



भारतीय सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान धारवाड़

**INDIAN INSTITUTE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DHARWAD**

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**Advertisement for Recruitment of Project Associate and Project Interns**

**Date: 3rd November 2025**

Applications are invited from Indian nationals for the following positions in a project sponsored by **IIT Mandi iHub and HCI Foundation**.

**Project Title:** Large Language Model for Legal Assistance

**Project Number:** IITMANDI iHub/RD/2024-25/01

**Funding Agency:** IIT Mandi iHub and HCI Foundation

**Project Duration:** 24 months

**Principal Investigator:** Dr. Sunil Saumya, Department of Data Science and Artificial Intelligence, IIIT Dharwad.

**Available Positions**

| Name of Position                | No. of Posts | Salary (per Month) | Essential Qualification                                                                                     | Desirable Skills / Role                                                                                                                                                          | Tenure of Appointment                               | Location     |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Project Associate (On Contract) | 01           | ₹25,000            | Master's in Computer Science / Information Science / Computer Applications / Data Science / IT-related area | Knowledge of Deep Learning (DL), Good Programming Skills (Python, PyTorch/TensorFlow), Langchain/Langgraph framework, Technical Writing & Communication; NLP knowledge preferred | Initially 2 months, extendable based on performance | IIIT Dharwad |

**Job Description (for both positions)**

- Data Collection and Preprocessing
- Deep Learning/LLM Model Development
- User Interface Development
- Documentation and Technical Writing
- Any administrative/project-related tasks

### **Application Process**

- Last date to submit application form: **20th November 2025**
- Application form link: <https://forms.gle/o7Yg64iauTnQsauCA>
- Interested and eligible candidates are encouraged to apply by filling the application form. Selected candidates may be encouraged to join the Ph.D. program at IIIT Dharwad, as per institute norms and availability of funds.

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### **Details of the Selection Process:**

Shortlisted candidates and date of selection process will be intimated over email. Applications will be screened initially. Only the shortlisted applicants will be called for an interview. The shortlisted candidates may be asked to undergo a written test followed by the interview via online/telephone mode. Mere fulfilment of minimum eligibility will not bestow the right for short listing. IIIT Dharwad reserves the right to screen and shortlist candidates by introducing higher benchmarks. Emails will be sent to all shortlisted candidates.

Documents Required: Applicant should have online version of all original certificates including mark sheets (matriculation onwards), degree certificates, experience certificate(s), other relevant documents (including one set of self-attested certificate(s)/document(s) and updated Curriculum Vitae.

### **Terms and conditions**

1. Selected candidates shall not have claim on any regular position and shall not be bestowed any of the privileges like Housing, Medical Facility and Other benefits available to regular employees of the Institute.
2. Applicants are advised to ensure, before appearing for the Selection Process, that they possess the minimum essential qualification and experience laid down for the post. Qualification obtained has to be from a recognized University/Institute. Eligibility in terms of age, qualification and experience of a candidate shall be considered as on the date of Selection Process.
3. The number of vacancies indicated in the notification is tentative. IIIT Dharwad reserves the right to increase or decrease the number of advertised posts at the time of selection. Further, IIIT Dharwad reserves the right to NOT fill any of the posts advertised.
4. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the Selection Process.
5. In case of any inadvertent mistake in the process of selection, which may be detected at any stage

even after issue of the appointment letter, the Institute reserves the right to modify, withdraw or cancel any communication made to the Applicants.

6. After joining the service of the Institute, the person(s) will have to abide by the Rules, Regulations, Ordinances, Statutes and Act of the Institute applicable from time to time. He/She may be assigned any duty within or outside the Institute depending upon the exigency of the work.
7. The Institute shall verify the antecedents or documents submitted by a person at the time of appointment or during the tenure of the service. In case it is detected that the documents submitted by the candidates are fake, or the person has a clandestine antecedents or background and has suppressed the said information, then his/her services shall be terminated forthwith and legal action may be initiated against such candidates/employees.
8. No interim correspondence whatsoever will be entertained from the candidates.
9. Canvassing in any form or bringing in any influence political or otherwise will be a disqualification for the post.
10. In case of any dispute/ambiguity that may occur in the process of selection, the decision of the Institute shall be final.
11. For a query related to Selection Process, applicants may send email on [sunil.saumya@iiitdwd.ac.in](mailto:sunil.saumya@iiitdwd.ac.in). However, enquiry/queries related to eligibility for the post/interpretation of rules will not be entertained.