: Upto 3 months

Modality: Full time

Stipend: Interns will be paid a stipend of Rs. 12000/- per month as per the IIPS rules.

Roles and responsibilities: Under the guidance and supervision of the SALAM team at IIPS, the intern will support all the activities undertaken within the current Programme and Planning framework. The following section will describe the tasks that the intern is expected to contribute to.

- Supports the knowledge hub on its key activities
- Contribute to the knowledge hub by gathering data and writing a paper on labour migration

Education requirements

• Completed a master degree (within the past two years)/Pursuing a master degree in the following areas: Sociology, Social Work, Economics, Political Science, Geography, Population Studies/Demography, Public Health, Statistics, Mathematics, or a related field. • Have excellent academic performance as demonstrated by recent university or institution records.

General requirements/ Skills and Experience

To be considered for an internship with SALAM, applicants must meet the following general requirements:

- Proficient in English languages
- Effective communication skills
- Excellent use of MS Office packages
- Knowledge of qualitative and quantitative data analysis software (Stata, SPSS, Atlas.ti, NVivo, etc.)
- Excellent planning and organizing skills
- Demonstrate initiative, creativity, enthusiasm and motivation to learn
- Ability to quickly understand instructions, ask for clarification when needed, adapt and work independently to produce results on time
- Ability to work collaboratively with a team
- Good attention to detail, analysis, and focus

Application Process:

Candidates who wish to apply for the internship may send their CV, a concept note of 2 pages (title for the proposed paper, objectives, data source and methods), along with a cover letter to <u>salamproject@iipsindia.ac.in</u>

The last date of receiving the application is **24 February 2022.**

Remarks

The selection committee has the power to relax the qualification in the case of deserving candidates. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted and advanced to the next stage of the selection process. The selected candidates will be asked to join the project.
