

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, ROORKEE

(Department of Humanities and Social Sciences)

Date: 21 September 2026

ADVERTISEMENT TO FILL UP PROJECT POSITION*

Applications are invited from Indian nationals only for the project position as per the details given below for the sponsored research project under the Principal Investigator, Dr. Manish K. Singh, Associate Professor, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee.

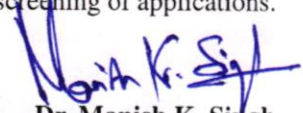
1. **Title of project:** *Research on public finance, revenue mobilization and economic growth*
2. **Project Number:** BMG-3102-HSD/26-27
3. **Sponsor of the project:** Gates Foundation
4. **Project position(s) and number:** Project Associate- Household & Personal Finance (One)
5. **Qualifications:** Master's degree in Economics, Finance, Statistics, Econometrics, or a closely related field, with demonstrated experience in econometric modelling, statistical analysis, and quantitative research. Strong hands-on skills in Python, R, and L^AT_EX, with the ability to work with large financial and household-level datasets and conduct rigorous quantitative analysis. Candidates should have a strong understanding of financial markets, securities markets, equity and derivatives, currency markets, insurance, and household finance. Prior research experience involving financial decision-making, household balance sheets, savings, investment, borrowing, insurance, retirement planning, or related areas will be preferred.
6. **Emoluments:** Rs. 25,000/- to Rs. 60,000/- per month, commensurate with the qualifications and experience of the selected candidate.
7. **Duration:** 12 months (extendable upto 12 months)
8. **Expected date of joining:** October 2026.
9. **Job description:** The position will focus on personal and household finance, examining how individuals and households make financial decisions and interact with financial markets. The researcher will work on questions related to household income, savings, wealth accumulation, borrowing and debt, investment and portfolio choices, equity and derivatives markets, currency exposure, insurance, retirement planning, financial risk, and financial resilience. The role will involve collecting and analysing household and financial-market data, developing econometric and statistical models, conducting quantitative research using Python and R, and translating complex financial-market developments into their implications for individual households. The candidate will be expected to investigate financial problems at the individual and household level, identify behavioural and economic constraints affecting financial decisions, and develop rigorous empirical analyses and research outputs.
10. Candidates before appearing for the interview shall ensure that they are eligible for the position they intend to apply.
11. Candidates desiring to appear for the interview should submit their applications, along with an application on plain paper, a detailed CV including a chronological list of degrees/certificates obtained, details of relevant research, industrial, field or other experience, and attested copies of degree/certificate and experience certificates, to the Principal Investigator through email.

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12. Candidates shall bring along with them the original degree(s)/certificate(s) and experience certificate(s) at the time of interview for verification.
13. Preference will be given to SC/ST and women candidates on equal qualifications and experience.
14. Please note that no TA/DA is admissible for attending the interview.

The last date for application to be submitted by email to the Principal Investigator is **10 October 2026 by 5:00 p.m.**

The interview details will be communicated to the shortlisted candidates after screening of applications.



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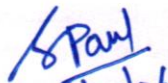


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